

THE SHELBY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET ON MONDAY SEPTEMBER 13, 2021, AT 8:00 A.M. PRESENT WERE COMMISSIONERS NIGH, PARKER, ROSS, COUNTY ATTORNEY AND COUNTY AUDITOR

MINUTES:

MOTION TO APPROVE SEPTEMBER 7, 2021, MINUTES WAS MADE BY ROSS, SECONDED BY PARKER, APPROVED 3-0

HEALTH DEPARTMENT / OPEN BIDS / DEMO 3 HOUSES:

THE COMMISSIONERS OPENED BIDS FOR 2 OF THE 3 HOUSES, THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 9855 N 500 E, MORRISTOWN – THE OWNER IS TEARING IT DOWN, AND SHOULD BE STARTING IT TODAY.

1. 8234 W 950 N, FAIRLAND –
 - a. BEATY CONSTRUCTION - \$11,913.00
 - b. EDGE CONSTRUCTION, LLC - \$10,910.38
 - c. NASBY CONSTRUCTION - \$6,500.00
2. 5572 N CLOVER ELM DR, FAIRLAND –
 - a. BEATY CONSTRUCTION - \$16,669.00
 - b. EDGE CONSTRUCTION, LLC - \$13,109.63
 - c. NASBY CONSTRUCTION - \$12,500.00

AFTER ROBERT REVIEWED THE BIDS, ROBERT RECOMMENDED GOING WITH THE LOW BID FOR BOTH PROPERTIES. MOTION TO APPROVE NASBY CONSTRUCTION WAS MADE BY ROSS, SECONDED BY PARKER, APPROVED 3-0

911 DIRECTOR / NEW PHONE SERVICE ADMIN LINES:

JASON ADVISED THE ADMIN LINES IN DISPATCH HAVE BEEN DOWN A LOT OVER THE LAST 7 DAYS. WE USE THE SAME PROVIDER THAT WE USE FOR OUR 911 LINES. I'M ASKING PERMISSION TO SEEK TO FIND A NEW PROVIDER FOR OUR ADMIN LINES, BECAUSE IF AT&T GOES DOWN COMPLETELY, WE WILL HAVE NO PHONES AT ALL. WE ARE LOOKING INTO THE CONTRACT TO SEE HOW LONG IT IS. THESE LINES ARE VOICE OVER IP AND THE BOX THAT IS DOWN IN THE BASEMENT IS THE BOX THAT IS DOWN. THESE LINES GET THE CALLS IN FOR MEDICAL, FIRE AND POLICE ALARMS. MOTION TO APPROVE THE RESEARCH WAS MADE BY PARKER, SECONDED BY ROSS, APPROVED 3-0

FARM GROUND LEASE/ SHELBY MANOR & TINDALL FARMS:

MIKE MCCAIN WITH HAUK HILLS NOTIFIED THE COMMISSIONERS THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND THE FARM LEASE FOR 1 MORE YEAR. IN THE ORIGINAL CONTRACT THERE IS A CLAUSE THAT THE FARMER MAY CONTACT THE COMMISSIONERS TO EXTEND THE CONTRACT FOR 1 YEAR. MOTION TO APPROVE WAS MADE BY PARKER, SECONDED BY ROSS, APPROVED 3-0

SHERIFF:

N/A

CLAIMS:

PAYROLL – MOTION TO APPROVE PAYROLL WAS MADE BY PARKER, SECONDED BY ROSS, APPROVED 3-0

TRANSFERS/ADDITIONAL:

N/A

HIGHWAY:

ANDERSON ADVISED HE TALKED TO CHRIS KING AND THEY WILL BE STARTING ON MCGREGOR ROAD ON SEPTEMBER 27, 2021. ANDERSON ADVISED THEY WILL BE KEEPING THE ROAD OPEN SO PEOPLE WILL BE ABLE TO GET THRU BUT YOU MAY HAVE A WAIT. THIS WAS INFORMATION ONLY.

