

Minutes

Texas County Commission
Texas County Administrative Center
Suite 302
Houston, MO 65483

Date: June 28th & 29th, 2023
Date and Term of Commission: 13th day of the April Term

Those Present: Scott Long, Presiding Commissioner
John Casey, Associate Commissioner
Robert Ross, Associate Commissioner
Peggy Seyler, County Clerk

Call to Order: 9:15am
Approval of agenda:
Motion: RR Second: JC
Vote: Yes-Long, Casey, Ross
Approved

Approval of previous week's minutes:
Motion: JC Second: RR
Vote: Yes-Long, Casey, Ross
Approved

Old Business:

- A. ARPA – Contacted Shawn Brown concerning application.
- B. Bridges – Emailed Trent Courtney (SCOCOG) about FLAP project. He is working with Elquin at MODOT.

New Business:

- A. Reviewed and approved County Payroll #13 and Accounts Payable #13
 - 1. Accounting Officer Certification – County Payroll #13 and DSSSF. The accounting officer filed her certification of available funds for County Payroll #13 and DSSSF totaling \$ 71,868.44. The County Commission approved the accounting officer's certification.
Motion: RR Second: JC
Vote: Yes – Long, Casey, Ross
Approved
 - 2. Accounting Officer Certification – Accounts Payable and Direct payables # 13. The accounting officer filed her certification of available funds for Accounts Payable and Direct Payables totaling \$205,690.81. The County Commission approved the accounting officer's certification.
Motion: RR Second: JC
Vote: Yes – Long, Casey, Ross
Approved
- B. Acknowledged and approved the reappointment of Linda Roberts for a four-year term to the Texas County Library Board.
Motion: JC Second: RR
Vote: Yes – Long, Casey, Ross
Approved
- C. Acknowledged and approved the reappointment of Cathy Sirdoreus for a four-year term to the Texas County Library Board.
Motion: JC Second: RR
Vote: Yes – Long, Casey, Ross
Approved
- D. Met with Janice Weddle, Kay Jordan, and Dana McGuire from the University Extension office concerning updates to their programing.

E. Reviewed correspondence from MAC.

Elected Official Updates:

A. Assessor

B. Sheriff

1. Reviewed and acknowledged that Dakota Wade graduated from the Sheriff academy and would be commissioned as a Deputy Sheriff assigned to the jail effective June 28th.
2. Reviewed and acknowledged that Alejandro Flores graduated from the Sheriff academy and will be commissioned as a Deputy Sheriff assigned to the patrol division effective June 28th.
3. Reviewed and acknowledged that Joshua D. Lee's "at will status" as full-time jailer is "no longer needed" effective June 26th.
4. Discussed with the commission he will be receiving bids from Tiger Commissary for jail meals.
5. Reviewed accident report from Houston Fire Chief.

C. Collector/Treasurer

1. Presented the commission with documentation from the Missouri Association of Collector's that she has completed her mandatory twenty hours of training for the year 2023 on April 18th-20th.

D. Recorder

E. Prosecuting Attorney

F. County Clerk

G. Circuit Clerk

H. County Surveyor

I. Public Administrator.

J. Coroner

K. Maintenance

1. Updates on various projects as well as elevator phone issues.

Reports:

The County Commission reviewed the following reports.

A.

B.

Public Comment, Walk-Ins and Miscellaneous:

A. Brian Reed met with the commission about MODOT agreement for Klotz Drive approach.


B. George Sholtz discussed the marijuana tax and news in surrounding counties.

C. TCMH CEO Stace Holland with updates on the hospital.


D. Grant Wilson with Congressman Jason Smith office stopped by and visited with commission with updates from Washington and concerns in the county.

E. Toured various roads in the Golden Hills area.

F. Rescheduled Opioid meeting until July 21st.

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Presiding Commission Date

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Associate Commissioner Date

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