

THE COUNTY COMMISSION  
OF  
STONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

December 30, 2025

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 30, 2025. Those in attendance today were Presiding Commissioner Gordon Weathers, Southern Commissioner Hank Smythe and Northern Commissioner Wayne Blades.

**10:00 AM**

Presiding Commissioner Gordon Weather opened the meeting with a pledge of allegiance. Following the pledge, Northern Commissioner Wayne Blades led the meeting in prayer. Those that were in attendance were: Alexander Wilkerson; David Cash; Kevin Wilson; Sammie Thompson, Planning and Zoning; Joy Wilson, Planning and Zoning Director; Ben Bonner; Carolyn Bonner; LeDella Thomas, Stone County Developmental Disability Board Executive Director; Laura Fehrenbach; Dawne Gardner; Cindy Hodges; 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 December 23, 2025, was brought to decision by a roll call vote: Weathers – yes; Smythe – yes; Blades – yes. Minutes ordered approved.

**Schedule of Bills - 1**

Presiding Commissioner Gordon Weathers presented a schedule of bills that have been submitted to the County Commission from the County Clerk's office in the amount of \$28,125.20. This matter to accept the bills for payment was brought to a decision by a roll call vote: Smythe – yes; Blades -yes; Weathers – yes. Order to pay carried.

**Schedule of Bills - 2**

Presiding Commissioner Gordon Weathers presented a schedule of bills that have been submitted to the County Commission from the County Clerk's office in the amount of \$148,231.19. This matter to accept the bills for payment was brought to a decision by a roll call vote: Smythe – yes; Blades -yes; Weathers – yes. Order to pay carried.

**Interview Board of Adjustment Applicants**

The Commission interviewed four (4) applicants, Kevin Wilson, David Cash, Alexander Wilkerson and Cindy Hodges for the Planning and Zoning Board of Adjustment board members for two open positions. Discussion Only.

**Interview Disability Board applicants and yearly update**

LeDella Thomas, Stone County Developmental Disability Board Executive Director came before the Commission to give their yearly update.

The Commission interviewed three (3) applicants, Dawne Gardner, Laura Fehrenbach, and Ben Bonner for the Disability Board open positions. Discussion Only.

**Public Time:**

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

**Announcements****Recess Time: 10:55 AM**

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