

The DeKalb County Commission met in regular session on Tuesday November 24, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. in the DeKalb County Activities Building (Courthouse Annex). Those present were Ricky Harcrow, President, Scot Westbrook, Chris Kuykendall, and Dewitt Jackson.

The meeting was called to order by President Harcrow and Mr. Jackson delivered the invocation and Mr. Kuykendall lead the Pledge.

It was moved by Mr. Westbrook seconded by Mr. Kuykendall all members voting affirmatively, motion carrying to dispense with the reading of the minutes and to accept them as presented in written format.

Road Department

Road Maintenance Update--Mr. Broyles told the Commission that work continues in Deer Head Cove, and patching continues throughout the county.

Personnel--Mr. Broyles request the Commission hire Matthew McCue to fill the position vacated by Cody Elrod.

Mr. Westbrook made a motion to approve the request, with a second from Mr. Jackson, all members voting affirmatively, motion carried.

Engineering

CR 608 Road Vacation Hearing--Mr. Luther opened the floor to a hearing for the partial vacation of CR 608. There was no one to speak in opposition to this vacation. Mr. Luther request the Commission sign a resolution to vacate a portion of CR 608.

Mr. Kuykendall made a motion to approve the resolution, with a second from Mr. Westbrook, all members voting affirmatively, motion carried.

CR 196 Road Vacation--Mr. Luther stated that at a previous meeting the vacation of CR 196 had been discussed and it was decided at that time that no action would be taken to vacate the road. Mr. Luther stated that after talking with Mr. Westbrook, who had spoken with the residents on this road it was decided to proceed with the vacation of CR 196.

Mr. Westbrook made a motion to allow Mr. Luther to proceed with the vacation of CR 196, with a second from Mr. Kuykendall, all members voting affirmatively, motion carried.

CR 751 Speed Limit Resolution--Mr. Luther presented a request to set the speed limit on CR 751 to 35 mph.

Mr. Kuykendall made a motion to approve the resolution that would set the speed limit at 35 mph, with a second from Mr. Jackson, motion carried.

Revenue Commission

Personnel--Mrs. Rachel Davis request the Commission hire Norma Duarte to fill the position posted at the previous meeting.

Mr. Westbrook made a motion to approve the request, with a second from Mr. Jackson, all members voting affirmatively, motion carried.

Sheriff's Office

Personnel--Mr. Edmondson request the Commission accept the resignation of Samuel Young.

Mr. Jackson made a motion to accept the resignation, with a second from Mr. Westbrook, all members voting affirmatively, motion carried.

Mr. Edmondson request the Commission hire April Fortner as a PT LPN in the jail and Pricilla Padgett as a PT deputy to fill the position vacated by the death of Daniel Matthews.

Camera Repair Bid--Mr. Langley presented a bid to repair and update the current camera system at the jail. The low bid came from Ball Electrical. (Bid is on file in Commission Office)

Mr. Jackson made a motion to award the bid to Ball Electrical, with a second from Mr. Jackson, all members voting affirmatively, motion carried.

President Harcrow notified the audience that the next meeting would be on Tuesday, December 12, 2017. He asked for a motion to adjourn.

Mr. Jackson made a Motion to adjourn. The President declared no objections and ordered the meeting adjourned.

Ricky Harcrow, President

ABSENT

Shane Wootten, Commissioner District I

Scot Westbrook, Commissioner District II

Chris Kuykendall, Commissioner District III

Dewitt Jackson, Commissioner District IV