

**BE IT REMEMBERED** that a Regular Session of the County Board of Commissioners of Johnson County was held in the Town of Mountain City, Tennessee, this the 20th day of March 2025 at 7:00 P.M., presiding Chairman of the County Commission, Freddy Phipps, Clifton Worley, Sheriff, Tammie C. Fenner, County Clerk and a quorum of County Commissioners to wit: Bill Adams, Eugene Campbell, Lester Dunn, Jerry Gentry, Jerry Grindstaff, Huey Long Jimmy Lowe, Megan McEwen, Gina Meade, Kody Norris, Cody Osborne, Freddy Phipps, Tommy Poor and Brian Taylor. Absent – Tracy Greer.

**Kevin Thomas spoke to the Commission concerning Lake clean-up crew causing problems for his campground at Bay View.**

**SUSPEND AGENDA RULES FOR THE NEXT ITEM**

Motion was made by Bill Adams, seconded by Jerry Gentry to suspend the agenda rules for the next item. Upon Show of Hands Vote, all yes, (Motion Carried).

**APPROVE INSTRUCTING THE LAKE CLEAN UP CREW TO LEAVE BAYVIEW BOAT RAMP BY THE APRIL 5, 2025.**

Motion was made by Jerry Grindstaff, seconded by Tommy Poore to ask the Lake clean-up crew to leave the Bayview Boat Ramp by 4-5-25. Upon Show of Hands Vote, all yes, (Motion Carried).

**Dave Garris gave an update on the festivities planned for the Airport this summer. Paraglider event is planned for August. They will allow vendors to set up free of charge and will also have a band performing. He urged everyone to try to attend.**

**APPROVE JANUARY 2025 MINUTES**

Motion was made by Cody Osborne, seconded by Eugene Campbell to approve the January, 2025 Minutes as presented. Upon Show of Hands Vote, all yes, (Motion Carried).

**APPROVE FEBRUARY 2025 MINUTES**

Motion was made by Tommy Poore, seconded by Jimmy Lowe to approve the February, 2025 Minutes as presented. Upon Show of Hands Vote, all yes, (Motion Carried).

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Planning Commission – Oral Report by Jerry Grindstaff.

**APPROVE THE PRESENTED APPLICATIONS FOR NOTARY PUBLIC AT LARGE (ELENA DALE OWENS & TIMOTHY D. REASE)**

Motion was made by Bill Adams, seconded by Lester Dunn to approve these applications for Notary. Upon Show of Hands Vote, all yes, (Motion Carried).

**APPROVE BUDGET AMENDMENTS INCLUDING FIREWALL FOR ALL COUNTY OFFICES (EXCEPT FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS & COUNTY CLERK) AND ALSO INCLUDES NEW SOFTWARE FOR SEVERAL COUNTY OFFICES AND COPIER LEASE FOR THE LIBRARY**

Motion was made by Huey Long, seconded by Gina Meade to approve these Budget Amendments with additional items. Upon Roll Call Vote, all yes, (Motion Carried).

**APPROVE APPOINTMENT OF JAMIE MEADE TO DMRA (DOE MOUNTAIN RECREATION AREA) BOARD FOR A 4 YEAR TERM**

Motion was made by Bill Adams, seconded by Jimmy Lowe to approve this appointment to DMRA Board for a 4 year term. Upon Show of Hands Vote, 13 Yes and 1 Pass, (Motion Carried).

**APPROVE APPOINTMENT OF JON DAVENPORT TO DMRA (DOE MOUNTAIN RECREATION AREA) BOARD FOR A 4 YEAR TERM**

Motion was made by Jimmy Lowe, seconded by Cody Osborne to approve this appointment to DMRA Board for a 4 year term. Upon Show of Hands Vote, all Yes, (Motion Carried).

**APPROVE 2025 JOHNSON COUNTY THDA DISASTER RELIEF HOME PROGRAM \$1,000,000 WITH NO COST TO THE COUNTY**

Motion was made by Huey Long, seconded by Lester Dunn to approve this Disaster Relief Program. Upon Roll Call Vote, all yes, (Motion Carried).

**APPROVE RESOLUTION FOR COMMISSIONERS TO ACQUIRE 8 HOURS OF TRAINING AND UPON COMPLETION THEY WILL RECEIVE \$600 EACH YEAR (TO BE PAID BY THE COUNTY)**

Motion was made by Megan McEwen, seconded by Kody Norris. Upon Roll Call Vote, 13 Yes and 1 No, (Motion Carried).

**APPROVE ALLOWING JON KOB TO USE THE COURTHOUSE LAWN FOR 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY FESTIVITES**

Motion was made by Bill Adams, seconded by Cody Osborne to allow use of the Courthouse lawn on July 4<sup>th</sup>. Upon Show of Hands Vote, all Yes, (Motion Carried).

**APPROVE PURCHASE OF A WALK IN FREEZER FROM POLAR KING INTERNATIONAL INC. TO BE PLACED AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH FOR \$71,149.94 BY A GRANT (FREEZER WOULD EVENTUALLY BELONG TO THE CHURCH)**

Motion to approve this purchase was made by Tommy Poore, seconded by Jerry Gentry. Upon Roll Call Vote, all Yes, and (Motion Carried).

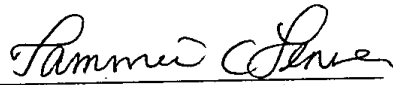
**APPROVE THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION CAPITOL OUTLAY NOTES OF JOHNSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE, IN ONE OR MORE SERIES, IN AN AGGERATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$15,000,000.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF REPAIRING ROAD INFRASTRUCTURE**

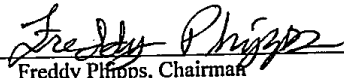
Motion to approve the issuance of these Capital Outlay Notes was made by Cody Osborne, seconded by Gina Meade Upon Roll Call Vote, all Yes, (Motion Carried).

**ADJOURN THIS MEETING**

Motion was made by Jimmy Lowe, seconded by Gina Meade to adjourn this meeting. All in favor stood.

(Motion Carried).

  
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Tammie C. Fenner, County Clerk

  
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Freddy Phipps, Chairman  
Johnson County Commission