McDonald County Commission Minutes

SEPTEMBER 30, 2009

The McDonald County Commission met with Presiding Commissioner, Larry Jones, & Western Commissioner, Ronald G. Walker present & Eastern Commissioner, Sam Gaskill absent.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Commission conducted General Business of the County.

Sheriff Evenson & Chief Deputy, Bud Gow, met with Commission to discuss the purchase of three Law Enforcement vehicles. These will replace one that was recently wrecked, one that has been unusable for a while & give one to the Sheriff for his use & to use as a back up in case any other department vehicles are out of commission. The purchase will be financed partly by the insurance payoff on the recently wrecked vehicle & a grant that the Sheriff has requested. Commissioner Jones made the motion to go forward with the purchase & Commissioner Walker seconded. The vote was unanimous.

Bob Corcoran updated the Commission on the plan to fix the wastewater problem at the jail. The quotes are coming in & the new system will be implemented this fall. Commission appreciated the information & the work Mr. Corcoran has done on the plan. It will save the county several thousand dollars.

Joe Stephens, local construction business owner, met with the Commission to discuss possibilities for the Gordon Hollow Bridge. The Commission were very interested in the information & will look into the suggestions.

Commission discussed bids that have been received for the purchase of a boom mower to replace the one that is not repairable. The bids were Victor L. Phillips... \$31,300. with Murphy Tractors bid at \$29,870. These are on state bids & have been formally requested by the county.

ADJOURN

Ordered that the Commission adjourn until 10/05/09.

COMMISSIONER'S SIGNATURES

Larry Jones	 	 	
Sam Gaskill	 		
Ronald G. Walker	 		