

November 27, 2017

David Abbott	P
Don Adkins, Jr.	P
Donald Blansett	P
Matt Blansett	P
Joey Blevins, Jr.	P
Louin Campbell	P
Kenneth Cookston	P
Roger Grayson	P
Gene Hargis	P
Allen Kirk	P
Mack Reeves	P
Kenneth Skiles	P
Phillip Smith	P
Tommy Thompson	P
Glenn White	P

The Marion County Board of Commissioners met in a regular called session on November 27, 2017. Chairman Gene Hargis called the meeting to order. Invocation was given by Commissioner Thompson. Roll call was taken by Dwight Minter, County Clerk. Fifteen commissioners were present.

- 1) A motion was made by Commissioner Campbell and seconded by Commissioner Grayson to approve the minutes from the October 23, 2017 meeting. 15 voted aye.
- 2) A motion was made by Commissioner M. Blansett and seconded by Commissioner White to table the Sethra Victims Assistance Assessment Fee Resolution to next meeting. 15 voted aye.
- 3) A motion was made by Commissioner Abbott and seconded by Commissioner Reeves to accept the County Mayor's recommendation to approve the Resolution for Tennessee requesting that Marion County be Designated as a Broadband Ready Community (which is attached). 15 voted aye.
- 4) A motion was made by Commissioner Campbell and seconded by Commissioner Blevins to approve the Landfill Employee Lease Agreement Amendment (which is attached). 15 voted aye.
- 5) A motion was made by Commissioner Reeves and seconded by Commissioner Blevins to approve the Parkridge Inmate Healthcare Letter of Agreement (which is attached). 15 voted aye.
- 6) A motion was made by Commissioner Smith and seconded by Commissioner M. Blansett to approve the Refund of Property Tax Sale Purchase of Map/Parcel 047/021.02 to Gerald Sitz not to exceed \$5,750.00 and restore title back to Wiltel Communications (which is attached). 15 voted aye.
- 7) A motion was made by Commissioner Reeves and Seconded by Commissioner D. Blansett to approve the Change Order Number 2 of the Marion County Regional Institute of Higher Education (Chattanooga State) decreasing contract price by \$3,216.25 by using aluminum conductors when relocating the transformer (which is attached). 15 voted aye.
- 8) A motion was made by Commissioner Smith and seconded by Commissioner Skiles to approve the Change Order Number 3 of the Marion County Regional Institute of Higher Education (Chattanooga State) when excavating for water line, unsuitable soil will need to be replaced. Unit cost will be \$15.00 per cubic yard for an estimated area of 50'x70'x3.5' (which is attached) 15 voted aye.
- 9) A motion was made by Commissioner White and seconded by Commissioner Smith to approve the Delinquent Property Tax Sale Purchase Map 132A Group A Parcel 027.22 to John Mount for \$800.00 (which is attached). 15 voted aye.
- 10) A motion was made by Commissioner Grayson and seconded by Commissioner Skiles to approve the Delinquent Property Tax Sale Purchase Map 029 Parcel 029.01 to Robert Ball for \$1,200.00 (which is attached). 15 voted aye.

- 11) Discussion on 25 MPH Speed Limit Sign on Sherry Loop was tabled to next meeting.
- 12) Discussion on 25 MPH Speed Limit Sign on Betsy Jones Lane was tabled to next meeting.
- 13) A motion was made by Commissioner Campbell and seconded by Commissioner Grayson to accept the Mayor's recommendation to allow the Agriculture Committee to oversee the Farmer's Market. 15 voted aye.
- 14) A motion was made by Commissioner Reeves and seconded by Commissioner Cookston to approve Jim Hawk, Marion County Road Superintendent, to donate a Chainsaw to the Mullins Cove Fire Department. 15 voted aye.
- 15) A motion was made by Commissioner Reeves and seconded by Commissioner Grayson to approve not having a December County Commission Meeting due to the holiday schedule and will resume in January 2018. 15 voted aye.
- 16) A motion was made by Commissioner Reeves and seconded by Commissioner M. Blansett to approve the Marion County Budget Amendment General Fund of \$2,000.00 from Audit Services to Legal Services (which is attached). 15 voted aye.
- 17) A motion was made by Commissioner Reeves and seconded by Commissioner Skiles to approve the Marion County Highway Department Budget (which is attached). 15 voted aye.
- 18) A motion was made by Commissioner Kirk and seconded by Commissioner Blevins to approve the following notaries: Mindy J. Britt, Michael B. Burkhalter, Nathan J. Smith, John C. Williamson, Amber L. Hendon and Raymond A. Prestel. 15 voted aye.
- 19) A motion was made by Commissioner Thompson and seconded by Commissioner Grayson to accept Jim Hawk's, Marion County Road Superintendent, recommendation to sale the old iron Bridge on Ellis Cove Road as Surplus Property. Roll Call vote. 4 voted aye (D. Blansett, Kenny Cookston, Roger Grayson and Tommy Thompson) 11 voted nay.
- 20) A motion was made by Commissioner Campbell and seconded by Commissioner Grayson to Adjourn. 15 voted aye.



Respectfully Submitted,  
Gene Hargis, Chairman  
Dwight Minter, County Clerk