MINUTES

CLARK COUNTY QUORUM COURT

REGULAR SESSION

April 10, 2023

The Clark County Quorum Court met on the above date at 5:30 pm in the District Courtroom. Judge Troy Tucker presided. The roll was called by County Clerk Tracy Rider. The following justices were present: Andrea Angle, Michael Ankton, Wayne Baumgardner, Zach Bledsoe, Tracy Drake, Vanilla Hannah, B.J. Johns, Jimmy King, Albert Neal, Mark Overturf and Jenna Scott.

County Judge Troy Tucker called the meeting to order. Justice Albert Neal gave the invocation.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA: Justice Scott made the motion to adopt the agenda by striking item #3 from the agenda. Justice Ankton seconded the motion. With no further discussion, the motion carried by voice vote, no opposition 11-0.

DISPOSITION OF THE MINUTES: Justice Ankton made the motion to adopt the minutes from the February 13, 2023 meeting. Justice Neal asked that we add the first name Leroy to “Reverend Williams”. Justice King seconded the motion with one correction. With no further discussion, the motion was carried by voice vote, no opposition 11-0.

Justice Baumgardner made a motion to adopt the minutes from the special Quorum Court meeting held on March 23, 2023. Justice Scott seconded the motion. With no further discussion, the motion was carried by voice vote, no opposition 11-0.

COMMITTEE AND OTHER REPORTS:

Personnel Committee did not meet.

Budget Committee did not meet.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Justice Neal made a motion to read Proposed Ordinance 2023-05 for its third reading and referenced Senate Bill 290. Justice Bledsoe seconded the motion. With no further discussion, roll call was as follows: Yea: Angle, Ankton, Baumgardner, Bledsoe, Drake, Hannah, Johns, King, Neal, Overturf, Scott. The motion carried 11-0.

Rider read the Proposed Ordinance in its entirety.

Justice Neal made a motion to adopt Proposed Ordinance 2023-05. Justice Overturf seconded the motion. With no further discussion, roll call was as follows: Yea: Angle, Ankton, Bledsoe, Drake, Hannah, King, Neal, Overturf. Nay: Baumgardner, Johns, Scott. The motion carried 8-3.

1. Justice Scott made a motion to read Proposed Ordinance 2023-03 for its second reading. Justice Angle seconded the motion. With little discussion, roll call was as follows: Yea: Angle, Ankton, Baumgardner, Bledsoe, Drake, Hannah, Johns, King, Neal, Overturf, Scott. The motion carried 11-0.

Rider read the Proposed Ordinance in its entirety.

Justice Ankton made a motion to place the Proposed Ordinance 2023-03 on its third reading in the May meeting. Justice Angle seconded the motion. With no further discussion, roll call was as follows: Yea: Angle, Ankton, Baumgardner, Bledsoe, Drake, Hannah, Johns, King, Neal, Overturf, Scott. The motion carried 11-0.

1. Bruce Bell spoke on the half cent sales tax and concerns on the EDCCC grant rules.
2. South Central Connect spokespeople Jamie Farrell and Colby Wells gave updates on growth in Clark County.
3. Judge Tucker proclaimed The Month of April, 2023 Child Abuse Awareness and Prevention Month and presented Stephanie Hrabal with the Certiificate.
4. Judge Tucker gave the 2021 Audit report. With there being no wrong findings, Justice Scott made a motion to Adopt the 2021 Audit as presented. Justice Hannah seconded the motion. With no further discussion, the motion was carried by voice vote, no opposition 11-0.

DISPOSAL REPORT:

None

JUDGE TUCKERS REPORT:

Congratulated Justice Ankton on graduating from HSU.

OTHER BUSINESS:

With there being no further business, Justice Johns made a motion to adjourn. Justice King seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 6:18 pm.

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Tracy Rider, Clark County Clerk