Hamilton County Commissioner's Court

Regular Session

Tuesday, December 10, 2019

9:00 A.M.

Hamilton County Commissioner's Court met in regular session on Tuesday, December 10, 2019 at 9:00 A.M. with the following members present: County Judge Mark Tynes, Commissioners Johnny Wagner, Keith Allen Curry, Lloyd Huggins and Dickie Clary.

Tynes called the meeting to order and a quorum was established.

Wagner led the invocation and Tynes followed with the pledges.

There were no public comments.

There were no line item transfers.

A motion was made by Huggins and seconded by Clary to approve the following consent agenda:

- A. Minutes of the 11-26-2019 Commissioner's Court meeting
- B. Approval of all departmental reports submitted
- C. Approve bills submitted for payment \$118,933.14
- D. Certificates of continuing education none submitted
- E. Application(s) for culvert installation none submitted
- F. Building and use request none submitted

The motion carried unanimously. (Recorded in Commissioner's Court Papers Book 64 Page 786)

Tynes did mention to the court that he and his assistant were looking into the reason why the electricity bill for the annex is always around \$200.00 more than the electric bill at the courthouse.

There was no Hamilton County Personnel update.

Tynes told the court that Gary Sparks Construction was still working on the roof repairs and that he had also asked them to put in a bid for the repairs on the historic

Hamilton County Jail/Museum. They turned in a bid of \$34,860.00 which came in lower than the previous for bids.

A motion was made by Clary and seconded by Huggins to approve the bid in the amount of \$34,860.00 for the repairs to the historic jail/museum. The motion carried unanimously. County Clerk did not receive a copy of this bid.

There was no action taken on the Hamilton County burn ban.

A motion was made by Huggins and seconded by Curry to approve an agreement with Paladin Investigation and Security. This is for transports for emergency detention order transports at the rate of \$32.00 per hour and could also help on some inmate transports. The motion carries with a vote of 4 to 1. County Clerk did not receive a copy of this agreement.

County Treasurer Shawna Dyer gave the October Treasurers report stating that the total cash on hand was \$1,018,983.96 and total investments were \$1,664,673.98. (Recorded in Commissioner's Court Papers Book 64 Page 811)

The public hearing on renaming of the county roads on Precinct 3 will be held on December 17, 2019.

There was no update on the Hamilton County Subdivision Rules.

Richard Layne stood and spoke on agenda item # 16 pertaining to brush control along County Roads. He said that brush control was an annual precinct expense and we should not be taking money out of our funds for bridge replacement. He told the court that they had a contingency fund that they could use for this. He then told the court that they have done a good job in this county and that they had been a very active court. He thanked the court for the opportunity to speak.

After a brief discussion the court decided to leave this on the agenda for another time to give them time to speak on it.

Tynes let the court know that the next Commissioner's Court would be held Tuesday, December 17 at 9:00 A.M.

Tynes adjourned the court at 10:10 A.M.

Attest:			
	County Clerk		