

TUSCALOOSA COUNTY COMMISSION

MEETING

JUNE 24, 2020

TUSCALOOSA COUNTY §

STATE OF ALABAMA §

This being the date and hour to which the Tuscaloosa County Commission adjourned; the County Commission met pursuant to such adjournment with Probate Judge Rob Robertson presiding as Chairman. The following members were present:

Stan Acker
Jerry Tingle
Mark C. Nelson
Reginald Murray

Commissioner Stan Acker moved, seconded by Commissioner Mark C. Nelson, the County Commission voted unanimously to approve the minutes of June 10, 2020.

Commissioner Reginald Murray moved, seconded by Commissioner Stan Acker, the County Commission voted unanimously to go into executive session prior to the end of this meeting to discuss an appointment to the Mental Health Board.

Commissioner Reginald Murray moved, seconded by Commissioner Stan Acker, the County Commission voted unanimously to approve a subdivision regulation waiver request to Nixon Acre, District IV.

Exhibit 6-1, Pages

Commissioner Mark C. Nelson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Tingle, the County Commission voted unanimously to approve a subdivision regulation waiver request to Glen Ridge, District III, upon approval of an agreement between the County and the developer and receipt of payment in the amount of \$63,000.00.

Exhibit 6-2, Page

Commissioner Reginald Murray moved, seconded by Commissioner Mark C. Nelson, the County Commission voted unanimously to award the bid by the Engineering Department for rebar to O'Ferrell Rebar, Inc. Bids were opened June 22, 2020.

Exhibit 6-3, Pages

Upon request by Planning Director Farrington Snipes, Commissioner Stan Acker moved, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Tingle, the County Commission voted unanimously to award the construction contract for the Evanstown Road Water Extension Project to Southern Civil Contractors.

Exhibit 6-4, Pages

Upon request by Planning Director Farrington Snipes, Commissioner Jerry Tingle moved, seconded by Commissioner Stan Acker, the County Commission voted unanimously to award the engineering contract on the Holt Sanitary Sewer 2020 Project to McGiffert and Associates.

Exhibit 6-5, Pages

Commissioner Jerry Tingle moved, seconded by Commissioner Mark C. Nelson, the County Commission voted unanimously to approve the warrants issued to cover Tuscaloosa County's expenditures for May 2020.

Exhibit 6-6, Page

The County Commission received bids for the Sheriff's Office Radio Tower Project. The bids were opened by the Chairman and referred to the Sheriff's Office for review. The bidding firms are as follows:

Gulf Services

Pittsburg Tank & Tower Co.

Mobile Communications of America (MCA)

Graves and Graves

Sabre Industries

Exhibit 6-7, Page

Upon request by Tax Assessor Leigh Ann Fair, Commissioner Stan Acker moved, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Tingle, the County Commission voted unanimously to authorize the Chairman to execute the Digital Information Cooperative Agreement between the County and the State of Alabama Department of Transportation. The total grant amount for this agreement is \$10,000.00.

Exhibit 6-8, Pages

Commissioner Mark C. Nelson moved, seconded by Commissioner Stan Acker, the County Commission voted unanimously to approve a funding request to the PARA Foundation for an all-inclusive playground project by cash and/or in-kind services up to \$514,000.00 upon approval by the County Engineer for in-kind work and final approval by the Chairman.

Exhibit 6-9, Pages

Commissioner Reginald Murray's motion to table a proclamation supporting Second Amendment rights failed for lack of a second.

Commissioner Stan Acker's motion to present a proclamation supporting Second Amendment rights was seconded by Commissioner Mark C. Nelson. The motion passed on a two-to-one vote with Commissioner Reginald Murray casting the NAY vote.

Commissioner Reginald Murray moved, seconded by Commissioner Stan Acker the County Commission voted unanimously to table discussion regarding proposed changes to the Tuscaloosa County Commission Rules of Procedure.

Commissioner Stan Acker moved, seconded by Commissioner Mark C. Nelson, the County Commission voted unanimously to approve the Walker Elementary School safety and accessibility improvements project. The estimated cost is \$25,000.00 from the District I development fund.

The Commission retired into Executive Session.

Following Executive Session, Chairman Rob Robertson called the Commission back to order.

Commissioner Reginald Murray moved, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Tingle, the County Commission voted unanimously to appoint Ms. Sue Thompson to the Mental Health Board. Her term will expire April 1, 2026.

There being no further business to come before the Tuscaloosa County Commission, the meeting adjourned to Wednesday, July 8, 2020.

Rob Robertson
Judge of Probate
Chairman Tuscaloosa County Commission

Stan Acker
Commissioner - District I

Jerry Tingle
Commissioner - District II

Mark C. Nelson
Commissioner - District III

Reginald Murray
Commissioner - District IV