

Be It Remembered that the Greene County Council met in Regular Session on Monday, July 27, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. in the Commissioners' Room on the third floor of the Courthouse.

The meeting was called to order by Gregg Roudebush.

The Pledge of Allegiance opened the meeting.

Those present were Gregg Roudebush-in person, Jerry R. Frye-by telephone, D. Joe Huntington-in person, Jonas Uland-in person, Kelly Zimmerly-by telephone, Brent Murray-in person, Ronald Lehman-in person, and County Attorney Marvin Abshire-in person.

Re: Minutes

The minutes of the regular meeting held on June 22, 2020 were approved on a motion made by Brent Murray. Jonas Uland seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Joe Huntington aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: EMS Director – Additional Appropriation Request

Ron Lehman made a motion to advertise for an additional appropriation in the amount of \$62,131.55 out of the CARES Provider Relief Fund-EMS Fund as requested by the EMS Director Doug Hall in order to help pay for a possible shortfall of funds for EMS Department salaries. Jonas Uland seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: EMS Director – Non-emergency Vehicle Purchase

EMS Director Doug Hall asked the Council if he could use the EMS Equipment Purchase & Replacement Fund to purchase a non-emergency vehicle that he alone would use for an approximate cost of \$25,000.00 or less. The Council noted that the funds and appropriation were already in place for a vehicle within said fund, so no Council approval was needed. It was also noted that Mr. Hall would meet with the Ambulance Board to go over what is needed as well as the cost of such a vehicle.

Re: Greene County General Hospital Board of Trustees Appointments

Jonas Uland made a motion to appoint Cheryl Hamilton to serve on the Greene County General Hospital Board of Trustees until May 31, 2021. This appointment was needed due to the resignation of Rita Holtsclaw from the Board effective May 10, 2020. Brent Murray seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: County Recorder – Additional Appropriation Request

Brent Murray made a motion to advertise for an additional appropriation in the amount of \$1,250.00 out of the Recorder Perpetuation Fund as requested by the County Recorder Sarah Bander to help pay for a laptop computer to enable her to work remotely with Fidar. Ron Lehman seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: County Recorder – Additional Appropriation Request

Ron Lehman made a motion to advertise for an additional appropriation in the amount of \$10,000.00 out of the Recorder Perpetuation Fund as requested by the County Recorder Sarah Bander to pay for wages to finish the records review project her office has been working on. Jonas Uland seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: County Sheriff – Additional Appropriation Approval

Ron Lehman made a motion to approve the additional appropriation totaling \$7,581.47 out of the County General Fund as requested by County Sheriff Michael Hasler in order to recover certain

medical and prisoner meal costs within his department. Jonas Uland seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: County Sheriff – Additional Appropriation Request

Ron Lehman made a motion to advertise for an additional appropriation totaling \$15,910.78 out of the County General Fund as requested by County Sheriff Michael Hasler in order to recover certain medical, training, and equipment repair costs within his department. Jonas Uland seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: County Sheriff – Transfer of Funds Request

Ron Lehman made a motion to approve the transfer of funds in the amount of \$10,000.00 within the County General Fund as requested by County Sheriff Michael Hasler in order to pay for institutional supplies needed due to the effects of COVID-19. Brent Murray seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: County Sheriff – Additional Appropriation Request

Ron Lehman made a motion to advertise for an additional appropriation in the amount of \$34,603.00 out of the County General Fund as requested by County Sheriff Michael Hasler in order to pay Quality Correctional Care for services rendered for the remainder of the year. Brent Murray seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: Council – August Meetings

Jonas Uland made a motion to approve changing the regular August Council Meeting from Monday, August 31, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. to Monday, August 24, 2020 at noon. Included within the motion was the scheduling of Pre-budget Hearings to follow that Council Meeting, as was the case in 2019. Brent Murray seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Re: County Sheriff – Statewide 911 Trainee Request

County Sheriff Hasler asked the Council to consider hiring a Statewide Coordinator Trainee in the next few months in order to prepare a person to replace the present Coordinator Karen Oliphant, who is set to retire in April, 2021. The Council decided to have Sheriff Hasler work with County Attorney Marvin Abshire to develop a job description and pay rate for the requested position and have it ready for a future meeting so the Council can make an informed decision.

Re: 4-H Fair Report

Council Member Joe Huntington commended Malea Huffman for all her hard work in preparing and running the abbreviated version of Greene County 4-H Fair. He noted that state officials have seen its success and will use it as a model for other county fairs around the state.

There being no further business to come before the Council, Jonas Uland made a motion to adjourn. Ron Lehman seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Gregg Roudebush voted aye. Jerry Frye voted aye. Joe Huntington voted aye. Kelly Zimmerly voted aye. Ron Lehman voted aye. Brent Murray voted aye. Jonas Uland voted aye. Motion passed 7-0.

Jerry R. Frye

Ronald Lehman

Kelly Zimmerly

Brent Murray

Jonas Uland

Gregg Roudebush

D. Joe Huntington

Attest:

Matthew W. Baker, Auditor