

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

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 accept the agenda as presented with East District Commissioner, Chet Owen making the second. All in favor. Motion carried. Minutes from the February 18th meeting were presented with West District Commissioner, Kyle White making the motion to approve the minutes as presented with Presiding Commissioner, Kyle Carroll making the second. All in favor. Motion carried.

Sheriff Keesaman gave an update on his office and that he had attended the ACCD 911 meeting on February 24 in Cameron with West District Commissioner, Kyle White, Collector/Treasurer Jessica Lee and County Clerk, Melissa Meek. Kyle serves as the Vice Chair for the ACCD 911 District with Melissa serving as Secretary and Jessica serving as Treasurer. At yesterday's meeting it was announced that long time Chairman, ACCD 911 District George Fischer has retired from that position. The Commission would like to recognize George Fischer for his many years of service to the ACCD District. George was part of the original group that helped get the district started. The knowledge he takes with him cannot be replaced. The board has appointed him as a Historian for the ACCD 911 District. West District Commissioner, Kyle White was appointed the Chairman of the ACCD 911 District. Plans are currently being made to honor George for his many years of service to the ACCD 911 District and DeKalb County.

County Clerk, Melissa Meek advised absentee voting has begun today February 25 and will continue until April 7th.

Stephanie Ayres and Pat Fisher Johnson from Country Harvest met with the Commission to ask permission to use the Courthouse Lawn for their event in the fall. The Commission granted their request and appreciate all that they do to make this a successful event each and every year.

Road & Bridge Supervisor, Bill Gray and Ben Routon met with the Commission to discuss brush, recycling and work being done around the County. The bid notice went to the paper for those that did not respond to brush letters. Those bids will be opened up on March 18. If your name appears in the paper and you get the brush removed before bids get accepted please contact the road & bridge department.

County Clerk, Melissa Meek advised the Commission of the process to complete the payoff of the building note and roof with Security National Bank. The process should be completed by May 1st.

East District Commissioner, Chet Owen discussed grants from MODOT and that he will attend a CAP meeting tonight.

The Commission will attend their annual CCAM meeting to be held at Lake of the Ozarks beginning tomorrow and running thru Friday February 28.

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.

Guests attending today's meeting were Stephanie Ayres and Pat Fisher Johnson.

With no further business before the County Commission, they adjourned until March 4, 2025.