

LONG COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

REGULAR MEETING

JUNE 3, 2014

1. Meeting called to order by Chairman Robert Long with the following members present: Dwight Gordon, Willie Frank Thompson and Gerald Blocker.
2. Meeting led prayer by Mr. Gordon.
3. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to accept minutes. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
4. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Gordon and carried that we add to the agenda an item that was previously not on the agenda for the betterment of the county. (Road closures and amendments to the land development code). Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Thompson voted yea.
5. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to approve road closures for Running Boy Ln SE, Mrs. Roy Rd SE and abandon Hillis Road. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
6. Motion made by Mr. Gordon, seconded by Mr. Blocker and carried to approve amendments to Long County, City of Ludowici Land Development Code adopted the 4th day of November, 2008 Section 10.7 Wet Lands Protection pages 131-132, Maintenance of improvements 6.26.9 and amendment is concerning the roads page 87 section 6.19. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Thompson voted yea.
7. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried that we add to the agenda an item that was previously not on the agenda for the betterment of the county. (Diabetes awareness day). Mr. Long voted yea ad Mr. Gordon voted yea.
8. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to reappoint Earl Austin to the Long County Forestry Board for a five year term beginning July 1, 2014. Mr. Long voted yea and Gordon voted yea.

9. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Gordon and carried to approve the E-911 Addressing Ordinance for Long County. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Thompson voted yea
10. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to accept the bid from Parkers Mortuary Transport for body transport starting July1, 2014-June 30, 2015 in the amount of \$2,030.00. Browns put in a bid also. Mr. Long excuses his self from this item because of family ties. Mr. Gordon voted yea.
11. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Gordon and carried to adopt the continuing budget resolution for 2013-2014 pending the adoption of the 2014-2015 budget. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Thompson voted yea.
12. Motion made by Mr. Gordon, seconded by Mr. Blocker and carried to hire Michelle Robertson part-time at \$15.00 @ hour to work on the Land Development Code for 90 days. She will be working out of the Code Enforcement Office. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Thompson voted yea.
13. Motion made by Mr. Gordon, seconded by Mr. Blocker and carried to purchase a 420 E Backhoe for \$90,583.00 for the Road Department from Yancey/CAT. Mr. Thompson opposed the motion because I was not informed, Mr. Long voted yea.
14. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Gordon and carried to enter executive session for personnel and real estate. Mr. Long voted yea ad Mr. Thompson voted yea
15. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to exit executive session. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
16. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to table looking into the purchase of 6 acres for a larger animal shelter. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
17. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to pay the bills. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
18. Motion made by Mr. Gordon, seconded by Mr. Blocker and carried to adjourn. Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Thompson voted yea.

DISCUSSION

1. WALT PELTON: Mr. Pelton discussed about the Diabetes Community awareness for Long County.
2. WALT PELTON: Mr. Pelton discussed Vickers Hill Subdivision drainage and road problem. The residents want to know what action the board intends to do about this situation. Mr. Long stated we will be having a public hearing Monday June 9, 2014 at 6:00 pm at the Long County Courthouse.
3. PATRICIA JOHNSON: Mrs. Johnson discussed with the board about the last meeting I had with the board, Mr. Long stated the Secretary of State will be contacted about some issues in the Board of Elections Office. The election board and the election office need to work things out and work together. Mrs. Johnson stated that the law has been broken; I will do what I have to do.
4. KERRY HUNT: Mr. Hunt stated in the meeting he has the insurance proposal for the county ready.