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 the 21st day of February 2023, at 9:00 a.m.

Meeting Minutes

Attendees:

Presiding Commissioner, Lynn Morris
Eastern Commissioner, Bradley Jackson
Western Commissioner, Hosea Bilyeu
Commission Executive Assistant, Tammy Nuckolls
Maintenance Supervisor, Richard Teague
Resource Management Director, Todd Wiesehan
Human Resources Director, Amber Bryant

Sheriff, Brad Cole EMA Director, Phil Amtower Red Cross, Donna Glo e Red Cross, Stacy Burks Road Superintendent, Brent Young

A quorum was established at 9:00 am.

Presiding Commissioner Morris entertained a motion to approve the consent agenda, which includes approval of today's agenda, approval of regular session minutes from February 14th, 2023, and Closed meeting minutes from February 14th, 2023. The ARPA project update from the agenda is being removed today and will be moved to next Tuesday's agenda.

Presiding Commissioner Morris entertained a motion to approve the consent agenda as stated. Eastern Commissioner Jackson made the motion, Western Commissioner Bilyeu seconded the motion.

Aye: Presiding Commissioner Lynn Morris, Western Commissioner Bilyeu, Eastern Commissioner Bradley Jackson Motion passed.

The Commissioners met with presenter Sheriff Cole regarding Missouri's Highway Safety Program – MoDOT County Authorization Form. We participate in this every year. We normally get between 25,000 and 30,000 a year forwarded to us in grants that we request. This form is just an authorization and agreement by the county to participate in the Missouri Highway Safety Program and allows us to ask for those grants.

Presiding Commissioner Morris entertained a motion to approve this County Authorization. Western Commissioner Bilyeu made the motion, Eastern Commissioner Jackson seconded the motion.

Aye: Presiding Commissioner Lynn Morris, Western Commissioner Bilyeu, Eastern Commissioner Bradley Jackson Motion passed.

The Commissioners met with presenter Stacy Burks and Donna Gloe regarding the Red Cross update. The Red Cross serves communities across the country and right here in Christian County. One of the ways is that every single night, we serve home fires. We send our disaster action team to the families and give them immediate financial assistance. They can use the funding to pay for food, repairs, or whatever they need to begin those recovery processes. Our Home Fire Campaign provides free, 10-year Lithium-ion battery smoke alarms to anyone who requests them. We also offer free-of-charge resiliency and reconnection workshops

to our service members, veterans, and their families. We are also a blood bank; we provide over 40% of the nation's blood supply around the country. Less than 3% of the United States population gives blood.

The meeting adjourned at 9:38 am.

Western Commission Hosea Bilyeu

Presiding Commissioner Lynn Morris

Eastern Commissioner Bradley A. Jackson