



Christian County Commission

100 West Church St, Room 100
Ozark, Missouri 65721

Monday, March 18, 2019 January Term	Convene: 9:05 a.m.	Location: The Christian County Historic Courthouse
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Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived	Departed
Ralph Phillips	Presiding Commissioner	Absent		
Mike Robertson	Eastern Commissioner	Present	9:05 a.m.	11:29 a.m.
Hosea Bilyeu	Western Commissioner	Present	9:05 a.m.	11:29 a.m.
Krista Cronin	Executive Assistant	Present	9:05 a.m.	11:29 a.m.

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Attendees: Jacklyn Aldrich and Dana Comstock with Chadwick Public Schools

A quorum was established.

9:07 a.m.

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Eastern Commissioner Robertson moved to approve Christian County Commission's regular session agenda for today, March 18, 2019. Western Commissioner Bilyeu seconded the motion.

Aye: Robertson, Bilyeu. Nay: None. Absent: Phillips. Abstain: None.

9:10 a.m.

Attendees: Jacklyn Aldrich and Dana Comstock with Chadwick Public Schools, Rhonda Purvis

There are no minutes or financials to address.

9:15 a.m.

Attendees: Jacklyn Aldrich and Dana Comstock with Chadwick Public Schools, Rhonda Purvis

The Commission met with presenters from Chadwick Public Schools in regards to a Chadwick flyer trail grant. Ms. Aldrich had previously presented the agreement to Presiding Commissioner Phillips, and he had asked that Ms. Aldrich make the other Commissioners aware of the agreement. Discussion was held, and Eastern Commissioner Robertson moved to authorize the Presiding Commissioner to sign the documentation needed to move forward with the grant. Western Commissioner Bilyeu seconded the motion.

Aye: Robertson, Bilyeu. Nay: None. Absent: Phillips. Abstain: None.

9:45 a.m.

Attendees: Collector Ted Nichols

The Commission met with presenter Ted Nichols, Christian County Collector, in regards to a renewal of tax sale title search services. Mr. Nichols recommended renewal with Ozark Abstract and Title. Eastern Commissioner Robertson moved to approve the renewal of tax sale title search services to Ozark Abstract and Title for 2019. Western Commissioner Bilyeu seconded the motion.

Aye: Robertson, Bilyeu. Nay: None. Absent: Phillips. Abstain: None.

10:00 a.m.

Attendees: Zach Schopp and Lynn Wiewel with UNUM, Trevor Croley and Michelle Brown with Croley Insurance, Patricia Ramage

The Commission met with presenters from UNUM Insurance for an ancillary insurance update. Discussion was held. No action was taken.

11:00 a.m.

Attendees: Presiding Judge Laura Johnson

Eastern Commissioner Robertson moved to remove this item from the table (new criminal rules) and take it up. Western Commissioner Bilyeu seconded the motion.

Aye: Robertson, Bilyeu. Nay: None. Absent: Phillips. Abstain: None.

11:01 a.m.


Attendees: Presiding Judge Laura Johnson

The Commission met with presenter Judge Johnson regarding new criminal rules. Judge Johnson wanted the Commission to be aware of some new criminal rules from the Supreme Court that may take effect July 1, 2019 that would impact all counties. The new criminal rules are regarding indigent defendants, and would state that any indigent defendant cannot be required to pay for the cost of certain expenses, including GPS monitoring, drug testing, alcohol monitoring. These expenses would have to be paid for by the county. Judge Johnson also informed the Commissioners that along with these expenses, there may be another expense incurred by way of a new hire to perform the required risk assessments of each inmate. Discussion was held, and Judge Johnson agreed to assemble an estimate of the financial impact of the new criminal rules.

11:29 a.m.

Attendees: Presiding Judge Laura Johnson

The meeting was adjourned.



Date: 03-19-2019

Eastern Commissioner
Mike Robertson

_____ Absent _____

Date: _____

Presiding Commissioner
Ralph Phillips



Date: 3-19-19

Western Commissioner
Hosea Bilyeu