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I would like to acknowledge the overwhelming support of the Board of Oklahoma County Commissioners. Recent support came in the way of their donation of a new-to-Luther fire engine to replace our aging Engine 757, which was becoming a financial burden for frequent repairs. Along with the replacement of our engine, the BOCC saw fit to add to our fleet by awarding LFD a \$375,000 grant to acquire a BRAND-NEW Pumper-Tanker.

This apparatus is similar to a fire engine but has a 3,000-gallon water storage tank, drastically enhancing our capabilities in rural areas of our fire district. Most common fire engines are equipped with only 750-1000 gallons of water. This new apparatus will enhance our water on scene by double or triple, giving us the ability to sustain firefighting efforts and possibly cutting back on the need for mutual aid for water shuffle. This is a good-for-everyone acquisition!

I would also like to acknowledge the behind-the-scenes people who made this happen. Town Manager Scherrie Pidcock, with help from Dawn Shelton, office assistant, spearheaded the application process. They both put in a lot of time and effort for this project, and it would not have been possible without their dedication to this town. I sincerely thank you both!

Again, THANK YOU to the BOCC for supporting the Town of Luther and the men and women of the Luther Fire Department.

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