**COUNTY COMMISSION RECORD, VERNON COUNTY**

**Tuesday, November 19, 2024, 5th November Adj.**

THE VERNON COUNTY COMMISSION MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH, 2024, AT 9:00 A**.**M.

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

 **NEVADA YOUTH BALLFIELDS LIGHTING**

Commissioner Wilson met with Adam O’Farrell and Chris with Evergy, and Ryan Schibi with CDL Electric, to make plans for the replacement of the lighting at the ballfields located at the Fairgrounds on Thursday, November 14th.

**4-H PRESENTATION**

Maleah Hogan, Missouri State 4-H Ambassador, called on the Commission to give an update on 4-H in the county and state. She shared the history of 4-H, as well as her history in the 4-H program. Peggy Pyle also attended the meeting. She reported that Maleah has won many awards during her years of participation in the 4-H program. Maleah also touched on how she became interested in being an ambassador by attending workshops in Atlanta, Georgia, her meeting with the Missouri governor in October, and the important part the MU Extension Center plays in helping with the development of the local 4-H clubs. In the future, Maleah has plans to initiate a 4-H Legislature Day in which 4-H members would visit the Courthouse and shadow officials during the workday.

 **OLD SHILOH SCHOOLHOUSE**

Peggy Pyle gave a presentation on the history of the Old Shiloh Schoolhouse, the repairs that are needed and how it would benefit from ARPA funding. She also delivered an ARPA application to the Commission.

 **RECYCLING**

Commissioner Wilson returned a call to Donnie Roberts concerning a skid steer at the recycling center.

 **ROADS**

Wyatt Hoenshell called on the Commission to determine if 1200 Road near his property has been vacated**.**

**ROAD AND BRIDGE**

Mike Reasoner, Road and Bridge Foreman, visited the Commission to update them on projects the crew is working on.

 **LEGAL**

Travis Elliott, of Ellis, Ellis, Hammons & Johnson, P.C., delivered documents concerning the disincorporation of the Village of Harwood. He and the Commissioners also discussed Senate Bill 190 and statutes in regard to vacating roads.

 **TED RENEWABLES**

The Commissioners held a teleconference with Dylan Stickney and Allison Hale of TED Renewables in regard to the Fly Creek Solar Project.

 **FAIRGROUNDS**

The Commissioners discussed a urinal in the diner at the Fairgrounds that isn’t working properly, and what steps should be taken to resolve the issue.

 **INVOICES AND CHECKS**

The Commissioners reviewed and approved invoices and signed checks.

 **COUNTY CLERK**

Adrienne Lee, County Clerk, delivered the minutes from a closed meeting that was held on October 22nd.

 **2025 HOLIDAYS**

Commissioner Wolfe made a motion to approve a Memorandum executed by Kathy S. Lloyd, States Courts Administrator, listing the Missouri State Holidays for 2025 that will be observed by the County. Commissioner Thompson seconded. All voted yes to approve.

 **MISSOURI ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES CONFERENCE**

Commissioner Thompson made a motion to appoint Kelsey Westerhold, Public Administrator, the county delegate to the MAC Conference on November 24th to November 26th. Commissioner Wolfe seconded. All voted yes to approve.

 **ADJOURN**

Ordered that Commission adjourn at 3:28 p.m. until Wednesday, November 20, 2024.

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