# THE OCTOBER TERM HELD ON THE 8<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER 2014

The County Commission convened at 9:05 a.m., pursuant to adjournment on December 2, 2014. Present: Dan Colbert-Presiding Commissioner, EuGene Galloway- Associate Commissioner District 1, Matt Bass-Associate Commissioner District 2, and Crystal Hall, County Clerk, the following proceedings were held:

Invocation given by Commissioner Bass.

### Highway Department: Bruce Wallace

- General maintenance issues were discussed.
- Discussed budget needs for 2015.
- The two new <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> ton Ford pickups purchased on the state contract were delivered by the dealership on Friday, December 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Asphalt work will be completed this week inside the salt storage building.
- The Fairview Church Road Bridge is open to traffic. Pace Construction is finalizing dirt work and rock.

## Maintenance Staff: Sam Clary & Randy Siebert

- General maintenance issues and work orders were discussed.
- Randy Siebert reported that the recent ICE inspection at the jail went well.
- Light fixtures are being converted at the Courthouse.
- Boland Plumbing completed backflow testing last week.

## Jerry Fox, Collector of Revenue

• Presented tax affidavits from November for the Commissioners to sign.

## **Unfinished/New Business**

- Casey Thompson expressed his interest in bidding for the vending services in all County buildings.
- Reviewed the Fixed Assets Policy. Commissioner Galloway asked to table discussion until he could review the document further.
- Erik Maninga, MODOT Area Engineer: discussed the bridge at Moscow Mills. MODOT concurs that they are the owners of the bridge. At this time, funding is not available to demolish the bridge. Maninga indicated an environmental study would be done to determine if it would be feasible to demolish the bridge. Maninga updated the Commission on the Highway U shoulder project which has been scaled back due to lack of funding. Phase 1 includes 4 foot shoulders from Highway 61 to Sand Run Road.

## Ministerial Activities/Road and County Property Inspection:

• Property Inspected: Fairview Church Road Bridge

There being no other business before County Commission at this time, the meeting thereupon was adjourned until Tuesday, December 9, 2014 at 9:00 a.m.

Crystal M. Hall County Clerk Daniel H. Colbert Presiding Commissioner

EuGene Galloway Associate Commissioner District I