

Ste. Genevieve County Commission Minutes

MONDAY, MARCH 13, 2023

21ST Day of the January Term. The Commission Met Pursuant to Adjournment. Present were Presiding Commissioner Randy Ruzicka, Associate Commissioners Karen Stuppy and Mark Marberry along with Deputy County Clerk, Michele Gatzemeyer.

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDING COMMISSIONER RUZICKA AT 8:00 A.M.

THE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING THAT WAS HELD ON 3/9/2023 WERE READ. COMMISSIONER STUPPY MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE SAID MINUTES AS PRESENTED. COMMISSIONER MARBERRY SECONDED THE MOTION. COMMISSIONER STUPPY YEA. COMMISSIONER MARBERRY YEA. ALL IN FAVOR. MOTION PASSED.

Commissioner Ruzicka reached out to 'Helitech' for additional estimate on repairs to basement. Appointment scheduled for Wednesday, 3/15/2023.

Estrella Carmona along with David Bova appeared before the Commission as it relates to updates regarding the Ste. Genevieve County Fair Board. Following are several updates that needed to be noted:

- *Spring for Down Syndrome Benefit to be held @ Ste. Genevieve County Fairgrounds beginning this year. Necessary paperwork being gathered for coordination of the same.
- *Spring for Down Syndrome Benefit to be held 2nd week in June.
- *4-H Subcommittee in operation. They work directly with the Fair Board.
- *Fencing on Fairgrounds – Issue that was discussed. As additional information becomes available; said detail to be determined. Commissioner Stuppy to review the same with the Ste. Genevieve County Fair Board.

The Commission reviewed SB161; Letters were composed and sent to Governor Parson, Senator O'Laughlin, Senator Gannon, and Commissioner Francis advising that the 'County' is not in support of said 'Bill'; this would generate a funding loss of approximately 8%. (Copies of letters composed attached to Commission Record Supplement for this Date.)

The Commission reviewed proposal sent by "Renodry", which is alternative method to 'remove moisture' from the Courthouse Basement. Commissioner Ruzicka also noted that Mr. Ryan Grass cleaned up 'phone lines' in basement; improvements being completed to provide necessary improvements to 'basement'.

Commission met with 'College Students' to work for R&B Department this summer. All applicable questions addressed.

'Thank You' Letter being forwarded to Martha Resinger, who resigned from the Ste. Genevieve County Fair Board. (Copy of letter attached to Commission Record Supplement for this Date.)

Mr. Scott Schmieder, R&B Foreman, appeared before the Commission to provide report for Commission Meeting. Following were the items reported:

*Mr. Schmieder noted that he is currently working on Avon & Coffman Roads. They are currently working on 'Avon' Road.

*Commissioner Marberry working on updating 'Road Policy'. Updated copy of 'Ste. Genevieve County Road Policy Specifications' to be provided upon completion of the same.

Scott Barley w/Barley Automotive contacted the Ste. Genevieve County Commission to review 'new pickup' that was ordered as was previously reviewed/discussed. Following were the items reported:

*Mr. Barley advised that 'Truck Availability' is scarce currently. 'Motion' had already been made for purchase of new 'pickup' for the R&B Department. HOWEVER, Mr. Barley was able to locate vehicle that will meet 'County' specifications.

*It was noted that 'vehicle available' includes 'snow plow' for said unit.

*Cost of '2023 Chevrolet ¾ Ton Pickup would be \$43,815.18; Pricing for 'Western' Snow Plow - \$10,451.00. "TOTAL COST" of 'All Equipment" - \$54,266.18.

*Upon close review of the detail provided; Commissioner Marberry made a 'Motion' to approve proceeding with the purchase of '2023 Chevrolet ¾ Ton Pickup along with 'Western' Snow Plow for 'invoice detail' to be separated for the snow plow. Commissioner Stuppy seconded the 'Motion'. Commissioner Marberry yea. Commissioner Stuppy yea. All in favor. Motion passed. (Copies of said paperwork to be forwarded to County upon completion of the same.)

Mr. Tim Robbs along with additional 'Chestnut Acres Subdivision' Residents appeared before the Commission for review of 'statutory requirements' that must be followed prior to any 'roads' being taken over by the Ste. Genevieve County Commission. Residents were advised that they would need to follow and abide by RSMo 228.020 as well as RSMo 228.030 and were provided 'copies' of the same. The Commission emphasized that it is their obligation to follow the 'law'.

Commission to conduct 'premises' visits relating to 'Signage' relating to Order Number 02162023. As additional information becomes available; said detail to be provided.

Commissioner Ruzicka contacted C&R Mechanical regarding Community Center Roof; information is still being forwarded. As soon as information is provided; detail will be given.

Additional Informational Meeting regarding '911' Sales Tax issue to be held on 3/23/2023 @ 7:00 P.M. at Bloomsdale Fire House.

Ste. Genevieve County to hold 'Sealed Bid Opening' for replacing 'FILL' under Franklin Bridge in St. Mary, MO due to recent flooding. Situation, as previously reported, is 'Emergency' in nature. 'Sealed Bid Opening' scheduled for Monday, March 20th, 2023 at 10:00 A.M. (Copy of 'Detail' surrounding said project attached to Commission Record Supplement for this Date.)

Sealed Bid Opening for 'Tearing Out Ditch Road/Misplay Road' Box Culvert(s) scheduled for Monday, April 3rd, 2023 @ 10:00 A.M. Advertisement placed in local newspaper. (Copy of said 'Advertisement' attached to Commission Record Supplement for this Date.)

Accounts Payable for Date 3/13/2023 in the amount of \$58,404.02 were reviewed and approved for payment by the Commission.

ADJOURN

A Motion was made by Commissioner Stuppy to adjourn @ 12:00 P.M. Commissioner Marberry seconded the Motion.

SUBMITTED BY:

APPROVED BY:

PRESIDING COMMISSIONER