
Gibson County Council
Regular Session
March 11, 2014

The Gibson County Council met in regular session on March 11, 2014, at 9:00 AM at the North Annex Meeting Room.

Members Present: President Jeremy Overton, Vice-President Craig Pflug, Councilwoman LeAnn Smith, Councilmen Bill McConnell, Tony Wolfe, George Ankenbrand, Derek McGraw, and Sherri Smith, Gibson County Auditor

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited and led by President Overton.

Approval of Minutes – January 14th Regular Meeting, February 11th Regular Meeting, February 17th Executive Finance Committee Meeting, have been read and were approved.

Department Reports

EMS Director Dan Alvey presented his monthly report. He also presented an update on the ambulance situation. He asked the Council’s permission to fill the position of a full time EMT. Council agreed. Also, one of the EMTs has passed the National Registry exam of an Advanced EMT Course.

Sheriff George Ballard presented his monthly reports. He stated that the Department of Corrections has presented Gibson County Community Corrections with a bonus grant.

Cheri Sweeney presented a monthly report for the Health Department.

Old Business

- Council to approve Salary Re-payment Schedule - Councilman Pflug made a motion to approve a repayment schedule for Kim Schafer, who was overpaid in 2013, seconded by Councilwoman Smith. Motion carried 7-0.
- Prosecutor Deferral User Fee – \$10,098 has been advertised - Councilman Pflug made a motion to approve an additional appropriation of \$10,098 for the Prosecutor Deferral Fee Fund, to correct the budget for 2014, seconded by Councilwoman Smith. Motion carried 7-0.
- Corrections Dorm Room Ceilings to be paid from CUM Building – \$59,440 has been advertised. Councilman Ankenbrand made a motion to approve an additional appropriation for \$59,440 out of Cum Building for the Work Release Center repairs, seconded by Councilwoman Smith. Motion carried 7-0. This additional will be forwarded to the DLGF for approval.

- Maximus – Child Support IV D Contract with Courts – \$4800 has been advertised (Contract was approved and signed at the last Commissioner’s meeting). Councilman Wolfe made a motion to approve an additional appropriation of \$4,800 from County General for a Maximus Contract for Circuit Court, seconded by Councilman McConnell. Motion carried 7-0. This additional will also need to be approved by the DLGF.
- Surveyor Salary Court Decision – Councilman Wolfe spoke briefly on the Court of Appeals ruling, the County vs. Surveyor case from Gibson County. The ruling was in favor of Gibson County.

New Business

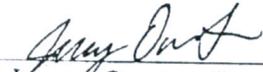
- Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Grant - \$42,585.00 – Cheri Sweeney presented the Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Grant to be appropriated for January 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015. Councilman Wolfe made a motion to approve the following appropriations, seconded by Councilman McGraw. Motion carried 7-0.

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| 9101-02-02-60 | Supplies | \$ 1,449 |
| 9101-03-03-13 | Travel | 2,301 |
| 9101-03-03-15 | Contracted Salary | 34,430 |
| 9101-03-03-16 | Other (cell phone, dues) | 655 |
| 9101-03-03-17 | Advertising | 3,750 |

- Highway Superintendent Jerry Heldt requests a Transfer of \$10,000 from 1176-02-02-32 Culverts into 1176-02-01-19 Severance Pay – Funds needed for payout of retiring employees. Councilman Pflug made a motion to approve a transfer of \$10,000 from 1176-02-02-32, Culverts, to 1176-02-019, Severance Pay, seconded by Councilman Wolfe. Motion carried 7-0.
- Highway Superintendent Jerry Heldt asked for permission to replace the two employees that are retiring. Council agreed.
- Veterans Officer Jerry Wright requests a Transfer of \$200 from 1000-27-03-12 Postage to 1000-27-04-02 Computers. Councilman Ankenbrand made a motion to approve the transfer of \$200 for a Computer and Scanner, seconded by Councilman Wolfe. Motion carried 7-0.
- Sheriff George Ballard asked the Council for permission to replace a Corrections Officer. Permission was granted.
- Parks Board Creation – Tabled until the next meeting - Councilman Jeremy Overton asked Tony Wolfe and George Ankenbrand if they would speak to County Attorney Jim McDonald about some clarification in the Parks Board Ordinance and discuss it at the next meeting.

- Councilman Wolfe made a motion to pass a resolution to agree with the Commissioners, that the Gibson County Council is opposed to any changes in property taxes, without full replacement of revenue, seconded by Councilman Pflug. Motion carried 7-0.

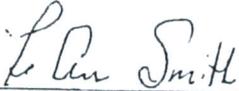
Councilman Pflug made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Councilwoman Smith. Motion carried 7-0.



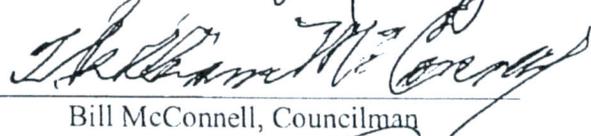
Jeremy Overton, President



Craig Pflug, Vice-President



LeAnn Smith, Councilwoman



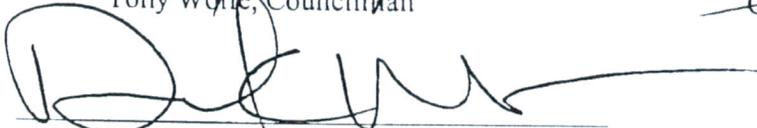
Bill McConnell, Councilman



Tony Wolfe, Councilman



George Ankenbrand, Councilman



Derek McGraw, Councilman

Attest: 

Sherri Smith, Gibson County Auditor