Commission Meeting 6.24.25 12th Day of the April Term Maysville, MO

Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll, East District Commissioner, Chet Owen and County Clerk, Melissa Meek. Absent West District Commissioner. Kyle White

Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll welcomed those in attendance and led all in prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance was then recited by all in attendance.

Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll made the motion to approve the minutes from the June 10th meeting and the agenda for today's meeting. East District Commissioner, Chet Owen made the second. All in favor. Motion carried.

A patron met with the Commission with an easement question. The Commission broke from their meeting to travel to the area to clarify the patron's question and make sure no work was being done in the right of way,

County Clerk, Melissa Meek discussed that her office, and other's were receiving a lot of calls concerning the tax freeze for seniors and a few concerning the valuation increase mandated by the STC. Valuations have not been increased over the years to keep up with the rising costs of land and homes thus causing the issues we face today.

County Clerk, Melissa Meek again reminded the group that all signatures were checked from the senior property tax petition that was presented recently. The issue of the Senior Tax Credit will go on the ballot in November. Right now it appears the base year will be the year the tax credit is voted on, but that is not for certain at this time.

At 11 a.m. the Garry McFee with Howe & Company met with the Commission to represent the bids from the 17th of June's bridge opening for BRO (39). Howe determined that all paperwork was submitted correctly and that Brookfield Box & Bridge were the low bidders. Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll made the motion to accept the bid from Brookfield Box & Bridge with East District Commissioner, Chet Owen making the second. All in favor, Carroll aye, Owen aye and White absent. Motion carried. The County currently has been awarded 6 BRO projects.

Road & Bridge Supervisor, Bill Gray met with the Commission to discuss work around the County, BRO projects, and work they will do this summer. The bridges currently being replaced are on schedule.

Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll and East District Commissioner, Chet Owen attended a meeting for the NW Commissioner's last week.

The Commission always welcomes the citizens of DeKalb County to attend their weekly meeting.

If you have an event you would like to hold at The DeKalb County Fairgrounds please contact County Clerk, Melissa Meek to ensure there are no scheduling conflicts, and that you have the correct insurance in place.

Attending today's meeting were Garry McFee and Abram Himer.

With no further business before the County Commission, they adjourned until July 1, 2025