**COUNTY COMMISSION RECORD, VERNON COUNTY**

**Wednesday, February 7, 2024, 2nd February Adj.**

THE VERNON COUNTY COMMISSION MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2024, AT 9:00 A**.**M.

PRESENT: JOE WILSON, PRESIDING COMMISSIONER; EVERETT L. WOLFE, SOUTHERN COMMISSIONER; CINDY THOMPSON, NORTHERN COMMISSIONER;

 **ROAD AND BRIDGE**

An email was sent in regard to the closing of Panama Road lying west of 1200 Road and east of 43 Highway in Deerfield Township for bridge replacement.

**TOWNSHIPS**

Rodney Beard, from Washington Township, visited with the Commission to discuss township procedures.

Doug Vantellman, Bacon Township board member, called on the Commission to report on township activities.

Letters were sent by email to townships in regard to assistance that was received from the county for debris removal due to the storm damage July 29, 2023 through July 31, 2023.

 **DAYCARE/ARPA**

Jim Bickel and Michelle Whitlock from the United Methodist Church called on the Commission to give an update on the process of opening a daycare facility at the United Methodist Church and to check on the status of their ARPA application.

 **ELECTION**

The Commissioners discussed the results of the Municipal Primary Election held yesterday.

 **DIGITAL SIGN**

Sheree Gayman, Interim Tourism Director with the Chamber of Commerce, called on the Commission to discuss a digital sign that could possibly be located in the area.

**SENATOR SCHMITT’S OFFICE**

Michael Ussery, Field Director, and Tucker Jobes, District Director, from Senator Eric Schmitt’s office visited the Commission to discuss events taking place in the Senate and in the county.

 **TOWNSHIP MEETING**

The Commissioners discussed plans in regard to the upcoming township meeting to be held on March 18th.

 **COURTHOUSE**

Email notifications were sent to the newspaper and the radio stations to inform them that the Courthouse will be closed on Monday, February 12th to observe Abraham Lincoln’s birthday.

 **PRIOR MINUTES**

The minutes from January 8th were read. Commissioner Thompson moved to approve with corrections. Commissioner Wolfe seconded. All voted to approve.

The minutes from January 9th were read. Commissioner Wolfe moved to approve with corrections. Commissioner Thompson seconded. All voted to approve.

The minutes from January 10th were read. Commissioner Thompson moved to approve with corrections. Commissioner Wolfe seconded. All voted to approve.

The minutes from January 11th were read. Commissioner Wolfe moved to approve. Commissioner Thompson seconded. All voted to approve.

The minutes from January 12th were read. Commissioner Thompson moved to approve with corrections. Commissioner Wolfe seconded. All voted to approve.

 **ADJOURN**

Ordered that Commission adjourn at P.M. until Tuesday, February 13, 2024.

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