# **Benton County Commission August 26, 2019**

#### Convene

Presiding Commissioner Steve Daleske called the meeting of the Benton County Commission to order at 9:00 a.m. on August 26, 2019 at the Board Room. Attendance: David Malecki, Present: Glen Nelson, Present: Steve Daleske, Present.

#### **Approval of Prior Minutes**

District 2 Commissioner Glen Nelson made the motion to approve prior minutes dated 8/19/19, District 1 Commissioner David Malecki seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: David Malecki (Yes), Glen Nelson (Yes), and Steve Daleske (Yes).

#### Sheriff

Sheriff Eric Knox met with commissioners to discuss necessary repairs at the existing jail structure.

#### Road 2 Report

District 2 Commissioner Glen Nelson reported that cold mix asphalt projects will begin later this week, weather permitting.

## **Benton County Tourism**

Lynette Stokes, Suzie Brodersen, and Rick Renno met with commissioners on behalf of the Benton County Tourism & Retreation Corporation, to present an agreement that outlines the annual plan for collection and distribution of the transcient guest tax moneys. District 2 Commissioner Glen Nelson made the motion to adopt the agreement as submitted, District 1 Commissioner David Malecki seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: David Malecki (Yes), Glen Nelson (Yes), and Steve Daleske (Yes).

An ordinance was also presented that will replace the existing ordinance to allow a penalty if such tax is not paid in a timely manner as outlined in County Ordinance No. BE 2019-2. District 2 Commissioner Glen Nelson made the motion to adopt this ordinance as presented, District 1 Commissioner David Malecki seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: David Malecki (Yes), Glen Nelson (Yes), and Steve Daleske (Yes).

#### **Corporate Business Systems**

Andrew Gathright and Tyson Johns met with commissioners to present information concerning equipment and services offered by their company.

#### Gallagher Corporation

Allison Benney and Scott Whitehill, representatives of Gallagher Corporation, met with commissioners to discuss property and liability insurance benefits that are offered by their company.

#### **Treasurer and County Clerk Reports**

The treasurer presented his weekly financial report; the county clerk submitted bills for approval and payment.

### **Master Gardeners**

Commissioners noted that the Master Gardeners have been working on the flower garden at the courthouse, and commend these volunteers for their efforts, noting that they do a wonderful job in maintaining this area on the courthouse lawn.

#### Recorder

County Recorder Carla Brown met with the commission to discuss necessary computer systsem upgrades in that office.

# Adjournment

District 2 Commissioner Glen Nelson Ordered that the commission adjourn until 9/3/2019. David Malecki seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: David Malecki (Yes), Glen Nelson (Yes), Steve Daleske (Yes) Meeting adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

**Signatures** 

Steve Daleske, Presiding Commissioner