

County Commissioner's Record No. 29

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State of Illinois)
 Ss January 23, 2015
County of Union)

The Union County Board of Commissioners met for a regular meeting in the Union County Courthouse Community Room at 8:30 a.m. Chairman Richard Cunningham called the meeting to order and roll call was taken by County Clerk Terry Bartruff with Richard Cunningham, Danny Hartline, Bobby Toler, Dale Russell and Max Miller present.

A motion was made by Dale Russell and seconded by Max Miller to approve the January 9, 2015 Regular meeting minutes.

Chairman Richard Cunningham: All those in favor say aye opposed none. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Dale Russell and seconded by Max Miller to approve the January 9, 2015 Executive meeting minutes.

Chairman Richard Cunningham: All those in favor say aye opposed none. Motion carried.

Building Permits:

James R. & Susan Holderfield

05-15-03-225-L

A motion was made by Danny Hartline and seconded by Dale Russell to approve the building permits as presented.

Those voting yes:

Richard Cunningham

Dale Russell

Max Miller

Danny Hartline

Abstain:

Bobby Toler Jr.

County Treasurer Darren Bailey presented the county financial report.

A motion was made by Dale Russell and seconded by Bobby Toler Jr. to pass resolution 2015-3 Resolution Eliminating Requirement to Annually Reapply for Homestead Exemption.

Chairman Richard Cunningham: All those in favor say aye opposed none. Motion carried.

Deann Crown and Gail Johnson from Southern Pride addressed the commissioner concerning senior citizen tax money being given to other agencies instead of Sunshine Inn and Southern Pride.

It was decided that Commissioner Bobby Toler Jr. would meet with the Senior Citizen Advisory Board to try to work out a solution.

Nina Lofton and Jim Farris of the Union County Economic Development addressed the commissioners giving an explanation of why the group was created and what their goals were.

Cindy Cain from Southern Most Tourism gave a presentation and passed out brochures and a packet of information concerning the work that was being performed to help tourism in the county.

Committee Reports:

Richard Cunningham reported that 911 Nex-Gen went live on January 14, 2015. Union County was the second county in the state to go live with Nex-Gen 911.

Bobby Toler Jr. Reported that Shawnee Development was having a free tax preparation meeting.

Public Comments:

Tabitha Tripp asked if there had been any movement on the new committee on fracking.

Chairman Cunningham commented that nothing had taken place yet.

A motion was made by Max Miller and seconded by Danny Hartline to go into executive session to discuss pending litigation and labor negotiating matters.

Chairman Richard Cunningham: All those in favor say aye opposed none. Motion carried.

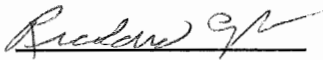
Time: 10:03 a.m.

Time returning to open meeting:

11:37 a.m.

The topic of county finances and taxes were discussed.

A motion was made by Danny Hartline and seconded by Bobby Toler Jr. to adjourn.



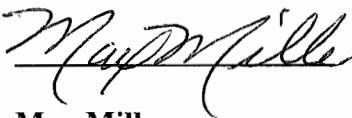
Richard Cunningham



Dale Russell



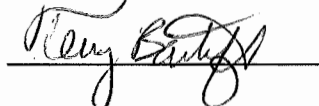
Danny Hartline



Max Miller



Bobby Toler Jr



Terry Bartruff