January 26, 2016

The Dale County Commission convened its regular meeting on Tuesday, January 26, 2016. The following members were present: Mark Blankenship, Chairman; District One Commissioner Chris Carroll; District Two Commissioner Steve McKinnon; District Three Commissioner Charles W. Gary and District Four Commissioner James W. Strickland.

WORK SESSION

Chairman Blankenship called the work session to order at 10:00 a.m. The following items were on the work session agenda for discussion and/or information:

Minutes -
1. Approve Minutes of January 12, 2016 Regular Meeting

Retirement Recognition –
2. Road & Bridge – Napoleon Williams

Employment –
3. Compliance Officer
Added Probate Clerk

Appointment –
4. SARCOA Board

Other Business –
5. Solid Waste Legislation
6. MDI Bond Reduction
7. JM Woods Auction Agreement
8. Budget Amendment – Road & Bridge
9. Travel Requests
10. Memorandum of Warrants

Information/Discussion –
11. Indigent Burial
Added 2013 Audit
Added Echo Fish Fry
Added EMS Training

VOTING SESSION

Chairman Blankenship called the voting session to order at 10:45 a.m. Commissioner McKinnon opened with the Pledge to Allegiance. Commissioner Carroll followed with prayer.

MINUTES – JANUARY 12, 2016 REGULAR SESSION

Commissioner McKinnon made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 12, 2016 regular session. Commissioner Gary seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.
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RETIREMENT RECOGNITION – NAPOLEON WILLIAMS

County Engineer Derek Brewer presented a retirement plaque to Napoleon Williams in recognition of his many years of service to Dale County.

EMPLOYMENT – PROBATE CLERK

Commissioner Gary made a motion to approve the lateral employment transfer of Lisa Mischelle Andrews from the Revenue Office to the Probate Office as a Probate Clerk, Grade 6, at the current salary of $8.87 per hour, effective February 1, 2016. Commissioner McKinnon seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT – SARCOA BOARD

Commissioner Carroll made a motion to appoint Denise Ellis to the SARCOA Board to fill the unexpired term of Mark Blankenship. Commissioner Strickland seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.

APPROVED – DRAFT LEGISLATION AND ADVERTISEMENT – SOLID WASTE

Commissioner Gary made a motion to approve draft legislation authorizing the Commission to appropriate and spend fees, charges, and rates collected for solid waste services for certain specified purposes authorized in Section 22-27-5 of the Code of Alabama 1975, and advertise as required by law. Commissioner McKinnon seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.

APPROVED – REDUCTION IN MDI PERFORMANCE BOND AMOUNT

Commissioner Strickland made a motion to approve the reduction in the MDI Performance Bond from $1,000,000 to $670,000, which is the current contract amount. Commissioner Gary seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.

APPROVED – J M WOODS AUCTION AGREEMENT

Commissioner McKinnon made a motion to authorize the Chairman to sign the agreement with J M Woods Auction Company to sell two dump trucks surplused by the Road & Bridge Department. Commissioner Carroll seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.

APPROVED – BUDGET AMENDMENT – ROAD & BRIDGE

Commissioner Carroll made a motion to approve the budget amendment of $35,000 for the Road & Bridge Department for the purchase of a batwing and a pickup. Commissioner McKinnon seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.
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TRAVEL REQUESTS

Commissioner McKinnon made a motion to approve the following travel requests:

Road & Bridge – Greg Daniels, Jim DeLoney, Terry Garret
Road Supervisors Training
February 1-2, 2016
Prattville, AL

Commission – Mark Blankenship
AL Eco Dev Winter Conference
February 1-3, 2016
Birmingham, AL

Road & Bridge – Derek Brewer
59th Annual Trans Conference
February 9-10, 2016
Montgomery, AL

Road & Bridge – Derek Brewer
CGEI Class
March 16-17, 2016
Prattville, AL

Commissioner Carroll seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.

MEMORANDUM OF WARRANTS

Commissioner Gary made a motion to approve the memorandum of warrants. (Payroll check numbers 154235-154237, Payroll direct deposit numbers 18912-19046, and Accounts Payable check numbers 71756-71906). Commissioner Strickland seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.

ANNOUNCEMENT – NEXT REGULAR MEETING

Chairman Blankenship announced that the next regular meeting of the Dale County Commission would be Tuesday, February 9, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.

ADJOURNMENT: CONFIRMATORY STATEMENT

Commissioner Gary made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Strickland seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion carried.

It is hereby ordered the foregoing documents, resolutions, etc., be duly confirmed and entered into the minutes of the Dale County Commission as its official actions.