Minutes of the Perry County Board of Commissioners
Regular Meeting
4:00 p.m. – Thursday, October 7, 2021
County Board Room – Perry County Government Building

A regular meeting of the Perry County Board of Commissioners was convened at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 7, 2021 in the County Board Room at the Perry County Government Building in the City of Pinckneyville.

OPENING

Chairman Dallas Bigham called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was recited by those in attendance.

County Clerk Deputy Clerk Fallon Cole called the roll. The following members answered the call of the roll: Commissioner Bruce Morganstern, Commissioner Joe Folden and Chairman Dallas Bigham were present.

The following department heads were also present: State's Attorney David Searby, Treasure Jodi Koester, And Supervisor of Assessments John Batteau .

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Chairman Bigham - Before we approve the agenda, does anyone want to be added to Public Comments? Stanley Behma and Sylvester Behma asked to be added to public comments
Kevin Kern with Snedeker Risk Management on Cyber Protection, was tabled till Oct. 21 2021

Commissioner Folden moved the agenda for the meeting be approved. Chairman Bigham seconded the motion. On voice vote, the motion was approved.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chairman Bigham asked for the approval of the Board of Commissioners meeting minutes of the October 7 , 2021 regular meeting. Chairman Bigham called for corrections. There were none.

Commissioner Folden moved the minutes of the October 7 , 2021 regular meeting be approved. Chairman Bigham seconded the motion. On voice vote, the motion was approved.

1.RESOLUTION – Approve Raffle License's – Masonic Mitchell #85 Lodge

Chairman Bigham asked for a motion if there were no discussion . Commissiopner Folden made the motion , Chairman Bigham second the motion . On call all aye .

2. RESOLUTION- Approve Raffle License – Pinckneyville Shooting Sports

Chairman Bigham asked for a motion if there were no discussion . Commissioner Folden Made the motion Chairman Bigham second the motion , Roll call all Aye's
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3.RESOLUTION – APPROVE PERRY COUNTY HIGHWAY AND UNIT ROAD DISTRIC COTRACT LOCAL 77

Chairman Bigham asked for a motion if there were no discussions . Commissioner Folden made the motion Chairman Bigham second the motion , Roll call all Ayes .

4.RESOLUTION – APPROVE APPOINTMENT, PINCKNEYVILLE RURAL FIRE PROTECTION BOARD TODD KELLERMAN

Chairman Bigham asked for a motion if there is no discussion , Commissioner Folden

Made the motion, Commissioner Morganstern second the motion Chairman Bigham Asked for a roll call , All Ayes. 3-0-0

RESOLUTION – APPROVE RAFFLE LICENSES

DISCUSSION

PUBLIC COMMENTS
Stanley Behma commented on some sort of incident that happen on June 22,2021 Possibly involoving a Perry County Gov sheriff's deputy "It's a deputy question ; whether he's a deputy or not " said Behma . Iwas just wondering whether Brandon George was a deputy at that time. I would think that would be a question for the sheriff's department , said commissioner Morganstern I did , Behma replied. When I went there on the 23rd (Sheriff Steve Bareis) told me , with the all the layoffs and everything , I have not used him (Brandon George) in over a year. I went there on July 27th (Bareis) told me he was part time. You don't use somebody for a year, areyou part time are you part time or not , that's my question. Morganstern asked if there was a issue, to which Behma replied yes. "the sheriff it is his department " Morganstern said. But if you had a common practice to tell you one thing and then another Behma said. Commissioner Morganstern said he did not mind speaking to Sheriff Bareis about the incident. Forward
EXECUTIVE SESSION

PAYMENT OF CLAIMS

Board members examined claims presented for payment.

Commissioner Morganstern moved to approve the payment of bills when money becomes available and if their budget lines allow it and they are not over budget. And again, we are still running current at each board meeting paying bills.. Chairman Bigham seconded the motion. Chairman Bigham requested a roll call vote. Upon call of the roll, the following members voted aye: Commissioner Morganstern , Chairman Bigham. And Commissioner Folden The motion was approved on a vote of 3-0-0.

ADJOURNMENT OF COUNTY BOARD MEETING

There being no further business to come before the Board, the Chairman said he would entertain a motion to adjourn.

Commissioner Folden moved the Board adjourn and convene the next regular meeting on Thursday, October 21 20210

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Robert Kelly, County Clerk
Clerk of the Board of Commissioners
County of Perry, State of Illinois
Approved: October 15, 2020