**COUNTY COMMISSION RECORD, VERNON COUNTY**

**Wednesday, May 21, 2025, 6th May Adj.**

THE VERNON COUNTY COMMISSION MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 2025, AT 9:00 A**.**M.

PRESENT: JOE WILSON, PRESIDING COMMISSIONER; CINDY THOMPSON, NORTHERN COMMISSIONER; JOHN SHORTEN, SOUTHERN COMMISSIONER;

 **SECURITY**

John Bell with NetWatch called on the Commission to introduce himself and provide information on the company.

 **KIWANIS CLUB**

Paul Sherman and his wife, representatives of the Kiwanis Club, visited the Commissioners to give information on the club that is starting in this area.

 **ROADS**

Ron Smith met with the Commissioners to discuss issues concerning 2175 Road. The Commissioners later placed a call to Rob Sewell letting him know that it is a public road.

 **DISCUSSIONS/UPDATES**

The Commissioners discussed and gave updates on culverts in the county that need attention and the progress of the lighting at the NYRB ballfields at the Fairgrounds. The Commissioners also discussed associated costs.

 **COURTHOUSE**

Inetvisions, LLC installed a new TV screen in the Commission Office. The Commission had budgeted to replace TV screens at Centennial Hall with bigger screens for regional meetings. The older screens were then taken to the courthouse. A screen will also be placed in the ground floor lobby that will be used for public information.

 **INVOICES AND CHECKS**

The Commissioners reviewed invoices and signed checks.

 **VISITORS**

Rod Selsor visited with the Commissioners. Ed Post also came by the Commission office to visit with the Commissioners.

 **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Tina Cochran, Economic Developer, met with the Commission to discuss the immediate needs for Vernon County and the City of Nevada.

 **FAIRGROUNDS**

Thabena Bower, MU Extension Office Youth Program Associate, visited the Commission to discuss a memorial bench and flowerpots that will be placed at the Fairgrounds.

 **MISCELLANEOUS**

Commissioner Wilson returned a call to Jim Wheatly, Bates County Presiding Commissioner, who was inquiring about some issues in Vernon County and the procedures that are in place.

**MEMORIAL DAY CLOSURE**

Emails were sent to county employees and the media to remind everyone that the Courthouse will be closed on Monday, May 26th in observance of Memorial Day.

 **ADJOURN**

Ordered that Commission adjourn at 3:30 p.m. until Tuesday, May 27, 2025.

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ APPROVED:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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