

FAYETTE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Regular Meeting –February 4, 2025

BE IT REMEMBERED:

That the Fayette County Commissioners of Fayette County, State of Indiana, met in regular scheduled session on the above date at 2:00 P.M. with the following present: Commissioners Dale Strong, Dale Munson, and Tracie Bever, and Auditor Jane Downard and County Attorney Geoff Wesling of said County and State.

Commissioner Strong called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

MINUTES:

Commissioner Bever moved to approve the minutes of January 21st regular meeting, Commissioner Munson seconded the motion, motion carried 3-0.

DEPARTMENT HEADS:

911:

Kelly VanMeter presented a 144 to re-hire Calen Crumpton as a part-time dispatcher to work on an as-needed basis. Commissioner Munson moved to approve the 144 as presented, Commissioner Bever seconded the motion, motion carried 3-0.

HEALTH:

Matt Sherck presented quotes to upgrade the service window glass in the health department. He would like to use the quote from Scott Door Service. Commissioner Bever moved to approve the replacement of the safety window by Scott Door Service at a price of \$1,676.36, Commissioner Munson seconded the motion, motion carried 3-0.

Matt said that they are having a sports physical night February 5th and offering free sports physicals for students. March 15th they are partnering with MDWise for a Baby Shower event that would give help to expectant parents. They are continuing with the Lab services, and they are going to start Hepatitis and HIV testing.

Alvin Day resigned from the Preparedness position, and Matt will be advertising to fill that part-time grant-funded position.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Chris Gettinger said Darrell Dunaway retired at the end of January, and Darrell Cox and Morris Gulley will be retiring at the end of February.

SHERIFF:

Zac Jones said he is working with Councilman Patterson on the gate for between the jail and the jail annex.

He will be going to council this evening about hiring a contractor to do work in the Spillman system and would like to pay Jeff Griffin out of the commissary account. Zac is going to reach out to his attorney to be sure those funds can be used for that purpose.

AREA PLAN COMMISSION:

Bill MacDaniel shared that he now has five applicants for the building inspector position, and plans to hold interviews Wednesday, February 19th.

COUNTY ATTORNEY:

Geoff Wesling did not have anything for commissioners at this time.

COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE:

There was no council member present.

MAIL:

None

OLD BUSINESS:

A proposed Resolution 25-R-1 Resolution Concerning Certain Amendments and Corrections of Ordinance No. 25-02 Known as The Fayette County Solar Ordinance was presented. This resolution would give the Area Plan Commission authority to review the language of the solar ordinance and make suggested revisions. Commissioner Munson moved to approve Resolution 25-R-1, Commissioner Bever seconded the motion, motion carried 3-0.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commissioner Strong said he has had three requests for letters of support regarding rural broadband. Commissioners agreed to allow Commissioner Strong to write letters of support.

Commissioner Strong gave a reminder that we need to advertise the farm bids to be opened the March 4th meeting. He also advised that the Cemetery Board would be meeting tomorrow and would decide which cemeteries would be on the mowing bid for 2025.

PATRON CONCERNS:

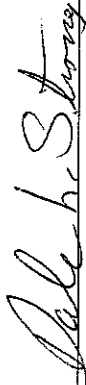
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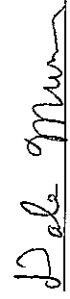
PAYROLL AND CLAIMS:

Commissioner Munson moved to approve claims and payroll as presented, seconded by Commissioner Bever, motion carried 3-0. Commissioners then signed all paperwork on camera.

ADJOURNMENT:

Commissioner Munson moved to adjourn, seconded by Commissioner Bever, motion carried 3-0. Meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.


Dale Strong, President


Dale Munson, Vice-President


Tracie Bever


Attest: Jane Downard, Auditor