Hamilton County Commissioner's Court

Regular Session

July 9, 2019

9:00 A.M.

Hamilton County Commissioner's Court met in regular session on Tuesday, July 9, 2019 at 9:00 A.M. with the following members present: County Judge Mark Tynes, Commissioners Johnny Wagner, Keith Allen Curry, Lloyd Huggins and Dickie Clary.

Tynes called the meeting to order and a quorum was established.

Wagner led the invocation and Tynes followed with the pledges.

Jimmie Craig and Eddie Rayco stood in the public comments stating that they support placing the 10 Commandments monument at the courthouse.

There were no line item transfers.

A motion was made by Huggins and seconded by Curry to approve the following consent agenda:

- A. Minutes of the 6-25-2019 Commissioner's Court meeting
- B. Approve departmental reports none submitted
- C. Approve bills submitted for payment \$76,347.70 Payroll in the amount of \$71,543.66
- D. Certificates of continuing education Wagner & Curry
- E. Application(s) for culvert installation none submitted

The motion carried unanimously. (Recorded in Commissioner's Court Papers Book 63 Page 629)

There was only one bank depository bid from MC Bank. Hamilton County Treasurer Shawna Dyer and Auditor Kent Reeves will be reviewing it. (Recorded in Commissioner's Court Papers Book 63 Page 646)

There was one Hamilton County Personnel Update – Dispatcher, John Beasley Communications Department, and effective 7-9-2019. (Recorded in Commissioner's Court Papers Book 63 Page 717)

Tynes stated that the restrooms on the second floor of the annex only have one stall each. He suggested putting two for convenience.

Huggins made the motion and Clary seconded for the use of the courthouse parking lot on September 1, 2019 from 7:00 AM-8:00 PM by the Hamilton Chamber of Commerce. (Recorded in Commissioner's Court Papers Book 63 Page 645)

A motion was made by Wagner and seconded by Curry to approve the bonds of Deputy County Clerk Leanne Jackson, Hamilton County Justice Clerk, Tuwana Quigg, Hamilton County Deputy Sheriff Rodney Howard Finch, and Reserve Hamilton County Deputy Sheriff Danny Watson.

A motion was made by Huggins and approved by Clary to declare the old equipment at the Sheriff's Office salvage to free up the space in the storage container. Recorded in Commissioner's Court Papers Book 63 Page 718)

Tynes stated that he would keep the 10 Commandments monument request on the agenda through the end of August so the citizens have an opportunity to address the court.

The court recessed at 9:10 A.M. for Tynes, Wagner, Curry, Clary, Huggins and contractors, Brad Boyd, Charlie Kearnes and GSC Construction to allow time for them to go on the courthouse roof to get professional opinions as to what to do about the repairs.

The court reconvened at 9:50 A.M.

It was agreed by the court that they needed to take time to think about and consider the options that have been offered in the matter of the courthouse roof repairs.

The court spoke on the budget but is still in deliberation. Tynes said that July 26th he would be submitting the proposed budget to the county clerk and the hearing on the proposed budget will be set for August 21, 2019.

There was no discussion on road and bridge workshop.

Tynes adjourned the court at 11:00 A.M.

Commissioner's Annual Road and Bridge Reports. (Recorded in Commissioner's Court Papers Book 63 Page 307)

County Judge

Attest: _____ County Clerk