

June 27, 2022

David Abbott	P
Don Adkins, Jr.	P
Donald Blansett	P
Matt Blansett	A
Joey Blevins, Jr.	P
Kenneth Cookston	P
Steve Franklin	P
Roger Grayson	P
Gene Hargis	P
Allen Kirk	P
Jim Nunley	P
Gary Reames	P
Mack Reeves	P
Kenneth Skiles	P
Peggy Thompson	P

The Marion County Board of Commissioners met in a regular called session on June 27, 2022. Chairman David Abbott called the meeting to order. Invocation was given by Commissioner Hargis. Roll call was taken by Jamie Rector, Deputy Clerk. Fourteen commissioners were present.

- 1) A motion was made by Commissioner Reeves and seconded by Commissioner Franklin to approve the minutes from the May 23, 2022 meeting. 14 voted aye.
- 2) At this time, County Mayor Jackson presented the Three Star Fiscal Confirmation Letter to the County Commission Board.
- 3) A motion was made by Commissioner Adkins and seconded by Commissioner Reeves to approve the Resolution to accept the Finance Committee's recommendation to set the Property Tax Delinquency Rate for 2022/2023 at 8%. 14 voted aye (which is attached).

- 4) A motion was made by Commissioner Hargis and seconded by Commissioner Grayson to approve the set Property Tax Rate for 2022/2023 at \$1.7603 (Richard City special school district inside rate at \$1.5948). 14 voted aye.

- 5) A motion was made by Commissioner D. Blansett and seconded by Commissioner Hargis to approve the Resolution making appropriations to Nonprofit, Charitable Organizations of Marion County, TN for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2022 and ending June 30, 2023. 14 voted aye (which are attached).

- 6) A motion was made by Commissioner Reeves and seconded by Commissioner Reames to approve the Budget Resolution for fiscal year 2022-2023. 14 voted aye (which is attached).

- 7) A motion was made by Commissioner Adkins and seconded by Commissioner Hargis to vote on the Resolution on Food City Pilot Program. 14 voted aye.

- 8) A motion was made by Commissioner Hargis and seconded by Commissioner Kirk to approve the Pilot Program Resolution for Food City. Reverse Roll Call Vote. 12 voted aye, 2 nay (Commissioner Blevins and Nunley) (which is attached).

- 9) A motion was made by Commissioner Skiles and seconded by Commissioner Cookston to accept the County Mayor's recommendation to appoint Charlie McEntyre to the 911 Board replacing Kay Roberts who stepped down. 14 voted aye.

- 10) A motion was made by Commissioner Hargis and seconded by Commissioner Grayson to accept the Bid of \$29,880.00 for Beaver Eradication from Bill Swan for one year with the stipulation that the County works with the property owners and trapper on a management system to remove the beaver dams once the beavers have been trapped. 11 voted aye, 2 voted nay (Franklin & Blevins), 1 abstained (Reeves), (which is attached).

- 11) A motion was made by Commissioner D. Blansett and seconded by Commissioner Grayson to approve the TDEC Non-Competitive Water Infrastructure Grant Program Resolution of \$3,934,922.55 in ARPA funding with Southeast TN Development District to perform grant administrative services for Monteagle, Kimball, Jasper and South Pittsburg. 14 voted aye (which is attached).
- 12) A motion was made by Commissioner Hargis and seconded by Commissioner Reeves to accept the County Mayor's recommendation to approve the Marion County Local Government budget amendments Fund 101 General fund totaling \$31,695.00, Fund 116 Solid Waste/Sanitation totaling \$3,300.00, Fund 122 Drug Control totaling \$60.00, Fund 156 Education Debt Service totaling \$1,400.00 and Fund 189 Other Capital Projects totaling \$495,093.10. 14 voted aye (which are attached).
- 13) A motion was made by Commissioner D. Blansett and seconded by Commissioner Cookston to approve the Marion County Board of Education budget amendment Fund 141 amendment #7 totaling \$75,045.00. 14 voted aye (which is attached).
- 14) A motion was made by Commissioner Grayson and seconded by Commissioner D. Blansett to approve the Marion County Highway Department budget amendment totaling \$17,348.00. 14 voted aye (which is attached).
- 15) A motion was made by Commissioner Hargis and seconded by Commissioner Cookston to approve the following notaries: Teresa G. Pace, Patricia L. Morris, Diane B. Massengale, Roger D. Dick, Michelle Moss, Sheila Grider, Karas Cowley, Cecietta A. Nunley, Larry E. Guess and Joyce Burkhalter. 14 voted aye.
- 16) A motion was made by Commissioner Grayson and seconded by Commissioner Cookston to adjourn. 14 voted aye.

Respectfully Submitted,
David Abbott, Chairman
Joanie Spangler, County Clerk

