

January 8, 2019 Minutes

The Coffee County Legislative Body met January 8, 2019 in a regular scheduled meeting at the Coffee County Administrative Plaza at 6:00 PM.

Sheriff Chad Partin proclaimed the meeting open for business.

Commissioner Jackie Duncan gave the Invocation and Sheriff Partin led the Pledge to the Flag.

There were 19 members present for the meeting with Jimmy Hollandsworth and Mike Ray being absent.

Mayor Cordell amended the agenda by adding 7B Chris from the Census Bureau and 10D Resolution 2019-03 Hotel/Motel Tax. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Tim Stubblefield and seconded by Crockett to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Bryan and seconded by Hunt for the adoption of Resolution 2019-01 in honor and recognition of Charles Elmer Wells (deceased) for his devotion and dedication to the citizens of Coffee County, Tennessee. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Chris with the Census Bureau made a short presentation about the upcoming Census in 2020.

Motion made by Buckner and seconded by Kraft to approve the following notaries as listed: Tracie Burnett, Latanya Collins, Connie S. Finney, Grace Evelyn Frazier, Cynthia Guffey, Debbie Hedge, Fran Macconnell, Brenda Parks, Sam Rittenberry, Theresa G. Roberts, Sasha Starnes, Joseph R. Teal, Kathy J. White and Kristy Whitehead. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Miller and seconded by Duncan to approve the following to the Purchasing Committee: Jimmy Hollandsworth, Margaret Cunningham, Bobby Bryan and Barbara Buckner. The motion was approved with 17 yes votes. Abstaining were Cunningham and Buckner.

Motion made by Bryan and seconded by Tildon Stubblefield to approve the following to the Beer Board: David Orrick, Jim Fielding, Scarlett Taylor, Dennis Hunt and Margaret Cunningham. The motion was approved with 15 yes votes. Abstaining were Cunningham, Orrick and Taylor. Fielding voted no.

Motion made by Deford and seconded by Crabtree to reappoint Gary Hunt to the Audit Committee. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Crockett and seconded by Duncan to reappoint Dr. Al Brandon as County Coroner. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Sebourne and seconded by Crabtree to approve the following to the Rural Roads & Bridges Committee: Missy Deford, Dennis Hunt, Jim Fielding, David Orrick and Mike Ray. The motion was approved with 16 yes votes. Abstaining were Orrick, Fielding and Deford.

Motion made by Duncan and seconded by Crabtree to reappoint Gene Stillings as Veteran's Service Officer. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Cunningham and seconded by Fielding to reappoint Kevin Sipe, Lowell Duke and Sammy Morton, Jr. to Board of Zoning Appeals. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Hobbs and seconded by Bryan to defer the appointment to the Consolidated Industrial Board until the March meeting. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Tim Stubblefield and seconded by Tildon Stubblefield to reappoint Dale Brandon, Michael Bonner and Adam Floied to the Emergency Agency Board. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Hobbs and seconded by Bryan to postpone the appointment to the Public Building Authority with the following procedures put in place: The Legislative Committee to come up with a process. Start the application process immediately with applications available in the Mayor's office by Friday January 11, 2019. Make the deadline February 10, 2019 submitted to the Mayor's Office and the Mayor provide all Commissioners a copy of the applicants. Advertise everything. The motion was approved with 18 yes votes. Deford voted no.

Motion made by Bryan and seconded by Duncan to reappoint Tim Morris, Dennis Hunt and David Orrick to the Planning Commission. The motion was approved with 18 yes votes. Orrick abstained

Motion made by Tim Stubblefield and seconded by Crabtree to approve the following to the Board of Health: Debbie Dickey, Dr. Bill Sanders, Dr Randall Smith, Barbara Buckner, Dr Ray Marcrom, Dr Jay Trussler, Dot Watson, Dr. LaDonna McFall, Dr. Brad Windley, Jr and Mayor Gary Cordell. The motion was approved with 18 yes votes. Buckner abstained.

Motion made by Miller and seconded by Kraft for the adoption of Resolution 2019-02 to Support State Legislation Repealing the provision that reduces the commission retained by the County Register of Deeds. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Howse and seconded by Tim Stubblefield to approve the following budget amendments: #101-2019-007 General Fund, #171-2019-008 General Capital Projects. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Tildon Stubblefield and seconded by Duncan to approve the proposed 2020 Fiscal Budget Calendar. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

Motion made by Bryan and seconded by Miller for the adoption of Resolution 2019-03 to request the State Legislature to amend T.C.A 67-4-1425 to authorize adding an exception for Coffee County to allow it to adopt and implement a Hotel/Motel Tax throughout the County. The motion was approved with 19 yes votes.

There being no further business the County Legislative Body adjourned.

Respectfully submitted this the 8th day of January, 2019.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Teresa H. McFadden". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Teresa H. McFadden, Coffee County Clerk

