GREENWOOD COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING SEPTEMBER 19TH, 2022

Vice Chairman Ben Fox called the regular meeting of the Greenwood County Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. Other members present were Robert Morgan, Paul Hodge, County Counselor Paul Dean and Deputy County Clerk Deann McCaffree. Commissioners Ballard and Spradlin were not present.

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Hodge moved to approve September 12th, 2022 Minutes, as written. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Road and Bridge Report:

- Crews have been working on 240th Road, to smooth it out.
- Due to a difficulty to obtain culverts, Darrel is looking to purchase steel pipe in the future.
- · Crews are currently out mowing.
- Once Virgil Bridge is completed, Darrel has plans to start repair on State Street.
- Christian Hills Bridge is slated for completion in November, 2022.

Fox moved to approve the 2023 budget for Greenwood County. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Commissioner Morgan moved to approve payables in the amount of \$564,762.06. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Hodge moved to approve payroll in the amount of \$128,179.62. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Hodge moved to approve special payables in the amount of \$407.68. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Deb Brinegar with the American Red Cross attended the meeting to discuss statistics regarding the services that the American Red Cross offers.

Morgan moved to approve an employee verification for Amy Mead for the Motor Vehicle position in the Treasurer's office, at a full-time pay-rate of \$13.25 per hour. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Maintenance Supervisor Greg Rawlings informed commissioners that the windows have arrived for the new window installation in the courthouse. Installation is slated to begin by the middle of next week.

County counselor Paul Dean inquired about carpet replacement for the magistrate court. Dean noted the carpet is becoming a safety hazard. Rawlings is slated to look into the matter.

Fox moved to approve a ten-minute executive session to include Under Sheriff Randy Cox to discuss legal matters. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 3-0. Meeting reconvened at 9:44 a.m. No decisions were made.

Hodge moved to approve a ten-minute executive session to discuss legal matters. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 3-0. Meeting reconvened at 9:56. No decisions were made.

Fox moved to adjourn at 9:58 a.m. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

The 2023 budget hearing was held following the meeting. There were no Greenwood County residents in attendance.

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ATTEST: Malla Folison County Clerk

Roy Ballard, Chairman

Ben Fox, Vice Chairman

Chuck Spradlin, Member

Paul Hodge, Member

Robert Joe Morgan, Member