

October 10, 2023
2nd Day of The October Term
Maysville, MO

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

Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll welcomed those in attendance and led all in prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance was then recited by all in attendance. There are many in our area with health issues. The County continues to keep them all in their prayers.

West District Commissioner, Kyle White made the motion to approve today's agenda and the minutes from the October 3, 2023, meeting with Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll making the second. All in favor, motion carried.

David Hindman representing the VFW met with the Commission to get some clarification on some documents he found concerning the County Arena. The Commission could be of no help and advised him to maybe seek some information from John Murphy.

Garry McFee of Howe & Company met with the Commission to give an update on our BRO projects and see if the County had anymore needs at this time from his company or himself. No date has been set by MODOT for any of the County's projects to begin.

DeKalb County Emergency Management toured the Cooper Nuclear Plant in Brownsville Nebraska. Also discussed was the grant for 2024.

Dan Hegeman with Evergy met with the Commission and discussed Evergy's new time-based rate transition.

Owen Watson with Engie called the Commission to discuss The Empire Prairie Wind Project. The Commission advised they will require a Road Use Agreement, ADLS (lighting), Administrative Fees of \$25,000 up front and \$5,000.00 a year for the life of the project in DeKalb County. It is not known what the project entails in DeKalb County or even when it will happen due to permitting and approvals from all state agencies, The Commission is only aware of plans in Polk and Sherman Township at this time. Owen will keep the County updated on the progression of the project.

Road & Bridge Supervisor, Bill Gray met with the Commission concerning brush, equipment and work being done around the County. Also discussed was a road in Camden Township that a patron had a concern with.

Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll attended a meeting at DDRJ (Daviess DeKalb Regional Jail) on Thursday October 5, 2023.

County Clerk, Melissa Meek presented sales tax reports for September and funds remain stable.

The last day to pay taxes in person for 2023 will be on Friday the 29th of December. Patrons are advised they can pay online or drop in the night box on the southside of the Courthouse after hours. As always, the last day to pay your real estate & personal property taxes is December 31 of every year.

With no other business before the Commission, Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll, made the motion to adjourn until October 17, 2023. West District Commissioner, Kyle White, made the second to adjourn. All in favor, motion carried.