

**RESOLUTION NO. 2012-6**

**A Resolution implementing change in Jackson County Policy Manual  
pertaining to use of cellular telephones while operating any county vehicle**

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, Kansas, meeting in a regular session on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 2012, does hereby resolve as follows, to-wit:

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, Kansas has reviewed and adopted a Policy Manual for use by the employees of Jackson County, Kansas, said Policy Manual being dated June 23, 2008, and amended on December 21, 2009.

**WHEREAS**, the Jackson County Policy Manual is designed to implement the employee relationship between Jackson County, Kansas and the employees of Jackson County, Kansas.

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, Kansas does hereby resolve to implement a change in the Jackson County Policy Manual in the following manner, to-wit:

"No employee, while performing work in the course of their employment and utilizing any county vehicle or piece of machinery shall use a cellular telephone or other mode of communication device as defined in K.S.A. 8-15,111 to send text messages, electronic mail messages or any other social media while operating said county vehicle. Accepted exceptions to using a cellular telephone or other communication device shall be found under K.S.A. 8-15,111."

**WHEREAS**, this Resolution is passed, approved and adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, Kansas on the date and year first above written.



**Attest:**

*Brenda Hawley Deputy*  
**Kathy Mick, Jackson County Clerk**

**Board of County Commissioners,**

**Jackson County, Kansas**

*Larry Fenske*  
**Larry Fenske, Chairman**

*Roger Coverdale*  
**Roger Coverdale, Member**

*Ed Kathrens*  
**Ed Kathrens, Member**