

Wednesday December 18, 2024

Name	Position	Present	Quorum
Becky Plattner	Presiding Commissioner	Yes	Yes
Monte Fenner	Southern Commissioner	Yes	
Stephanie Gooden	Northern Commissioner	Yes	

Becky Plattner called the meeting to order at 9:00 am.

Becky Plattner asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the December 4, 2024 session and the December 12, 2024 special session. Stephanie Gooden made a motion to approve. Monte Fenner seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

Becky Plattner asked for a motion to approve a payment schedule. Stephanie Gooden made a motion to approve. Monte Fenner seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

County Clerk Brittni Burton presented commission order #6601 in the amount of \$192,089.02 for a cash transfer of payroll, order #6602 in the amount of \$35,545.69 for 941 taxes, and order #6603 in the amount of \$4,635.13 for CERF .7% and elective savings. Stephanie Gooden made a motion to approve the commission orders as presented. Monte Fenner seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

County Clerk Brittni Burton presented commission order #6604 in the amount of \$2,046.09 for a transfer of funds for the Senior Tax Credit ballot question on the November election. Monte Fenner made a motion to approve the commission order as presented. Stephanie Gooden seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

County Clerk Brittni Burton presented commission order #6605 in the amount of \$15,052.27 for the November 2024 CERF collections. Stephanie Gooden made a motion to approve the commission order as presented. Monte Fenner seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

County Clerk Brittni Burton presented November additions and abatements. Personal Property additions totaled \$89,253.71. Personal Property abatements totaled \$6,210.60. Real Estate additions totaled \$286.65. Real Estate abatements totaled \$7,417.56. Monte Fenner made a motion to approve. Stephanie Gooden seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

Sheriff Cindi Mullins submitted a request to hire Kendra Gutshall for a full-time position in the Jail Division. Her start date is set for December 13, 2024 and her rate of pay will be \$17 per hour with a \$600 annual uniform allowance. Becky Plattner asked for a motion to approve the new hire. Monte Fenner made a motion to approve. Stephanie Gooden seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

Becky Plattner presented a 4-year lease extension for the public defender's building in Sedalia that is shared with Pettis County. Becky Plattner asked for a motion to approve the lease extension. Stephanie Gooden made a motion to approve. Monte Fenner seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

Stephanie Gooden reported that she attended the Marshall Chamber of Commerce meeting and a housing development meeting with The Meadows.

Monte Fenner reported that he attended a bridge meeting the previous day with MODOT where Marshall Special Road District submitted a bridge. It did not get approved for this year's funding, but it will be submitted again next year.

Becky Plattner issued a correction of the funding sources of the electronic flag. The R. E. Lee Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy also provided the funding to the County for maintenance of the electronic flag along with the Daughters of the American Revolution. She apologized for not recognizing the United Daughters of the Confederacy, it was unintentional.

Treasurer Jared Brewer gave a report on the various sales taxes received for the month of December. Sales tax collected in the amount of \$111,570.19. Law enforcement tax collected in the amount of \$83,677.56. Use tax collected in the amount of \$68,377.16. Sunset law enforcement tax collected in the amount of \$27,888.24. Economic development tax collected in the amount of \$111,552.77.

Auditor Karlin Breshears stated that her office is working on year-end and budgets.

Stephanie Gooden stated that bids were opened on December 12th for the Melody Avenue bridge repair and the Commission has received recommendation from their engineer to accept the low bid. She announced that Mera

Excavating won the project with a bid of \$86,480.73. Stephanie Gooden made a motion to approve Mera Excavating to perform the bridge repairs on Melody Avenue. Monte Fenner seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

Becky Plattner asked for a motion to recess to reconvene at 9:30 am for a hearing to vacate Norway Avenue. Monte Fenner made a motion to recess. Stephanie Gooden seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.

Becky Plattner called the meeting to order at 9:30 am with all Commissioners present and a quorum established.

Becky Plattner opened the public hearing for the vacation of a road. Monte Fenner stated "the road that we're going to vacate is located in Salt Fork and Arrow Rock townships. Norway Avenue, a 40-foot wide public road over those portions of Sections 12 and 13, Township 49 north of the base line, Range 20 west of the fifth principle meridian, Saline County, Missouri, being more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING AT THE INTERSECTION OF NORWAY AVENUE AND 170TH ROAD, AT A LOCATION NEAR THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 13; THENCE IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 1320 FEET TO A POINT WHERE NORWAY AVENUE TURNS TO THE SOUTH NEAR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 13; THENCE FOLLOWING SAID NORWAY AVENUE TO THE SOUTH APPROXIMATELY 1800 FEET WHERE NORWAY AVENUE MEETS THE NORTH BANK OF SALT FORK CREEK; THENCE TO THE SOUTHWEST FOLLOWING SAID NORTH BANK AND CROSSING THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD APPROXIMATELY 1320 FEET; THENCE TO THE SOUTH, CROSSING SAID SALT FORK CREEK AND CONTINUING IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 660 FEET TO THE INTERSECTION OF SAID NORWAY AVENUE AND 170TH TRAIL AND THE TERMINATION POINT OF THIS DESCRIPTION, SAID TERMINATION POINT BEING APPROXIMATELY 330 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE WEST HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 13."

Becky Plattner stated that the necessary ads were posted in the local newspaper and the appropriate signs were posted on the ends of the road for the required 20 days. She stated Wayne Shannon was present and asked him if he would like to make any comments. Wayne Shannon stated he would not like to make any comments.

Becky Plattner closed the public hearing.

Becky Plattner asked for a roll call to vacate the portion of the road for Saline County's Common Road District. The votes are as follows:

- Becky Plattner: yes
- Monte Fenner: yes
- Stephanie Gooden: yes

Becky Plattner stated that they were all in favor and asked if there were any questions from the audience. There were no questions from the audience. Commissioner Plattner stated that since there were no questions, she asked that the record show that the Commission has vacated the said section of Norway Avenue.

Becky Plattner asked for a motion to adjourn. Monte Fenner made a motion to adjourn. Stephanie Gooden seconded. Motion carried 3-0-0.



 Becky Plattner
 Presiding Commissioner



 Monte Fenner
 Southern Commissioner



 Stephanie Gooden
 Northern Commissioner

Minutes Certified by:



 Brittni Allison Burton
 County Clerk

