

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2023
REGULAR MEETING OF THE CHOCTAW COUNTY COMMISSION**

ATTENDANCE: CHAIRMAN STURDIVANT, COMMISSIONER CHERRY, COMMISSIONER JACKSON, COMMISSIONER DOGGETT, COMMISSIONER MOSLEY, JESSICA HARE, JODY LINDSEY, DEE ANN CAMPBELL, CAROL GUY, ALICE CARLISLE, KAREN OWEN, VICKIE SHANKLES, RANDALL JACKSON, RONSHAY HORN, BRENDA SKINNER, MAYOR WARD, LEIGH ANN JENKINS, TROY JIMMERSON, JEFF MCKINNEY, LANCE JENKINS, LEE MCPHEARSON, BOBBY GRAHAM, ADRIAN LOCKETT AND SEE ATTACHED LISTING.

CHAIRMAN CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AND WELCOMED EVERYONE.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE WERE LED BY CHAIRMAN.

PUBLIC COMMENTS FROM CITIZENS:

- 1. TROY JIMMERSON**
- 2. RANDALL JACKSON**
- 3. BRENDA SKINNER**
- 4. ADRIAN LOCKETT**
- 5. LEIGH ANN JENKINS**

PUBLIC COMMENTS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS: NONE

CHAIRMAN CALLED THE ROLL. CHAIRMAN AND ALL COMMISSIONERS WERE PRESENT. A QUORUM WAS ESTABLISHED.

AWARDS AND PRESENTATIONS: NONE

MINUTES FROM THE DECEMBER 5, 2023 MEETING WERE READ.

MOTION BY COMMISSIONER JACKSON TO ACCEPT THE DECEMBER 5, 2023 MEETING MINUTES AS READ.

SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER DOGGETT.

MOTION CARRIED 3 TO 0. COMMISSIONER CHERRY ABSTAINED.

STAFF REPORTS:

SHERIFF'S REPORT: SHERIFF LOLLEY-ABSENT.

EMA/AIRPORT REPORT: JODY LINDSEY-NO REPORT.

ENGINEER'S REPORT: JEFF MCKINNEY-

DISCUSSION ABOUT ACCEPTING BID ON COUNTY ROAD 1. (Project # CCP-12-01-24)

MOTION BY COMMISSIONER JACKSON TO ACCEPT THE BID FROM S T BUNN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC. FOR COUNTY ROAD 1 (PROJECT # CCP-12-01-24) (SEE ATTACHED)

SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER CHERRY.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

DISCUSSION ABOUT BIDS FOR DISPOSAL OF 5 2023 TRI-AXLE KENWORTHS. (SEE ATTACHED)

MOTION BY COMMISSIONER CHERRY TO ACCEPT THE BID FROM DEANCO AUCTIONEERS FOR THE DISPOSAL OF 5 2023 TRI-AXLE KENWORTHS.

SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER JACKSON.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

DISCUSSION ABOUT ANNUAL 2024 MAINTENANCE BIDS. (SEE ATTACHED)

MOTION BY COMMISSIONER CHERRY TO ACCEPT THE COUNTY ENGINEER'S RECOMMENDATION ON ANNUAL 2024 MAINTENANCE BIDS.

SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER JACKSON.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

TREASURER'S REPORT: JESSICA HARE-

DISCUSSION ABOUT IAC MEETING ON JANUARY 11, 2024.

MOTION BY COMMISSIONER CHERRY TO APPROVE ATTENDANCE OF COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR AT THE IAC MEETING ON JANUARY 11, 2024.

SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER JACKSON.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT/CHAMBER: DEE ANN CAMPBELL-NO REPORT.

LANDFILL REPORT: TERRY TYSON-ABSENT.

ATTORNEY'S REPORT: LEE MCPHEARSON-

DISCUSSION ABOUT OPIOID FUNDS.

NEW BUSINESS:

LOUIS CARDINAL-THORTON FARISH (INFRASTRUCTURE BANK)

DISCUSSION ABOUT ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE APPLICATION FOR JASPER CARNEY GROCERY, LLC.

**MOTION BY COMMISSIONER JACKSON TO APPROVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE APPLICATION FOR JASPER CARNEY GROCERY, LLC. (SEE ATTACHED)
SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER CHERRY.
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

DISCUSSION ABOUT ABSENTEE ELECTION MANAGER OFFICE LOCATION.

**MOTION BY COMMISSIONER DOGGETT TO APPROVE THE OLD COMMISSION OFFICE AS THE ABSENTEE ELECTION MANAGER OFFICE LOCATION.
SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER MOSLEY.
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

DISCUSSION ABOUT HOLIDAY SCHEDULE FOR COURTHOUSE AND COMMISSION MEETINGS.

**MOTION BY COMMISSIONER CHERRY TO APPROVE CLOSING THE COURTHOUSE ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 25, AND TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2023 FOR CHRISTMAS AND MONDAY, JANUARY 1, 2024 FOR NEW YEAR'S.
SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER JACKSON.
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

**MOTION BY COMMISSIONER CHERRY TO MOVE COMMISSION MEETINGS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY TO WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2024 AND WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 2024.
SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER DOGGETT.
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

OLD BUSINESS: NONE

DISCUSSION ITEMS BY COMMISSIONERS: ATRIP 2 PROJECTS.

**MOTION BY COMMISSIONER MOSLEY TO ADJOURN.
SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER CHERRY.
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

JASON B. STURDIVANT, CHAIRMAN

TONY CHERRY, DISTRICT 1

VICTOR JACKSON, SR., DISTRICT 2

GARY DOGGETT, DISTRICT 3

HORACE MOSLEY, DISTRICT 4