



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 St. Room 100
 Ozark, Missouri, 65721
 on the **30th** day of **July 2024** at **9:00 a.m.**

MEETING MINUTES

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived	Adjourned
Hosea Bilyeu	Western Commissioner	Present	9:00 a.m.	9:46 a.m.
Bradley A. Jackson	Eastern Commissioner	Present	9:00 a.m.	9:46 a.m.
Lynn Morris	Presiding Commissioner	Present	9:00 a.m.	9:46 a.m.
Kayla Countryman	Commission Executive Assistant	Present	9:00 a.m.	9:46 a.m.
Madi Raines	Minutes Secretary	Present	9:00 a.m.	9:46 a.m.

Attendees: Auditor Amy Dent, County Clerk Paula Brumfield, Sheriff Brad Cole, Employee Services Director Amber Bryant, Highway Administrator Miranda Beadles, Alicia Chaves, Kim Hopkins-Will, Richard Teague, Mitchel Urner

Jillian Johnson with the Historic River District, Deputy Derek Hill with the Ozark Police Department, Danny Lambert

A quorum was established.

Items to be removed from the consent agenda:

Presiding Commissioner Morris entertained a motion to approve the consent agenda, which included Christian County Commission's agenda for today, July 30, 2024, as posted, and Christian County Commission's regular session minutes dated July 25, 2024. There are no financials to address. Eastern Commissioner Jackson so moved. Western Commissioner Bilyeu seconded the motion.

Aye: Bilyeu, Jackson, Morris. Nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None.

The Commission met with Sheriff Brad Cole for presentation of the Ozark School District's school resource deputy agreement. Sheriff Cole noted that this agreement is very similar to previous agreements the Commission has approved, with small differences in the rights and duties of the school district and the CCSO clearly spelled out. Discussion was held.

Presiding Commissioner Morris entertained a motion to approve the Ozark School District School Resource Deputy agreement as presented. . Western Commissioner Bilyeu so moved. Eastern Commissioner Jackson seconded the motion.

Aye: Bilyeu, Jackson, Morris. Nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None.

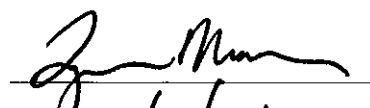
The Commission met with Employee Services Director Amber Bryant and Purchasing Manager Kim Hopkins-Will to discuss GPS tracking on County vehicles. Discussion was held, no action was taken.

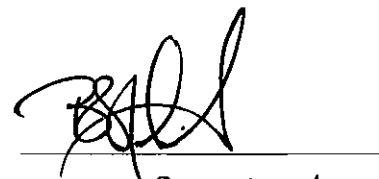
The Commission met with County Clerk Paula Brumfield to discuss a recent event conflict. This coming Saturday (August 3rd) is Absentee Saturday, and the Commission previously approved a special event permit with the Historic River District (HRD) to utilize County grounds on the same day. The largest conflict was figuring out a way to have part of the square open to allow voters access to the Historic Courthouse, as well as the election judges close parking so they can pickup voting equipment for next week's election. The HRD graciously amended their permit with the City of Ozark to help open S 2nd Avenue until at least noon on Saturday to allow for ample parking for voters and election judges. The new route for voters and election judges to enter the square on Saturday will be to exit N 3rd Street onto E Walnut Street (this street runs in front of the Circuit Court Building) then turn left on S 2nd Avenue. S 2nd Avenue runs along the east side of the square, which gives access to the Historic Courthouse's main entrance. As the square is one way, voters will follow S 2nd Avenue to exit the square as well. Eastern Commissioner Jackson noted that he would be on-call to help if any conflicts arise on the day of the event. Discussion was held, no action was taken.

The Commission had a brief discussion concerning communications.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:21 a.m.


Date: 8-1-2024
Hosea Bilyeu
Western Commissioner


Date: 8/1/24
Lynn Morris
Presiding Commissioner


Date: 8-1-2024
Bradley A. Jackson
Eastern Commissioner