

October 27, 2022

2nd Day of the October Adjournment term

Commission met pursuant to October 13, 2022

Members Present: Presiding Commissioner (PC), Jim Scaggs

Associate Commissioner (AC), Southern, Ben Young

Associate Commissioner (AC), Western, Ronnie Chandler

County Clerk, Marsha Womble

Others Present: Dave Huff, Assessor; Rick Turner, R & B

Meeting called to order at 10:04 a.m. by PC Scaggs.

AC Young made the motion to approve the agenda, AC Chandler seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried. AC Young made the motion to approve the minutes of October 13, 2022.

AC Chandler seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried.

COMMISSION REPORT: AC Young took the WWI plaque to Indiana to have it restored. It will be placed inside the front entrance where it was before. MAC Conference is scheduled for November 20-22 and PC Scaggs & Assessor Huff will attend. Mine Royalties public meeting will be held November 4, 2022 @ 10 am at the courthouse. Discussed a tourism grant for the Bike Park. Iron Co is one of 74 counties that qualify in the same category.

SHERIFF: No one in attendance from the sheriff's office. The County Clerk has not received the budget forecast for the remainder of 2022 as requested. We are unsure if there will be enough remaining balance in the budget under Sheriff Department to cover the Jail Department. A new Omnigo invoice was received however Commission would like to discuss it with the Sheriff. After comparing the new invoice with the old one, there are still questions. Commission reviewed the bodycam invoice that the Sheriff signed, obligating payment for 3 years. Commission does not have control of the Sheriff's extra funds and the sheriff requested payment from Sheriff Civil fund for the bodycam invoice. PC Scaggs said to his knowledge we haven't received any approved invoices for payment of the gas cards for August-October. The last invoice we received and paid for prisoner food was for July. We do not know the value of outstanding invoices to forecast for the remainder of the year. The County Clerk has requested that all outstanding invoices be submitted. DSSSF: The state approval of the application was sent to the Sheriff on 06/17/2022. It was not presented to PC Scaggs for his signature until 09/01/2022. The DSSSF Grant was awarded by the state on 09/14/2022. PC Scaggs asked Co Clerk Womble if she has received the proper paperwork to move forward with payment to deputies? It was received in her office on 10/26/2022. Payroll preparation for the month usually begins on the 26th and they have a short period of time to get it submitted to the bank. The County Clerk's office stayed late to ensure the deputies would receive the DSSSF payment for the month of October. The Clerk's office will have to research and contact the sheriff to discuss who needs to be back paid DSSSF beginning in July. Commission commended the County Clerk's office for the overtime needed to get the DSSSF payment for deputies processed in such a short period of time.

ARPA: nothing new

BUILDING RENOVATION: AC Chandler made the motion to approve Cost Proposal #35 for transitions built at the top of the stairs and Cost Proposal #36 for building shelving back in the storage room behind the judge's bench. AC Young seconded. All in favor, motion carried.

ROADS: CR 53-moving forward slowly. FLAP Grant: nothing new. Murdock crumb Subdivison at Oak & 1<sup>st</sup> ST: AC Young found some history of a portion of the subdivision had been vacated in 1993. More research is needed to figure out the process for vacating the area in question because it is not technically a county road. Other: City of Ironton was approved for BRO bridge replacement on 1<sup>st</sup> Street. There are a lot of road signs missing in the West end that need replaced. Discussed fire extinguisher costs. Trees at the Parkview Cemetery will be removed in the next week or so. Foreman Turner gave maintenance updates. Commission requested that he work on a 3-year road plan & get an idea of equipment needs by December 1<sup>st</sup>.

FINANCIAL: A.) Claims presented and approved for payment. B.) AC Young made the motion to approve and give PC Scaggs authority to sign the Child Support Grant Renewal. AC Chandler seconded. All in favor, motion carried. C.) Officeholders meeting at 1:30 to review budget and construction, etc.

AC Young made the motion to recess at 11:57 am. AC Chandler seconded. All in favor, motion carried.

AC Young made the motion to move back into regular session at 3:23 pm. AC Chandler seconded. All in favor, motion carried.

D.) Other: AC Chandler made the motion to give gift certificates for \$35 to all full-time employees for use at a local grocery store. AC Young seconded. All in favor, motion carried.

AC Young made the motion to adjourn at 3:25 pm. AC Chandler seconded. All in favor, motion carried.

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Jim Scaggs, Presiding Commissioner