

Minutes of the Daviess County Commission
May 24, 2023

The Honorable Daviess County Commission met on this 24th day of May 2023 at 8:20 a.m. Jim Ruse, Presiding Commissioner, called the meeting to order. David Cox 1st District and Wayne Uthe 2nd District are present.

The Commission approved last week's minutes and invoices for payment.

James Lewis, Road & Bridge Supervisor, updated the Commission that the crew has been spraying brush in Monroe Township and plan to spray Sheridan Township next. The crew finished putting boards on bridges in Monroe and Jackson Townships.

The Commission plans to check on properties they have sent brush letters.

Rachel Taylor, County Clerk, informed the Commission that the County's standard audit will begin next week, and auditors are on the agenda next Wednesday. The auditors will be present at the Courthouse for the next two weeks.

Becky Simpson, MO Extension, met with the Commission to let them know one of her air conditioners had stopped working. The Commission approved a new air conditioner to be purchased and asked the Road and Bridge crew to install it.

Gary McFee, Howe Engineering, met with the Commission to discuss BRO 41 on Lilac. Construction on BRO 41 should start around late summer. Gary also let the Commission know that MoDot still has BRO 39, and the project is in limbo until MoDot moves the project to the next step.

Larry Adams, Sheriff, met with the Commission to inform them purchasing new Deputy vehicles will very likely be a priority by the end of the year. Issue continued.

At 12:00 pm the Commission and all Courthouse employees met on the lawn for a dedication to Norma Griffin, a long-time Daviess County resident, and dedicated employee to both the City of Gallatin and the County.

In the afternoon the Commissioners inspected roads, culverts, bridges, and brush in Colfax Township.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

Approved:

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Presiding Commissioner	1 st District Commissioner	2 nd District Commissioner

Attest:

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County Clerk	