

07-16-2025 Minutes

McDonald County Commission—Minutes

July 16th, 2025

Present:

Bryan Hall - Presiding Commissioner
Jamey Cope - Eastern Commissioner
Rick Lett - Western Commissioner
Jessica Cole - County Clerk

General Business

Commission signed and approved accounts payable in the amount \$97,802.98

Commissioners had both the Sheriff and Emergency Management Director in office and discussed the need to look at getting more sirens that can reach more campground areas. After the recent tragedies in Texas it made them think how easy that could occur within our river areas. They discussed the possibility of more sirens in the Ginger Blue/Lanagan Area. There are mini grants that become available from the State of Missouri. Emergency Management Director stated he would look into applying for the grants.

A motion was made by Commissioner Rick Lett to renew the Certificate of Deposit for accounts C3 and CR at an interest rate of 4.12% for a term of six months. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Hall. After discussion, the motion was passed and approved by the commissioners.

Commissioners reviewed a draft of a potential organized cycling ordinance which would require organized groups of 25 or more participants to abide by regulations set forth by the Commission and submit a \$1000 permit fee along with a draft of county plans and safety guidelines. No motions were made however they are on track to making some positive impacts regarding this concern for County residents.

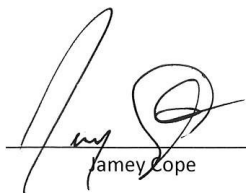
Commissioners enjoyed a live demonstration of the Translate Live software purchased for the Health Department.

Next on the agenda was a meeting discussing the PreTrial Release Program Administrator's agreement for services rendered for the 40th Circuit Court. After review Commissioners agreed to another year of supporting the PreTrial Release program to be reevaluated June 30, 2026.

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Commission will reconvene on July 21st, 2025

SIGNATURES



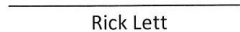
Jamey Cope

Approved



Bryan Hall

Monday July 21st, 2025



Rick Lett

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