

THE COUNTY COMMISSION
OF
STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

August 29, 2023

STATE OF MISSOURI |
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 29, 2023. Those in attendance today were Presiding Commissioner Mark Maples, Southern Commissioner Hank Smythe and Northern Commissioner Wayne Blades.

Morning Session:

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM

Commission Work Session – General Discussion with no decisions.

10:00 AM

Presiding Commissioner Mark Maples and Southern Commissioner Hank Smythe opened the meeting with a pledge of allegiance, following the pledge Dan Reed with the Edgewater Community Chapel let the meeting in prayer. Those that were in attendance for the meeting were: Dan Reed, Edgewater Community Chapel; Harry Styron, Tim Mahoney, Howard Kitchen (Chairman Tany Co. Planning and Zoning), Big Cedar; Kyle Whittaker, MU Extension; LeDella Thomas, Stone County Developmental Disability Board; Burt Whaley; Joy Wilson and Sammie Thompson, Planning and Zoning; 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 24, 2023, was brought to decision by a roll call vote: Blades – yes Smythe – yes; Maples –yes. Minutes ordered approved.

Schedule of Bills - 1

Presiding Commissioner Mark Maples presented a schedule of bills that have been submitted to the County Commission from the County Clerk's office in the amount of \$172,769.24 The

matter to accept the bills for payment was brought to decision by a roll call vote: Blades -yes
Smythe – yes; Maples – yes Order to pay carried.

Disability Board Update

LeDella Thomas – Executive Director of the Stone County Developmental Disability Board came before the Commissioners to give an update on the various programs and projects happening within Stone County. Discussion Only.

University of MO Extension – introduction of Extension Education Specialist

Kyle Whittaker- MU Extension Engagement Specialist came before the Commissioners to introduce himself. Discussion Only.

Discuss Land Purchase

Attorney Harry Stryon, Tim Mahoney, and Howard Kitchen representing Big Cedar came before the Commission to discuss purchasing a resort in Stone County. Discussion Only.

Vacate a portion of Platted Street in Sto-Wil Addition

The Commissioners signed an order vacating the platted street in Sto -Wil Addition that was voted on July 6, 2023.

Recess time: 10:40 AM

Back In Session: 10:45 AM

Recess time: 11:08 AM

Public Time:

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

Announcement

Adjournment:

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