

Commission Minutes January 16, 2024

The Board of Washington County Commission met in regular session on Tuesday, January 16, in the commission room at the Washington County Courthouse. Members present were Scott Zabokrtsky, 1st District Commissioner, David Willbrant, 2nd District Commissioner, and Raleigh Ordoyne, 3rd District Commissioner, Diana L Svanda, County Clerk to recorded minutes, and Cynthia Scheer, WCN

David called the meeting to order at 8:15 AM followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Consent Agenda:

Payroll change notice

Resignation from Wanda Backstrom

Resolution 04-2024 Emergency Disaster Proclamation

David Willbrant made the motion to approve the consent agenda, Scott Zabokrtsky seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried.

Denae Jueneman, County Treasurer reported on a escrow program that will be implemented soon. David Willbrant made the motion to go into executive session for fifteen minutes under non-elected personnel to discuss employee performance, Scott Zabokrtsky seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried.

Jimmy Workeman, Road & Bridge wanted to Thank all the farmers for there help with digging out blades and opening roads. Jimmy reported they had distress calls from people that had no electricity and needed help. Jimmy also reported their fuel pumps were frozen, so they were getting fuel elsewhere, they only had 5 operating grades for the weekend. Raleigh reported he had received complaints that the State had not cleaned Hwy 148, but then he also received Thank you' s for the County stepping up and cleaning Hwy 148. The Commissioners Thank Jimmy and his crew for all their hard work this past week and weekend.

James Yungeberg, Environmental Science Director reported they have settled with the Insurance company for the damage to their trailer. James turned in the 2024 Management plan for the State, also the Weed eradication Report for 2024. One year permits for Trash Hauling Parrack Trash, Salina Septic, Temps Disposal, Durflinger Disposal, Jones Trash Service. James also reported that a couple of their garage doors need to be replaced and wondered if there was any COVID money available for the purchase.

Cynthia Scheer, WCN asked the commissioners what they would do with the Next Era money they received, Raleigh told her that it would be spent on Emergency Services.

David Willbrant made the motion to adjourn at 10:24 AM, Scott Zabokrtsky seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried.

The next regular meeting will be Monday January 22, 2024.

Scott Zabokrtsky, Chairman 1st District

David Willbrant, 2nd District

Attest:

Diana L Svanda, County Clerk

Raleigh Ordoyne, 3rd District