## Rockcastle County Fiscal Court Regular Called Meeting December 10, 2024

Judge Holbrook called the meeting to order with the following present: Squire Thacker, Squire Adams, Squire McGuire, Squire Denny and Squire Prewitt. Also present: County Attorney Jeremy Rowe, Jailer Nathan Carter, Sheriff Deputy Ron Bradley, Fiscal Court Clerk/ Treasurer Vickie Miller and Fiscal Court Clerk/ Treasurer Trainee Kelly Ponder.

**MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING NOVEMBER 12, 2024** – Motion was made by Squire Thacker, seconded by Squire Adams with all voting aye to approve the minutes as presented.

**MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING NOVEMBER 26, 2024** – Motion was made by Squire Denny, seconded by Squire Adams with all voting age to approve the minutes as presented.

COUNTY CLERK DANETTA FORD ALLEN-CLERK'S BUDGET AND MAXIMUM SALARY-Motion was made by Squire Thacker and seconded by Squire McGuire with all voting aye to to approve the County Clerk's 2025 Budget as presented. Motion was made by Squire Prewitt and seconded by Squire Denny with all voting aye to approve the Maximum Salary set at \$269,000.00 for 2025.

**DALE MCNEW-SHERIFF'S BUDGET AND MAXIMUM SALARY**- Motion was made by Squire Thacker and seconded by Squire Prewitt with all voting aye to approve the Sheriff's 2025 Budget as presented. Motion was made by Squire Prewitt and seconded by Squire McGuire with all voting aye to approve the Maximum Salary set at \$450,000.00 for 2025.

**USDA GRANT-SHERIFF VEHICLE**-Motion made by Squire McGuire and seconded by Squire Thacker with all voting aye to approve the issuing of checks to Don Franklin for \$42,308.00 for a 2023 Durango Pursuit Vehicle and a check to L&W Emergency Equipment for \$9809.11 for the vehicle equipment. The USDA reimbursed the county for \$18,200.00 by direct deposit into the Federal Funds. The Sheriff's Department reimbursed the county \$6417.00 for the vehicle equipment.

**HB1 MOA-SOW-CONTRACT RECREATIONAL COMPLEX-**Motion was made by Squire McGuire and seconded by Squire Thacker with all voting aye to approve the signing of the Recreational Complex Contract.

**LIVINGSTON FIBER PROJECT-** Motion made by Squire McGuire and seconded by Squire Thacker with all voting aye to approve the only proposal submitted from People's Telecom for the Livingston Fiber Project on condition of the approval of the Center for Rural Development review.

**LIMESTONE HOLLOW RD-** No Action

**SOLID WASTE PERMIT APPLICATION- DUMPSTERS BY JJ&C DISTRIBUTING**-Motion made by Squire Denny and seconded by Squire McGuire with all voting aye to approve the solid waste permit application for JJ&C Distributing.

**ROAD DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT UPDATE**-Motion made by Squire Denny and seconded by Squire McGuire with all voting aye to approve a service estimate for engine work on the 2008 International Dump Truck from Bluegrass International Trucks & Buses Inc in the amount of \$3055.02. The judge also gave updates on other road equipment and repairs.

MATTHEW BOND-SOLID WASTE APPLICATION- Motion was made by Squire McGuire and seconded by Squire Thacker with all voting aye to approve the hiring of Matthew Bond for the Solid Waste Department. Eric Murphy terminated his employment on 12-9-24 leaving a position open.

**LIVINGSTON TRAIL TOWN PROGRAM SUPPORT**-Motion was made by Squire Thacker and seconded by Squire McGuire with all voting age to approve the Livingston Trail Town Support of \$1000.00.

**ROCKCASTLE COUNTY DEVELOPMENT BOARD PROGRAM SUPPORT-**Motion made by Squire Prewitt and seconded by Squire Denny with all voting aye to approve the Rockcastle County Development Board Program Support of \$1140.00.

**ANIMAL SHELTER UPDATE-Information Only.** 

**LIVINGSTON GYM RENTAL-** \$1170.00. Information Only.

**REAPPOINTMENT OF JASON MEDLEY-LIVINGSTON GYM CARETAKER**-Motion made by Squire McGuire and seconded by Squire Thacker with all voting aye to approve the reappointment of Jason Medley as Livingston Gym Caretaker for the next 6 months.

**SOLID WASTE REPORTS-** Motion made by Squire Denny and seconded by Squire Prewitt with all voting aye to approve as presented.

**QUAIL PARK REPORT-** Motion made by Squire Prewitt and seconded by Squire McGuire with all voting aye to approve as presented.

**ROCKCASTLE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY REPORT-** Information Only.

**MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT-** Motion made by Squire Prewitt and seconded by Squire Denny with all voting aye to approve the monthly financial report as presented.

**CLAIMS-** Motion made by Squire Denny and seconded by Squire McGuire with all voting aye to approve all claims as presented.

## **TRANSFERS-**

- -Motion made by Squire McGuire and seconded by Squire Prewitt with all voting aye to approve a transfer of \$175,000.00 from Occupational Tax Fund to General Fund, \$140,000.00 from General to Jail, \$25,000.00 from General to LGEA, and \$10,000.00 from General to 911.
- -Motion made by Squire Prewitt and seconded by Squire Denny with all voting aye to approve a transfer of \$18,200.00 from Federal Funds to General Funds (USDA GRANT-SHERIFF VEHICLE)

-Motion made by Squire McGuire and seconded by Squire Denny with all voting aye to approve a transfer from General Fund to CSEPP Fund for \$243.94. This is due to an error of the Jackson Energy Utility Bill for the Animal Shelter being paid out of the CSEEP fund instead of the General Fund.

Motion by Squire Prewitt, seconded by Squire Denny to adjourn.

Howell Holbrook Jr., County Judge Executive