

HENRY COUNTY COMMISSION
MARCH 21, 2024
11:00 A.M.

The Henry County Commission held its regular meeting on Thursday, March 21, 2024, at 11:00 a.m. The following members were in attendance: Chairman David Money and Commissioners Benton Beasley, John Ralph Saunders, Jason Hudspeth, Henry Grimsley and Gregory Reynolds.

After the Pledge of Allegiance, Invocation was given by Benton Beasley.

Chairman Money stated that all commissioners are present, we do have a quorum.

Public Comment from Citizens.

None.

Comment from other Elected Officials and Department Heads.

Chairman Money recognized Lieutenant Behringer, Rhonda Harrison, Matt Hatcher.

Awards and Presentations.

None.

Consent Agenda

Chairman Money requested a motion to approve the minutes of the February 15, 2024, regular commission meeting. Benton Beasley moved to approve the minutes of the February 15, 2024, regular commission meeting seconded by Henry Grimsley. Vote was unanimous.

Scheduled Public Hearing

None.

New Business

Chairman Money requested action on purchase of Sanitation truck from Sansom equipment for \$321,749.00. Henry Grimsley moved to approve purchase of Sanitation truck from Sansom equipment for \$321,749.00 seconded by John Ralph Saunders. Vote was unanimous.

Chairman Money requested action to start process to abandon County Road 180. Jason Hudspeth moved to approve action to start process to abandon County Road 180 seconded by Gregory Reynolds. Vote was unanimous.

Chairman Money requested action to approve Resolution proclaiming April as Community College Month. Henry Grimsley moved to approve Resolution proclaiming April as Community College Month seconded by Jason Hudspeth. Vote was unanimous.

Chairman Money requested action to approve memorandum of understanding between Farley Nuclear Power Plant and Henry County Commission regarding IPAWS. Gregory Reynolds moved to approve memorandum of understanding between Farley Nuclear Power Plant and Henry County Commission regarding IPAWS seconded by Henry Grimsley. Vote was unanimous.

Chairman Money requested action to start process to abandon portion of County Road 257 lying west of County Road 99. John Ralph Saunders moved to approve action to start process to abandon portion of County Road 257 lying west of County Road 99 seconded by Benton Beasley. Vote was unanimous.

Old Business

None.

Reports from Staff

Chairman Money – See attached report.

Dawn Shirley, County Administrator – Expenditure line items we are watching are highlighted in monthly reports.

Chris Champion, Engineer –No formal report. Road Dept meeting today at 1:00.

Spence Danzey, County Attorney –none.

Rhonda Harrison, Economic Development Director – See attached report.

EMA – Last month I attended the Southeast REP. It was a good conference, and I appreciated the opportunity to attend.

Maintenance - HVAC computer has been installed and corrected in the courthouse. Generator testing will be 2:30 Friday.

Safety Director -See attached report.

Sanitation- See attached report.

Sheriff – See attached report read by Lt. Behringer.

Discussion items by Commissioners

Benton Beasley – Welcome all for coming today. It's been a wonderful meeting.

John Ralph Saunders – Echo Mr. Benton's sentiments. Thank all for being here.

Jason Hudspeth – We're working together and all is good. Thank all for the hard work.

Henry Grimsley – Good to see each and every one! Good reports from Chad and Chris.

Gregory Reynolds – Thank all for coming out today. Thank you, department heads. Good luck to all the candidates.

On a motion by Henry Grimsley seconded by Gregory Reynolds and a unanimous vote, the commission adjourned the meeting at 11:49 a.m.