

Minutes of the Daviess County Commission
December 31, 2024

The Honorable Daviess County Commission met on Tuesday, December 30th, 2024, at 8:00 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 and Bridge Supervisor updated the Commission on the projects they have been working on since last Wednesday. The crew has been working on blowing insulation in the attic of the shop.

OLD BUSINESS:

The Commission plans to review the electricity bill for the storage unit of the south property to determine if there is an issue. The Commission is also looking for someone to repair the roof on the south property.

BRIDGES:

NEW BUSINESS:

The County is implementing a new communication service through text messaging and emails. Anyone wanting to know County information such as emergencies, road and bridge, Courthouse closings, elections, assessment, and tax/collecting can sign up. Signing up to receive text messages is easy; just text 64640 to 888777. If people wish to receive emails they can create an account.

Snow removal for the south property was discussed. It was decided that the Health Department, the Sheriff’s office, and 3C Partners will split the cost of snow removal.

Marjorie Blackburn expressed interest in the Public Administrator position. David Cox made a motion to appoint Marjorie Blackburn as the Daviess County Public Administrator. Wayne Uthe seconded the motion. 3 – Aye, 0 – No. Motion passed.

Raymond Heldenbrand, Daviess County citizen called the Commission to discuss Senate Bill 190.

At 10:30 David Cox 1st District Commissioner and Wayne Uthe 2nd District Commissioner along with the other Elected Officials that were voted into office in November, met in the Court Room. Judge Dixon swore in the Daviess County Elected Officials for four-year terms.

Approved:

Presiding Commissioner

1st District Commissioner

2nd District Commissioner

Attest:

County Clerk

Date _____