

## **Christian County Commission**

Notice is hereby given that the Christian County Commission met in regular session at:

The Historic Christian County Courthouse

100 W. Church Street, Room 100

Ozark, Missouri, 65721

## on October 21st, 2019 at 8:55 a.m. MEETING MINUTES

## Title Status Arrived Adjourned Attendee Name Hosea Bilyeu Western Commissioner Present 8:55 a.m. 11:15 a.m. 11:15 a.m. Ralph Phillips Presiding Commissioner Present 8:55 a.m. Present 11:15 a.m. Mike Robertson Eastern Commissioner 8:55 a.m. 11:15 a.m. Madi Hires Executive Administrative Assistant Present 8:55 a.m.

Attendees: Trevor Croley and Michelle Brown with Croley Insurance, Purchasing Agent Krista Raleigh, Human Resources Director Amber Bryant, Chelsey Sullins, Maintenance Supervisor Richard Teague, Assessor Danny Gray, Auditor Amy Dent, Captain Seiner, Captain Koch, Lieutenant Davis, Sheriff Brad Cole, Alicia Chaves, Anna Bunch

A quorum was established. Presiding Commissioner Phillips entertained a motion to approve all items listed on the consent agenda, which included approval of Christian County Commission's agenda for today, October 21st, 2019 as published, and Christian County Commission's regular session minutes from October 17th, 2019. There are no financials to address. Eastern Commissioner Robertson so moved. Western Commissioner Bilyeu seconded the motion.

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

The Commission met with presenters Trevor Croley and Michelle Brown from Croley Insurance for a Health Insurance review. A working document was presented for the Commission to view quotes received from the following carriers: Anthem BlueCross BlueShield, United Healthcare and Cigna. These quotes were compared with our current carrier Cox Health. Discussion was held. No action was taken.

The Commission met with presenter Human Resources Director Amber Bryant for her quarterly report. Ms. Bryant presented her quarterly report. Discussion was held. No action was taken.

The Commission met with presenter Maintenance Supervisor Richard Teague for his quarterly report. Mr. Teague presented his quarterly report. Discussion was held. No action was taken.

The Commission met with presenter Sheriff Brad Cole for his quarterly report. Sheriff Cole presented his quarterly report for the Jail, Patrol Division and Operations. Discussion was held. No action was taken.

The Commission met to discuss Prescription Drug Monitoring Programs (PDMP). Western Commissioner Bilyeu presented, as he had recently spoken with Cindy Bilyeu at the Christian County Health Department (CCHD). Currently Christian County does not have a PDMP in place and the CCHD does not have any plans to implement one, but noted that both Mercy and Cox Hospitals already had a monitoring program in place. Ms. Bunch from the Prosecuting Attorney's office noted that Missouri is the only state that doesn't have a statewide jurisdiction, that several counties are working with St. Louis County's plan. Ms. Bunch also stated that of the participating counties, their Health Departments are involved, but she didn't think they had to be. Discussion was held. The Commission agreed that more information is required prior to any further steps being made. No action was taken.

The Commission met with presenter Auditor Amy Dent for the presentation of Circuit Clerk Barb Stillings' 2019 Consolidated Courts Fund budget amendment. The amended budget will stay in the Commission chambers for 10 days prior to any action. No action was taken.

The Commission met to discuss LERF (Law Enforcement Restitution Fund) Board reimbursement for pretrial services fees accrued this year. Sheriff Brad Cole noted that he was unsure if pretrial services would be an expense covered by this board. Western Commissioner Bilyeu read from an email County Counselor Housley pertaining to this matter, and added that he personally felt these expenses could be related to law enforcement. As the Commission cannot directly request funds from the LERF Board, Western Commissioner Bilyeu will be reaching out to Judge Laura Johnson and Circuit Clerk Barb Stillings to discuss requesting funds. No action was taken.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 a.m.

Date: 10- 23-19

Hosea Bilyeu Western Commissioner Date: 10.24-2019

Ralph Phillips Presiding Commissioner Date: 10.24.2019

Mike Robertson Eastern Commissioner