

May 4, 2021
5th Day of The April Term
Maysville, MO

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

Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll welcomed Courthouse Staff and Elected Officials as they joined us for the opening prayer led by Kyle Carroll. The pledge was then said by all in attendance.

West District Commissioner, Kyle White made the motion to accept the agenda as presented. East District Commissioner, Chet Owen made the second. All in favor. Motion approved. East District Commissioner, Chet Owen made the motion to approve the minutes as presented. West District Commissioner, Kyle White made the second. All in favor. Motion carried.

The Commission had a conference call with Austin Hibler, MODOT where Austin presented results of the annual bridge inspections and discussed bridge condition's in detail.

Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll signed an amended document for the BRO project for finalization of payments to Decker Construction. Kyle also signed the quarterly reimbursement for the Assessor's Office that goes to the State Tax Commission.

County Clerk, Melissa Meek had a request from patrons in Buchanan County to hold a livestock show in August at the Fair Grounds due to the St Joseph Stockyards closing. The Commission approved at no cost and welcomes them to DeKalb County.

Kurt Thompson of Cameron called the Commission to discuss the County taking over Ridgeville Cemetery. The Cemetery is nearing the end of their funds and Kurt was inquiring about the County taking over maintenance of the Cemetery. The Commission advised there are no funds for cemetery maintenance, he was advised to pursue different options or consider co-oping with another cemetery for now.

Road & Bridge Supervisor, Bill Gray met with the Commission where they discussed the bridge inspections report from MODOT. The Commission complimented road & bridge on the good job they did on Fairmount Rd with lowering the tube.

The Commission advised that the 1st Rural School sign will be installed on May 18 at the old Garden Prairie School.

Sheriff Kasey Keesaman advised that the windshield in the deputy's vehicle has now been replaced. The Commission reviewed a letter that Kasey is composing address to Governor Parson's concerning the Federalization of Law Enforcement.

The Commission thanks Sheriff Kasey Keesaman and those that went to Jefferson City to represent DeKalb County in the Ceremony honoring fallen law enforcement. Sheriff Andrew Clark was among 8 law enforcement officers honored for dying in the line of duty in 2020 and was recognized during a ceremony featuring Lt. Governor Mike Kehoe and Attorney General Eric Schmidt,

County Clerk, Melissa Meek will draft an ad for part-time help at the road & bridge department to be placed in next week's paper.

East District Commissioner, Chet Owen had an extension meeting on May 3.

West District Commissioner, Kyle White had meetings with Region D and the Tri-County Health Dept.

The Commission advised they had a patron thank them for getting the tube fixed on Fairmount. .

West District Commissioner, Kyle White made the motion to adjourn with East District Commissioner, Chet Owen making the second. All in favor. Motion carried.

The next meeting of the Commission will be May 11, 2021 at 9 a.m.