

MINUTES OF THE CLINTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

January 3, 2023

9:00 A.M.

The Clinton County Commissioners met for a regular meeting on January 3, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. at the Clinton County Courthouse, 125 Courthouse Square, Frankfort, IN 46041.

Auditor Britt Ostler called the meeting to order with the following members shown to be present or absent:

PRESENT

Jordan Brewer
Josh Uitts
Bert Weaver

ABSENT

Others in attendance were Commissioner Assistant Jerri Sexton, Rick Campbell, Grace Gouveia, Liz Stitzel, Rodney Wann, Rich Kelly, Britt Ostler, and others are shown to be present in the minutes. Commissioner's Assistant Jerri Sexton recorded the minutes.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Auditor Britt Ostler led the pledge of allegiance.

IN THE MATTER OF REORGANIZATION

Britt Ostler requested a nomination for president. Commissioner Uitts nominated Commissioner Jordan Brewer for president. Commissioner Weaver seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Commissioner Weaver motioned to nominate Commissioner Uitts for Vice President. Commissioner Brewer seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

IN THE MATTER OF PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comments were received.

IN THE MATTER OF HIGHWAY UPDATE

Rick Campbell reported they are still hauling stone, last week they installed a pipe and changed a tile across a road. Rick received another resume and will be interviewing this person on Wednesday at 1:00.

IN THE MATTER OF AREA PLAN UPDATE

Liz Stitzel reported the property in Antioch on the west side of the road has been sold to Carlos Garcia and she will be reaching out to him for plans and permits.

Liz stated that the house on Michigantown Blacktop is on their 90 day to get a bond, they don't yet have, however, she received an email that a licensed engineer had walked through the property, and had a few recommendations, and that should be the last step in the process to get the bond.

Liz stated that we need to be thinking about a county mower for the spring. Commissioner Uitts said he would reach out to the current mower to see if he wants to continue.

Commissioner Uitts stated there was a complaint in Jefferson on the corner of 450 west and old State Road 28 on the N-W side. Liz stated this has been a recurring violation and she would follow up.

Liz stated she had a complaint on the behavior of workers at the solar farm and she will be following up on it today.

Commissioner Brewer stated that there are funds budgeted in the property demo line for this year. Liz will be putting together an end of year report soon.

IN THE MATTER OF OLD BUSINESS

No old business to report.

IN THE MATTER OF NEW BUSINESS

No new business to report.

IN THE MATTER OF DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

No department head reports.

IN THE MATTER OF COMMISSIONER REPORTS

Commissioner Brewer reported they have received funds for the opioid settlement. The committee will be bringing recommendations at the next meeting.

IN THE MATTER OF CLAIMS

Commissioner Weaver motioned to approve the following claims as submitted, Commissioner Uitts seconded. Motion carried 3-0.


Friday claims dated December 30, 2022 in the amount of \$45,991.07
Bi-weekly claims dated January 3, 2023 in the amount of \$347,012.54

IN THE MATTER OF COMMISSIONER MINUTES

Commissioner Uitts motioned to approve regular meeting minutes dated December 29, 2022, seconded by Commissioner Weaver. Motion carried 3-0.

Without any further business to come before the Board of Commissioners, Commissioner Uitts motioned to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Commissioner Weaver at 9:09 a.m. Motion carried 3-0.


THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CLINTON COUNTY



Jordan Brewer, President



Josh Uitts



Bert Weaver

ATTEST:

Britt Ostler, Auditor