

# McDonald County Commission—Minutes

March 27, 2013

Present:

Keith Lindquist- Presiding Commissioner

John Bunch- Eastern Commissioner

David Holloway- Western Commissioner

Barbara Williams- County Clerk

## GENERAL BUSINESS

Commission had an open discussion on Commission procedures.

Commissioner Keith Lindquist opened an Office Holders meeting at 10:00.

Several areas of discussion followed including courthouse security, weather closing procedures & plans for direct deposit for all county employees, but a main topic of discussion was the reduction in the county taxes in the last month. The county tax revenue is down approximately 21% & Commission wanted to remind all elected officials that unless things turn around there could be a difficult year ahead. Meeting was closed at approximately 11:00.

David O'Connor, MODOT District Bridge Engineer & Mike Copley, Senior Construction Inspector, met with Commission to discuss county bridges.

Health Dept. Administrator, Paige Behm, met with the Commission to get approval on the purchase of equipment that will be fully funded by grants. Also discussed was the possibility of charging for food service inspections. Commission agreed to look into the issue & get back with Ms. Behm.

Brian Carver met with Commissioner Bunch concerning a yield sign on Split Log Rd.

Dianna Benson met with Commissioner Holloway to discuss some of her future building plans.

## ADJOURN

Commission will reconvene on April 1st, 2013

## SIGNATURES

Keith Lindquist absent

John Bunch John Bunch

David Holloway David Holloway