

COUNTY COMMISSION RECORD, VERNON COUNTY

Wednesday, January 30, 2013

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THE VERNON COUNTY COMMISSION MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30, 2013 AT 9:00 A.M.

PRESENT: BONNIE M. MCCORD, PRESIDING COMMISSIONER; NEAL F. GERSTER, NORTHERN COMMISSIONER; AND EVERETT L. WOLFE, SOUTHERN COMMISSIONER.

JAIL

Bill Drake telephoned the Commission with privacy concerns during visitation in the Vernon County jail. Also he was told there was no hot water for inmates. Commission will pass on concerns to the Sheriff, which was done later in the day.

FINAL BUDGET HEARING

Commission opened Public Hearing at 10:00 A.M. on the 2013 Budget proposal. Proof of Affidavit of Publication was presented by Vernon County Clerk, Tammi Beach. Commissioner Gerster made motion to accept the 2013 Budget as proposed. Commissioner Wolfe seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Commissioner Gerster (Yes); Commissioner Wolfe (Yes); Commissioner McCord (Yes). Public Hearing was closed at 10:15 A.M.

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Vernon County Emergency Management Director, Dennis Kimrey, called on the Commission regarding a water leak in the upstairs restroom at the EOC Building.

BADGER TOWNSHIP

Ron Amick, resident of Badger Township, called on the Commission to inform Commission of large tree in creek causing erosion in right-of-way near road in Badger Township, Section 2, Nutmeg Road.

He also discussed private survey that had been completed in Badger Township, Section 11, Overland Road.

RECYCLING CENTER

Commission spoke with Vernon County Recycling Center Manager, David Irwin, regarding recycling center issues. They discussed trailer Gene Young had left message for Commission that County needed to obtain insurance. For clarification Mr. Irwin contacted Mark Mitchell, IT Director, City of Nevada, and he will research.

BADGER TOWNSHIP

Commission spoke with Darin Hamelink, P.E., regarding the road in Badger Township, Section 11. Commission informed Mr. Hamelink the road does not have a CART number referred to as the "Sipe Road" with a 40 foot right-of-way width in the 1908 Plat opened on line December 29, 1916.

Kenya Storm telephoned the Commission wanting to know when construction would begin and what she needed to do regarding fence. Commission advised her to talk with Mr. Hughes as no construction had been planned by Vernon County.

Commission spoke with Joan Hardin and informed her the road is not on MoDOT Inventory, however it is shown on the County 1908 Plat, with no record of closure.

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SHERIFF

Vernon County Sheriff, Jason Mosher, presented Contract for Housing Inmates for St. Clair County for Commission's consideration. It was placed on the agenda for February 5, 2013 at 2:00 P.M., along with possible Contract with Jasper County.

HEALTHY NEVADA INITIATIVE

Nevada/Vernon County Chamber of Commerce Director, Gina Ensor; Patricia Bridgewater, Psychologist with the Wellness Company; and Jessica Hunt, Program Coordinator; called on Commission to discuss the Healthy Nevada Initiative.

BRIDGE DEPARTMENT

Vernon County Bridge Foreman, Lynn Seaver, called on Commission to discuss ongoing road and bridge matters. He would like to start bridge project in Montevallo Township, Section 6.

He also provided drainage information received at the NRCS for Virgil Township, Section 21, showing drainage area is 8 acres, and therefore will not qualify for upgrade, and remains township responsibility. County will be extending the second culvert on North and South side to widen the shoulders. Commission notified Mr. Greenstreet by mail.

SB 13

Commission received correspondence from Missouri State Senator, Ed Emery, with regard to SB 13 advising he has not yet been convinced that Region M Solid Waste Management District will not lose anything by moving away from local control.

COUNTY OFFICIALS

Commission sent Affidavit of County Officials to the Office of Secretary of State with regard to 2012 Annual Report of Compensation received by County Officials.

I-49 OUTER ROAD

Commission received fully executed versions of the Road Relinquishment Agreement between Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission and the Vernon County Commission on the I-49 Outer Road, Drywood Township, Section 2, Talley Bend Road. MoDOT has awarded contract for completion of grading work necessary to construct an outer road along the west side of Route 71 (future I-49) along with the construction of any necessary drainage structure, and upon completion quitclaim deed will be conveyed to Vernon County.

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

Commission received Fire Alarm Inspection Report from SimplexGrinnell.

ADJOURN

Ordered that Commission adjourn at 4:30 P.M. until Tuesday, February 5, 2013.

ATTEST: _____ APPROVED: _____
CLERK OF COMMISSION PRESIDING COMMISSIONER