THE COUNTY COMMISSION
OF
STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI
August 25, 2026

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COUNTY OF STONE |

Be it remembered that a session of the County Commission of Stone County was held in the courthouse at Galena, on August 25, 2026. Those in attendance today were Presiding Commissioner Gordon Weathers, Southern Commissioner Hank Smythe and Northern Commissioner Wayne Blades (absent).

10:00 AM

Presiding Commissioner Gordon Weathers opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Following the pledge Presiding Commissioner Gordon Weathers led the meeting in prayer. Those that were in attendance for the meeting in person were: Kelly Power; Sammie Thompson, Planning and Zoning Director; Mike Walker and Perry Snider, Hansen Tree Service; County Counsel William McCullah; Denise Dickens, Stone County Clerk and Amanda Parton, Stone County Clerk's Office.

Approval of Commission Minutes

The matter to approve the minutes for Stone County Commission meetings dated August 20, 2026, was brought to decision by a roll call vote: Weathers – yes; Smythe – yes; Blades – absent. Minutes ordered approved.

Stone County General Revenue and Road and Bridge Tax Levy Hearing

Stone County Clerk, Denise Dickens presented to the County Commission the proposed 2026 Stone County General Revenue tax levy of .0950 and the Stone County Road and Bridge tax levy of .0000. The matter to accept .0950 for General Revenue and .0000 for Road and Bridge Levy was brought to a decision by a roll call vote: Weathers – yes; Smythe – yes; Blades - absent. Matter accepted.

Sign Memorandum of Understanding Emergency Management and Hyper – Reach

The matter to sign the Memorandum of Understanding between Stone County Emergency Management and Hyper – Reach was brought to a decision by a roll call vote: Blades – absent; Smythe – yes; Weathers – yes.

Recess time: 10:15 AM

Announcements:

Public Time: Time was extended to anyone who wanted to speak to the commission at this time.

Adjournment: The adjournment of the Stone County Commission meeting was brought to decision by roll call vote: Blades – absent; Smythe-yes; Weathers – yes. Meeting adjourned at 12:00 PM