THE VERNON COUNTY COMMISSION MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2015 AT 9:00 A.M.

PRESENT: JOE HARDIN, PRESIDING COMMISSIONER; NEAL F. GERSTER, NORTHERN COMMISSIONER; AND EVERETT L. WOLFE, SOUTHERN COMMISSIONER.

### MOSS HOUSE

9/10/15 Commission received a call from Debbie at the Moss House. She is asking permission to use the courthouse lawn on October 5th for a balloon release. 9/15/15 Motion was made by Commissioner Hardin to allow the balloon release on the lawn. Commissioner Gerster seconded the motion. Motion passed by unanimous vote. Moss House was informed of the decision.

Commissioner Hardin made a motion to grant Moss House permission to use the courthouse lawn for their Domestic Violence Task Force Balloon Release on October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wolfe. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

#### ROAD AND BRIDGE

9/14/15 Vernon County Road and Bridge Foreman, Lynn Seaver called to see if we have Dover and Montevallo Townships marked brush cutter maps back yet. I let him know we have Dover, but not Montevallo. He came and picked it up.

#### SHELDON

Office received a call from Leena Kleeman. She lives at the South end of old 71 Highway. She states kids race up and down the road. She wondered if they can get a speed limit sign put up out there. Commissioner Wolfe talked with her on this issue and referred her to her township board.

### PERSONNEL

Commission signed ACH Transmittal Register.

Commission signed timesheets for Rick Warren, Lynn Seaver, Donnie Roberts, Tommy Payton and Paula Messner.

### KAYSINGER BASIN REGIONAL PLANNING CENTER

Office received a call from Cassie Sanders stating the grant has been sent in and we should hear back in December.

### NEVADA R-5

Pam Earnest from the school called to verify that the county would service collection containers if they received a grant.

### MOUNDVILLE TOWNSHIP

Office received a telephone call from Bridget Shaw. She states there is a huge willow tree that is blocking the view to turn onto 43 highway from Veteran Road, about a mile and a half North of Bronaugh. There is also some really tall overgrown bamboo in someone else's yard that blocks the view to turn onto 43 highway from 1025 Road. Commission states they plan to go look at this.

9/10/15 Lisa Bowling brought in CART papers.

## **DOVER TOWNSHIP**

Commission received marked brush cutter map from them.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Commission received a copy of Sheriff Fees Report for August 2015.

## MoDOT

Commission received an email from Darin Hamelink stating that more counties were recently added to the Federal Disaster Declaration DR-4238. St Clair County has been added to the list.

## VERNON COUNTY SHOOTING SPORTS

Commission received a copy of their Certificate of Liability Insurance.

## CITY OF DEERFIELD

Commission received signed Governmental Cooperative Contract and a check in the amount of \$32.40.

## LAKE TOWNSHIP

9/14/15 Dana Craig delivered the CART papers.

## **RECYCLING CENTER**

Office received a call from Middle School Nurse Dawn Jones. She is requesting that David Irwin be able to conduct a program again this year to the Girl Empowerment Club on October 13<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Irwin was notified of this request.

## WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Commission received meeting notice for September 23, 2015.

### **COUNTY CLERK**

Commission received 2015 list of new polling locations.

Commission received a copy of Monthly Report for August 2015.

## **REPRESENTATIVE PATRICIA PIKE**

9/14/15

Office received a telephone call from her. She is wanting permission to do a Listening Post in the courthouse lobby on September 29, 2015 from 12:30-1:30. She will work up a flyer. Office emailed her back the next day and let her know she has permission.

Commission received letter with funding resources she has found.

### **MISSOURI STATE AUDITOR**

Commission received a letter stating the auditor has received information to substantiate compliance with Missouri Law for 2015 property tax rates.

### VERNON COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Commission received an email from Dennis Kimrey giving notice of a Regional Exercise to be held September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

### **MISSOURI EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

Commission received notice of 2016 Conference to be held April 19-22.

### CORONER

Commission received a check in the amount of \$400. 00 from Community Foundation of the Ozarks. This is for indigent burial/funeral.

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Commission received packet 'Requesting Reimbursement for Grant Expenditures'. (Historic Preservation Fund)

### **MISSOURI ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES**

Commission received email in regards to state delaying prisoner per diem reimbursements.

### LEPC

Commission received notice of meeting to be held September 16, 2015.

### **VIRGIL TOWNSHIP**

Vernon County Road and Bridge Foreman, Lynn Seaver notified that a road will be closing. Pioneer Road between HH Highway and 3050 Road in Virgil Township, Section 13 will close as of midmorning on the 14<sup>th</sup> until further notice for bridge replacement.

### SALARY COMMISSION MEETING

Circuit Clerk, Carrie Poe notified the commission that this meeting will need to be held before November 13<sup>th</sup>.

### GIS

Commission received invoice from Lowenbaum Law in the amount of: NO CHARGE; for reviewing and responding to an email to Bourassa RE: Attorney General Letter.

9/11/15 An applicant for the GIS position visited the office. IT Director took her to her office and spoke with her.

## HARRISON TOWNSHIP

Abbi Starne, Trustee visited the office on 9/11/15. She also spoke in the office with Deputy County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds. She is requesting a brush cutter map that is marked with what areas her township is responsible for. She states it is unclear, as some places overlap with Barton County and Deerfield. She stated she just highlights the whole brush cutter map when she gets it, to ensure everything is being taken care of. She would like clarification on this. She also inquired if a road was private or not. She believes it is someone's driveway and the township should not have to maintain it. Recorder of Deeds told her that if the township has ever maintained it,, then they are responsible thereafter. She asked what she needs to do in order to not have to do that anymore. Papers were given to her on how to vacate a road. She did not take them with her; as she states the issue in question is a well-known man and she does not believe anyone will sign a petition against him. She knows the township has maintained that road/drive in the past.

### PRAIRIE PRIDE

Commission received US Bank statement. Market Value \$0.00.

#### **REGION M SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT**

Commission received notice that Stephanie Campbell is no longer working there. Jill Cornett is the new Executive Director.

#### PRIOR MINUTES

Commissioner Gerster made a motion to approve Prior Commission Minutes dated August 25, 2015, as read. Commissioner Wolfe seconded the motion. Motion was passed by unanimous vote.

Commissioner Gertser made a motion to approve Prior Commission Minutes dated August 26, 2015, as read. Commissioner Wolfe seconded the motion. Motion was passed by unanimous vote.

Commissioner Gerster made a motion to approve Prior Commission Minutes dated September 1, 2015, as read. Commissioner Wolfe seconded the motion. Motion was passed by unanimous vote.

### ADJOURN

Ordered that Commission adjourn at 4:30 P.M. until Wednesday, September 16, 2015.

ATTEST:

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CLERK OF COMMISSION

PRESIDING COMMISSIONER