



BUCHANAN COUNTY COMMISSION

411 Jules, Room 101
St. Joseph, MO 64501
816-271-1503
akendall@buchmo.gov

Meeting Minutes for Wednesday, November 20, 2024

In attendance were Presiding Commissioner Scott Nelson, Commissioner Scott Burnham, Commissioner Hook, County Attorney Josh Bachman, and Administrative Coordinator Amy Helse!

Presiding Commissioner Nelson called the meeting to order at 9:07 am.

Meeting Agenda

Presiding Commissioner Nelson made a motion to approve today's agenda. Commissioner Hook seconded the motion.

Meeting Minutes

Presiding Commissioner Nelson made a motion to approve meeting minutes for Monday, November 18, 2024, and for Monday's Office Holder meeting. Commissioner Hook seconded the motion.

Business

Court orders to transfer funds were presented and approved by Commissioner Burnham, Commissioner Hook and Presiding Commissioner Nelson.

A court order amending funding to MWSU Law Enforcement Academy for training equipment was presented and approved by Commissioner Burnham, Commissioner Hook and Presiding Commissioner Nelson.

A court order authorizing an increase to Stuber Health Center (Social Welfare Board) for 2025 was presented and approved by Commissioner Burnham, Commissioner Hook and Presiding Commissioner Nelson.

A court order authorizing a one time contribution to Sisters of Solace was presented and approved by Commissioner Burnham, Commissioner Hook and Presiding Commissioner Nelson.

Commissioner Hook gave updates on the sidewalk project from King Hill to Belding. The City of St. Joseph will replace both handicap ramps, Southside Progressive group will contribute to the \$66,780 for the sidewalk and the County will contribute for the sidewalk. Everyone discussed which fund could be used.

Commissioner Hook updated on the Downtown Ambassador Program. There is a golf cart available for \$11,500; all discussed purchasing this for the program or donating the funds to the program to purchase a golf cart.

Commissioners talked about Trualta and their request for additional funding. Will put on agenda Friday to discuss further.

Commissioners discussed Housing Task Force and the Legislative Partnership meeting from November 19th.

Adjourn

With no further official business on the agenda Presiding Commissioner Nelson made a motion to adjourn to any unofficial business that may develop during the day. Commissioner Hook seconded the motion. All are in favor of adjourning. The meeting ended at 10:30 am.