

THE COUNTY COMMISSION  
OF  
STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

December 5, 2024

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 December 5, 2024. Those in attendance today were Presiding Commissioner Mark Maples, Southern Commissioner Hank Smythe and Northern Commissioner Wayne Blades.

**Morning session**

**10:00 AM**

Presiding Commissioner Mark Maples and Sarah Perry opened the meeting with a pledge of allegiance. Those that were in attendance were Casey Chastain, Higginbotham; William McCullah, County Council; Sarah Perry and Amanda Parton, Stone County Clerk's Office.

**Approval of Commission Minutes**

The matter to approve the minutes for Stone County Commission meetings dated December 3, 2024, 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 \$64,377.93. This matter to accept the bills for payment was brought to a decision by a roll call vote: Smythe – yes; Blades - yes; Maples – yes. Order to pay carried.

**Schedule of Bills - 2**

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 \$374,874.86. This matter to accept the bills for payment was brought to a decision by a roll call vote: Smythe – yes; Blades - yes; Maples – yes. Order to pay carried.

**Higginbotham to discuss Property and Liability**

Casey Chastain with Higginbotham came before the Commission to discuss property and liability insurance renewals. Discussion only.

**Announcement****Public Time:**

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

**Recess Time:** 10:53 to Road and Bridge

**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 12:15 PM