

THE OCTOBER TERM HELD ON THE 8th DAY OF NOVEMBER 2021

The County Commission convened at 9:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment on November 2, 2021. Present: Joseph Kaimann, Presiding Commissioner, Mike Mueller, Associate Commissioner District 1, Matt Bass, Associate Commissioner District 2 and Mike Kreuger, Chief Deputy Clerk.

The following proceedings were held:

Invocation given by Commissioner Bass.

Eric Tapley, Highway Department

- Tapley presented his report on road maintenance and construction activities.
 - Crews are patching asphalt on Harmony Grove, Jacks, Walker, Taylor School, Hammett, and Ridge Roads.
 - Striping of newly paved roads is complete.
 - Culvert pipe replacement continues on Thornhill Cemetery and Duff School Road. Tapley is still waiting on a couple of pipes to be delivered to complete the work.
 - Crews continue to remove trees and haul rock to build up North Rock Church Road, north of Big Creek.
 - Widening work will begin on Cave Farm Road next week, weather permitting.
- Discussion was had about offering an annual boot allowance to the highway department employees.
- Commissioner Bass made a motion to renew the memorandum of understanding with the Missouri Department of Natural Resources concerning the nightly closure of the gates on Cheatham Road. Commissioner Mueller second. All ayes to carry the motion.

Maintenance Crew, Randy Siebert and Bryan Clary

- General maintenance items and work orders were discussed.
- Siebert reports that the repairs to the leaking window frame at the Justice Center have been completed.
- Clary is gathering information to replace the dishwasher at the jail that quit working over the weekend.

Chad Eggen, Boonslick Regional Planning Commission

- Eggen clarified the terms of the EDA Grant and the percentage of the expenditures that the grant covers.

New Business

- Rebecca Blackwell, Regional Director of the Judevine Center for Autism came to educate the commission on the mission of the Judevine Center and to explain the services provided by the center located in Elsberry.

There being no other business before the County Commission at this time, the meeting thereupon was adjourned until Tuesday, November 9, 2021, at 9:00 a.m.

Crystal M. Hall
County Clerk

Joseph Kaimann
Presiding Commissioner

Mike Mueller
Associate Commissioner District I

Matt Bass
Associate Commissioner District II