

**BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE PERRY COUNTY COMMISSION MET** in its regular session on Tuesday, February 25, 2025, at 6:00 P.M. at the Albert Turner, Sr. Courthouse Annex in the commission courtroom. Presided by Chairman Albert F. Turner and Rev. Calvin Hunter, led the invocation. The roll was called to establish a quorum. District #1: Chairman, Albert F. Turner, Present; District #2: Anthony Long, Present; District #3: Thomas Brett Harrison Present; District #4: Barbara Howze, Present; and District #5: Vice Chairman, Carlton Lewis, Present. All Districts were Present.

**Adoption of the Agenda**

**Motion was made by Commissioner Long to adopt the agenda and Seconded by Commissioner Lewis. Motion carried.**

**Adoption of the Minutes**

**Commissioner Harrison** noted that action item D should say refer to action item C. regarding the None purchase of the storage building Correction from the previous minutes. **Motion was then made to adopt the minutes with corrections by Commissioner Harrison and Seconded by Commissioner Lewis. Motion carried.**

**ITEM #7: Committee Reports**

**Rules Committee:**

**-Parental Parenting Leave Policy**

**Action Items:**

**Motion was made by Commissioner Long to establish an eight week parental time period for Parental leave and bring the policy back for final passage. Motion was Seconded by Commissioner Howze. Motion Carried; one nay by Commissioner Harrison. .**

**Contract Committee:**

**Action Items:**

**-Motion was made by Commissioner Long that to accept 2 Freight line garbage trucks from Montgomery County and Seconded by Commissioner Lewis. Motion Carried**

**-Motion was made by Commissioner Lewis to have \$5,134.00 deducted from rental fees (Minority Trucking) and that commission transfer ownership of one Freight line truck to Uniontown for \$1. Motion was Seconded by Commissioner Long. Motion Carried.**

**-Motion was made by Commissioner Long to declare one freight line truck to be salvaged and sold for fair market value. Advertisement to be done after fair market value is determined. Motion was Seconded by Commissioner Lewis; Motion carried one Nay by Commissioner Harrison.**

**-Motion was made by Chairman Turner to move forward to award the Tahoe Bid to Reliable Chevrolet. Chairman Turner passed the gavel to Vice Chairman Lewis and motion was Seconded by Commissioner Howze. Roll Call vote: District 1- yea; District 2 Abstain; District 3 Nay; District 4 yea and District 5 Yea: Motion Carried. Commissioner Lewis passed the gavel back to Chairman Turner.**

**Budget Finance:**

**Action Items:**

**-Motion was made by Commissioner Harrison to give funding from the Discretionary fund for the following:**

Commissioner Lewis and Commissioner Howze to give \$750 to R.C. Hatch Boys and Girls Basketball team and

Albert Turner to give \$4,000.00 to Sewing Seeds of Hope. **Motion was Seconded by Commissioner Long. Motion Carried.**

**-Motion was made by Commissioner Lewis** to allow for Chairman Turner to negotiate on behalf of the county for a \$1.5-million-dollar loan from Citizen Trust Bank in Eutaw, Al. **Motion was Seconded by Commissioner Howze that Commissioner Turner will negotiate with Citizen Trust and bring the terms back to the Commissioner meeting. Motion passed One Nay by Commissioner Harrison.**

**-Motion was made by Commissioner Long** to pay ACCA for the Payroll Audit \$5,044.84, special bill and **Seconded by Commissioner Harrison. Motion Carried**

**ITEM #9: Clerk Report**

**Action Item:**

**-Motion was made by Commissioner Harrison** to hire Tadas Eirby full time with the Ambulance Services and to waive the six months probationary period **Motion was Seconded by Commissioner Long. Motion Carried**

**-Motion was made by Carlton Lewis to enter into executive session for 10 minutes for a legal matter. Motion was Seconded by Commissioner Howze. Motion Carried**

**-Motion to reconvene after executive session made by Brett Harrison, no action taken. seconded by Anthony Long. Motion Carried**

**Engineer Report:**

**Action Items:**

**-Motion was Made by Commissioner Long** to apply for a \$4,000.00 grant from the Forestry Commission **and Seconded by Commissioner Harrison. Motion Carried**

**-Motion was made by Commissioner Lewis** to contract with Shelby Posey of Posey's C and M. The Commission is to pay contractor Shelby Posey \$6,000 for labor and the county will be purchasing the material for \$5,000 to run the sewage line connecting to the Uniontown shelter. **Motion was Seconded by Commissioner Howze. Motion Carried.**

**-Motion made pursue legal action against City of Marion for waterlines on Green Hill, Cosby Hill, and Red Hill; Motion by Commissioner Long and Seconded Commissioner Lewis Motion Carried.**

**-Motion was made by Commissioner Long** to approve the claims **and Seconded by Commissioner Howze; Motion Carried ; one nay by Commissioner Harrison.**

**ITEM #11: Adjourn**

**-Motion was by Commissioner Lewis to adjourn the meeting. Meeting was adjourned.**