ANDERSON ALSO HAD A PROOF OF REVIEW AND CONTINUE FROM DLZ TO SIGN FOR THE NEW HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, HE ADVISED HE NEEDS APPROVAL ON THE DESIGN PHASE. MOTION TO APPROVE WAS MADE BY ROSS, SECONDED BY PARKER, APPROVED 3-0

MISCELLANEOUS:

RESOLUTION 2021-21 / MANDATE OF MASK:

ROBERT LEWIS PRESENTED THE COMMISSIONERS WITH A RESOLUTION TO MANDATE MASK IN ALL COUNTY BUILDINGS AND SHELBY COUNTY SCHOOLS. ROBERT ADVISED THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT IS TASK WITH CONTROLLING COMMUNICABLE DISEASES, DIRECT OBSERVATION THERAPY 7 DAYS A WEEK WHICH GOING OUT AND MAKING SURE PEOPLE ARE TAKING THEIR MEDICATIONS THAT HAVE HAZARDOUS DISEASES. IF WE COULD JUST GET PEOPLE TO ONE GET VACCINATED AND TWO WEAR A MASK, TO HELP THE SPREAD OF COVID. SO, THE HEALTH OFFICER AFTER TALKING TO THE HOSPITAL, SCHOOLS AND MANY OTHER PEOPLE ON THE HEALTH BOARD, IT HAS COME TO ASKING THE COMMISSIONERS TO ADOPT A RESOLUTION MANDATING MASK IN ALL COUNTY BUILDINGS AND SCHOOLS IN SHELBY COUNTY. THIS WOULD GO INTO EFFECT AT 8:00 A.M. ON TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 14, 2021. THE HEALTH BOARD IS VERY ADAMANT THIS NEEDS TO BE DONE. AT THIS TIME COMMISSIONER NIGH READ A RESOLUTION 2021-21. THIS WOULD EXPIRE ON SATURDAY OCTOBER 30, 2021. AT THIS TIME COMMISSIONER PARKER SAID HE IS HAVING A HARD TIME TELLING PEOPLE THEY HAVE TO DO SOMETHING; HE FEELS PEOPLE SHOULD HAVE A CHOICE. PARKER READ A QUOTE FROM THE GOVERNOR. "I BELIEVE THE VACCINE IS THE NUMBER ONE TOOL THAT WILL PROTECT S AND OUR LOVED ONES AGAINST COVID-19. IT IS THE TOOL THAT WILL END THE PANDEMIC. HOWEVER, I STRONGLY BELIEVE IT'S NOT THE STATE OR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S ROLE TO ISSUE A VACCINE MANDATE UPON CITIZENS AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES. THIS IS THE APPROACH OUR ADMINISTRATION HAS TAKEN ALL ALONG. THE ANNOUNCEMENT FROM PRESIDENT BIDEN IS A BRIDGE TOO FAR. PRIVATE BUSINESSES SHOULD BE ABLE TO LOOK AT THEIR OWN MISSION, THEIR STAFF AND THEIR GOALS AND MAKE THE DECISION BEST FOR THEM THAT WILL KEEP THEIR DOORS OPEN. I BELIEVE IT IS FUNDAMENTALLY A CITIZEN'S RIGHT TO CHOOSE WHETHER OR NOT TO GET THE VACCINE. WHILE I WISH EVERYONE WOULD GET THE

VACCINE, WE ARE A COUNTRY BUILT ON THIS EXACT TYPE OF FREEDOM.” ROBERT AGREES WITH THIS ON VACCINES BUT IT DOESN’T SAY ANYTHING ABOUT MASK. KYLE BARLOW SPOKE AND SAID NOT ALL SCHOOLS WANT THIS. COMMISSIONER ROSS SAID YOU MENTIONED AND IT WAS MENTIONED IN THE MEETING LAST WEDNESDAY – I’M LIKE PARKER, EVERYONE DIFFERS ON THIS THIS AND IT ALL COMES DOWN TO THE HOSPITAL, AND HE FEELS LIKE IT SHOULD BE LEFT UP TO THE SCHOOLS AND OTHER FACILITIES. THE BIGGER PLEA TO THE PUBLIC IS TO HELP OUT. COLIN GUNTLE SPOKE AND HE ADVISED HE SPOKE WITH MARY @ SHELBYVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOLS AND AGREES WE SHOULD BE CDC COMPLIANT HE BELIEVES WE SHOULD FOLLOW OUR HEALTH OFFICIALS. MOTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION 2021-21 WAS MADE BY NIGH, SECONDED BY PARKER, APPROVED 2-1 (PARKER)

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO COME BEFORE THE BOARD. A MOTION TO ADJOURN WAS MADE BY ROSS, SECONDED BY PARKER, APPROVED 3-0

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ATTEST:

AMY L. GLACKMAN

SHELBY COUNTY AUDITOR