

THE COUNTY COMMISSION  
OF  
STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

October 18, 2022

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 October 18, 2022. 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**

Elected officials meeting. Presiding Commissioner Mark Maples and Denise Dickens opened the meeting with the pledge of allegiance to the flag, following the pledge Northern Commissioner Wayne Blades led the meeting in prayer. Those in attendance for the elected officials meeting were Earl Johnson, IT; Michelee Lebow, Circuit Court Clerk; David Wilson, Northern Road Commissioner; Thomas Martin, Emergency Management Director; Amy Larson, Recorder; Kristi Stephens, treasurer; Denise Dickens, County Clerk; Wendy Metcalf, Public Administrator; Jenni Nevatt, MU Extension. In the meeting there were several topics discussed which included the monthly review and discussion of the financials.

**10:00 AM**

Presiding Commissioner Mark Maples opened the meeting with the pledge of allegiance to the flag. Following the pledge Presiding Commissioner Mark Maples led the meeting in prayer. Those who were in attendance: Shawn Mayr, Connell Insurance; David Wilson, Northern Road Commissioner; Tom Martin, Emergency Management Director; Dustin Johnson, Jail Captain; Sheriff Doug Rader; Earl Johnson, IT Director; Ty Heslep; County Counsel William McCullah; Denise Dickens, Stone County Clerk; Peggy Griffith and Amanda Parton, Stone County Clerk's office.

### **Approval of Commission Minutes**

The matter to approve the minutes for Stone County Commission meetings dated October 13, 2022, was brought to decision by a roll call vote: Smythe – yes; Maples – yes; Blades – 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 \$5,876.84-. This matter to accept the bills for payment was brought to decision by a roll call vote: Smythe - yes; Maples – yes; Blades - yes. Order to pay carried.

### **Stronghold Data**

The Commissioners met with Jason Rinker- Stronghold Data about network security assessment. The Commissioners made the decision by roll call vote to sign the Stronghold Data contract, subject to negotiation of terms by William McCullah, County Counsel. The decision was brought to decision by roll call vote: Smythe - yes; Maples – yes; Blades - yes. matter carried.

### **Jail Inmate Meal Contract**

Sheriff Doug Rader spoke to the Commissioners about the inmate meal contract. County Counsel will be the point of contact for this matter. Discussion Only.

### **2022 Informal Amended Budget Hearing**

Discussed 2022 budget amendment, formal hearing date will be Tuesday October 20, 2022, at 10:00 AM.

### **Announcements**

#### **Recess: 10:40AM**

#### **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: Smythe – yes; Maples – yes; Blades – yes. Meeting adjourned at: 12:00 PM

