

**MINUTES OF REGULAR SESSION OF HAWKINS COUNTY COMMISSION  
MEETING  
MARCH 25, 2019 AT 6:00 P.M.**

**PRESENT: 20 COMMISSIONERS**

<b>PRESENT:</b>	<b>GEORGE BRIDWELL</b>	<b>CHARLES THACKER</b>	<b>NANCY BARKER</b>
	<b>RAYMOND JESSEE</b>	<b>DAWSON FIELDS</b>	<b>LARRY CLONCE</b>
	<b>SYBLE VAUGHAN TRENT</b>	<b>VALERIE M. GOINS</b>	<b>RICK BREWER</b>
	<b>JEFF BARRETT</b>	<b>HANNAH G. SPEAKS</b>	<b>BOB EDENS</b>
	<b>TOM KERN</b>	<b>GLENDA DAVIS</b>	<b>MICHAEL J. HERRELL</b>
	<b>DANNY ALVIS</b>	<b>MARK DEWITTE</b>	<b>DONNIE TALLEY</b>
	<b>CHARLES HOUSEWRIGHT</b>	<b>JOHN METZ</b>	

**ABSENT: KEITH GIBSON**

**PRESENTATION OF THE FLAG BY CHEROKEE HIGH SCHOOL NJROT**

- **OFFICE AND COMMITTEE REPORTS**
  - JAMES SANDLIN, GENERAL MANAGER HOLSTON ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE & HOLSTON CONNECT
  - LOWELL BEAN, ROAD SUPERINTENDENT – PROGRESS FOLLOWING RAIN & FLOODING
  - JOHN LILY, SOLID WASTE DIRECTOR – SALE OF TRUCKS
  
- **REPORTS READ INTO THE MINUTES AND FILED WITH THE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE...**
  - REAPPOINTMENTS...
    - GORDELL ELY, COMMISSIONER TO PERSIA UTILITY DISTRICT – 4 YEARS
    - WAYNE HAUN, COMMISSIONER TO SURGOINSVILLE UTILITY DISTRICT – 4 YEARS
  
- **COMMENDATIONS AND RECOGNITIONS**
  - MARIA HOWARD – CHEROKEE HIGH SCHOOL

**MINUTES OF THE FEBRUARY 25, 2019 MEETING WERE APPROVED... 20 YES, 1 ABSENT**

**RESOLUTIONS 2019/03:**

**2019/03/01 APPROVAL TO ACCEPT A \$20,000 GRANT FROM RURAL ACCESS TO HEALTH AND HEALTHY ACTIVE BUILT ENVIRONMENTS (RAHHABE) THROUGH THE HAWKINS COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT**  
**\*MOTION BY JOHN METZ, SECOND BY NANCY BARKER**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT, THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE, BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**2019/03/02 IMPLEMENTATION OF A MINIMUM 60-DAY WAITING PERIOD BEFORE A COUNTY EMPLOYEE IS ELIGIBLE FOR HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE**  
**\*MOTION BY MARK DEWITTE, SECOND BY RICK BREWER**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT, THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE, BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**2019/03/03 APPROVAL OF COUNTY ROAD NAME LIST FOR HAWKINS COUNTY, TENNESSEE  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018  
\*MOTION BY DAWSON FIELDS, SECOND BY CHARLIE THACKER**

**\*\*ADDITIONAL ROADS TO BE ADOPTED WITH 2018 ROAD LIST WILL BE  
WITHDRAWN AND PRESENTED AT NEXT MONTHS MEETING\*\*  
BRIGADE ROAD, EDGAR TRENT ROAD & WALLACE ROAD**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT,  
THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE,  
BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**2019/03/04 APPROVAL OF AN OFFER ON COUNTY OWNED PROPERTY PARCEL 62-62-059.00  
\*MOTION BY DONNIE TALLEY, SECOND BY DAWSON FIELDS**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT,  
THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE,  
BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**2019/03/05 APPROVAL OF AN OFFER ON COUNTY OWNED PROPERTY PARCEL  
A-137-D-021.00  
\*MOTION BY DONNIE TALLEY, SECOND BY BOB EDENS**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT,  
THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE,  
BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**2019/03/06 APPROVAL OF AN OFFER ON COUNTY OWNED PROPERTY PARCEL 113 007.01  
\*MOTION BY DONNIE TALLEY, SECOND BY JOHN METZ**

**\*\*DUE TO A TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR, A CORRECTION WAS MADE TO THE PARCEL NUMBER -  
SHOULD BE 113 077.01\*\***

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, HOUSEWRIGHT,  
THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE,  
BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**NO: ALVIS**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 19 NO 1 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**2019/03/07 APPROVAL OF AN OFFER ON COUNTY OWNED PROPERTY PARCELS 122 052.00  
AND 122 052.01  
\*MOTION BY DONNIE TALLEY, SECOND BY GLENDA DAVIS**

**\*\*RESOLUTION 2019/03/07 PULLED BY COMMISSIONER TALLEY\*\***

**2019/03/08 BUDGET AMENDMENT – GENERAL FUND  
\*MOTION BY JOHN METZ, SECOND BY DAWSON FIELDS**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, HOUSEWRIGHT,  
THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE,  
BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**NO: ALVIS**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 19 NO 1 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**2019/03/09 BUDGET AMENDMENT – SOLID WASTE FUND  
\*MOTION BY JOHN METZ, SECOND BY CHARLIE THACKER**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT,  
THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE,  
BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**2019/03/10 GENERAL PURPOSE SCHOOL FUND BUDGET AMENDMENT  
\*MOTION BY JOHN METZ, SECOND BY BOB EDENS**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT,  
THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE,  
BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**2019/03/11 APPROVAL OF NOTARIES PUBLIC  
\*MOTION BY DAWSON FIELDS, SECOND BY RICK BREWER**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT,  
THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE,  
BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**MOTION TO ADJOURN  
\*MOTION BY DAWSON FIELDS, SECOND BY CHARLIE THACKER**

**YES: HERRELL, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT,  
THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, SPEAKS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, METZ, BARKER, CLONCE,  
BREWER, EDENS, TALLEY**

**ABSENT: GIBSON**

**APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1**

**VOTE FOR APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF MARCH 2019 COMMISSION MEETING**

**YES**

**NO**

**ABSTAIN**

**ABSENT**