

PUBLIC HEARING

AUGUST 4, 2015

1. Mr. Gordon opened the public hearing at 5:30 pm.

PRESENT:

Robert Long  
Dwight Long  
Gerald Blocker  
Clifton DeLoach  
Willie Frank Thompson  
Michelle Robertson  
John Bradley  
Mary Ann Odum  
Brandi Sollosi  
Robert Heffley  
Paul Robertson  
Robert Parker  
George Hendrix  
Walt Pelton  
Jimmy Smith

No oral or written comments

2. Mr. Gordon closed the Public Hearing at 6:00 pm

LONG COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

REGULAR MEETING

AUGUST 4, 2015

1. Meeting called to order by Chairman Dwight Gordon with the following members present: Clifton DeLoach, Robert Long, Gerald Blocker and Willie Frank Thompson.
2. Meeting led in prayer by Mr. Long.
3. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to accept minutes for July, 2015. Mr. Gordon voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. Long voted yea.
4. Motion made by Mr. Long, seconded by Mr. Blocker and carried to accept the 60 day extension for the EMS Contract with Excelsior Ambulance Service. Mr. Gordon voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. DeLoach voted yea.
5. Motion made by Mr. DeLoach, seconded by Mr. Blocker and carried to accept the highest bid from Pa Tricia Smith-Johnson for a used 1998 317-A mobile home in the amount of \$2,500.00 Mr. Gordon voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. Long voted yea.
6. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to accept the highest bid from Wayne Blocker for a used 1999 Fleet Wood 14x48 mobile home in the amount of \$4,650.00. Mr. Long voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
7. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to hire Gary Fairchild as part-time fireman for the Long County Fire Department effective 7-27-15. Mr. Long and Mr. Thompson opposed this motion.
8. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to hire Waldo Williams as full-time truck driver for the Long County Road Department effective 7-27-15. Mr. Long and Mr. Thompson opposed this motion.
9. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to accept the Off Road Ordinance as the 1<sup>st</sup> reading. Mr. Long voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.

10. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to re-appoint Willie Frank Thompson to the Coastal Work Force Board. Mr. Long voted yea, Mr. Gordon voted yea and Mr. Thompson voted yea.
11. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to accept and adopt the Animal Control Ordinance. Mr. Gordon voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. Long voted yea.
12. Motion made by Mr. DeLoach, seconded by Mr. Blocker and carried to enter executive session for personnel. Mr. Long voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
13. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to exit executive session. Mr. Long voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
14. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to pay bills. Mr. Thompson voted yea, Mr. Long voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
15. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to pay bills. Mr. Long voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.

#### DISCUSSION

1. Acting Fire Chief Shawn Smith presented the Heroism award to Cayden Clay-Curtiss Leggett; his mother accepted the award on his behalf. The fire dept. gave him a game.
2. Mrs. Johnson discussed about recycling for Long County. Mr. Gordon replied funds are not available at this time to set up recycling. On the board of election your term ended and the board appointed another person to serve.
3. Mr. Walton Pelton discussed about "DIABETES AWARENESS DAY" which will be November 14, 2015. I will draw up a resolution and present at the next meeting for approval and adoption.

LONG COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

SPECIAL MEETING

AUGUST 28, 2015

1. Meeting called to order by Chairman Dwight Gordon with the following members present: Clifton DeLoach, Gerald Blocker, Robert Long and Willie Frank Thompson.
2. Meeting led in prayer by Mr. Long.
3. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. DeLoach and carried to enter executive session for personnel matters. Mr. Long voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
4. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to exit executive session. Mr. Long voted yea, Mr. Blocker voted yea and Mr. Gordon voted yea.
5. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Long and carried to hire a full-time Fire Chief for Long County. Mr. Gordon voted yea, Mr. Thompson voted yea and Mr. DeLoach voted nay.
6. Motion made by Mr. Long, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to hire Mark Deverger for the position full-time Fire Chief for Long County, effective August 31, 2015. The board agreed to authorize Mr. Gordon to negotiate salary and fringe benefits and report back to the board for their approval. Mr. Gordon voted yea, Mr. Blocker voted yea and Mr. DeLoach voted nay.
7. Motion made by Mr. Blocker, seconded by Mr. Thompson and carried to adjourn. Mr. Long voted yea, Mr. Gordon voted yea and Mr. DeLoach voted yea.