# MINUTES OF REGULAR SESSION OF HAWKINS COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING

JULY 25, 2022 AT 6:00 P.M.

PRESENT:

**20 COMMISSIONERS PRESENT** 

1 ABSENT

GEORGE BRIDWELL
RAYMOND JESSEE
SYBLE VAUGHAN TRENT
JEFF BARRETT
KEITH GIBSON

CHARLES HOUSEWRIGHT
CHARLES THACKER
DAWSON FIELDS
VALERIE GOINS
HANNAH WINEGAR
GLENDA DAVIS
MARK DEWITTE

JASON ROACH NANCY BARKER LARRY CLONCE RICK BREWER BOB EDENS MICHAEL J. HERRELL

TOM KERN (A) GLENDA DAVIS MICHAEL J. HERR DANNY ALVIS MARK DEWITTE DONNIE TALLEY

## **COMMENDATIONS/RECOGNITIONS**

-COMMISSIONER ROACH RECOGNIZED JUNIOR BETA CLUB NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM FROM ROGERSVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL

# **OFFICE REPORTS/COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- --HAWKINS COUNTY CLERK'S GENERAL LEDGER -- FINANCIAL REPORT FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022
- -TRUSTEE SUMMARY OF BANKING SERVICES REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
- -HAWKINS COUNTY CIRCUIT, GENERAL SESSIONS, AND JUVENILLE COURTS ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022
- --HAWKINS COUNTY CHANCERY COURT ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022
- -HAWKINS COUNTY, TENNESSEE OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022
- --HAWKINS COUNTY TRUSTEE'S OFFICE FUND QUARTERLY AND YEAR END REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022
- -HAWKINS COUNTY MAYOR'S OFFICE BALANCE SHEETS & SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - ALL FUNDS OCTOBER 1, 2021 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2021 JULY 1, 2021 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2022

MINUTES OF JUNE 27, 2022 COMMISSION MEETING WERE APPROVED... 20 YES, 1 ABSENT \*MOTION BY MARK DEWITTE, SECOND BY VALERIE GOINS

APPROVAL OF CONTRACT WITH FIRST HORIZON BANK FOR BANKING SERVICES \*MOTION BY JASON ROACH, SECOND BY VALERIE GOINS

YES:

BREWER, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT, THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, WINEGAR, DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER,

CLONCE, HERRELL, EDENS, TALLEY

ABSENT: GIBSON

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

YES 20 NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1

UTILIZING (ARPA) COVID RELIEF FUNDS AND OTHER AVAILABLE FUNDING FOR UPGRADES AND EXPANSION OF POTABLE WATER LINES IN HAWKINS COUNTY \*MOTION BY CHARLES THACKER, SECOND BY DANNY ALVIS

YES:

BREWER, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT,

THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE.

HERRELL, EDENS

NO:

**TALLEY** 

ABSTAIN: WINEGAR

ABSENT: GIBSON

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

YES 18 NO 1 ABSTAIN 1 ABSENT 1

APPROVAL TO APPLY FOR A CAPITAL INVESTMENT GRANT FROM THE STATE'S FINANCIAL STIMULAS ACCOUNTABILITY GROUP (FSAG) FOR RENOVATION OF THE HAWKINS COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENTS IN THE AMOUNT OF FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$450,000) WITH A TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT (25%) LOCAL MATCH OF ONE HUNDRED TWELVE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$112,500) COMING FROM THE HAWKINS CO. ARPA FUNDS \*MOTION BY CHARLES THACKER, SECOND BY VALERIE GOINS

YES:

BREWER, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT. THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, WINEGAR, DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER,

CLONCE, HERRELL, EDENS, TALLEY

ABSENT: GIBSON

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

**YES 20** NO 0 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1

APPROVAL TO RENEW LEASE AGREEMENT TO FINLEY AVIATION FOR HANGER #1 AT THE HAWKINS COUNTY AIRPORT, FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE WALDO HANGAR FOR ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS PER MONTH \*MOTION BY NANCY BARKER, SECOND BY CHARLES HOUSEWRIGHT

YES:

BREWER, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, HOUSEWRIGHT. THACKER, FIELDS, GOINS, WINEGAR, DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER.

CLONCE, HERRELL, EDENS, TALLEY

NO:

**ALVIS** 

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

ABSENT: GIBSON

**YES 19** NO 1 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1

FIXING THE TAX LEVY FOR THE 2022-2023 FISCAL YEAR \*MOTION BY JASON ROACH, SECOND BY HANNAH WINEGAR

#### \*MOTION BY HANNAH WINEGAR, SECOND BY VALERIE GOINS

YES: BRIDWELL, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, FIELDS, GOINS, WINEGAR, DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE, EDENS

NO: BREWER, JESSEE, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT, THACKER, HERRELL, TALLEY

ABSENT: GIBSON

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

YES 13 NO 7 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1 YES:

BRIDWELL, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, FIELDS, GOINS,

WINEGAR, DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE, EDENS

NO:

BREWER, JESSEE, HOUSEWRIGHT, THACKER, HERRELL, TALLEY

ABSENT: GIBSON

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

YES 14 NO 6 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 1

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO NON-PROFIT CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS OF HAWKINS COUNTY, TN FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2022 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2023

\*MOTION BY JASON ROACH, SECOND BY VALERIE GOINS

YES:

BREWER, BRIDWELL, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT, GOINS,

WINEGAR, DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE, EDENS, TALLEY

NO:

THACKER, HERRELL

ABSTAIN: JESSEE

ABSENT: GIBSON, FIELDS

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

YES 16 NO 2 ABSTAIN 1 ABSENT 2

APPROVAL OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE 2022-2023 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET \*MOTION BY JASON ROACH, SECOND BY HANNAH WINEGAR

– I<sup>ST</sup> AMENDMENT

\*MOTION BY HANNAH WINEGAR, SECOND BY VALERIE GOINS

YES:

BRIDWELL, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT, GOINS,

WINEGAR, DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER, EDENS

NO:

BREWER, JESSEE, THACKER, CLONCE, HERRELL, TALLEY

ABSENT: GIBSON, FIELDS

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

YES 13 NO 6 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 2

\*MOTION BY CHARLES HOUSEWRIGHT, SECOND BY MICHAEL HERRELL

YES: BRIDWELL, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT, DEWITTE, EDENS

NO: BREWER, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, THACKER, GOINS, WINEGAR, DAVIS,

ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE, HERRELL, TALLEY

ABSENT: GIBSON, FIELDS

FAILED BY ROLL CALL

YES 5 NO 14 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 2

# \*MOTON BY JASON ROACH, SECOND BY HANNAH WINEGAR

YES:

BRIDWELL, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, GOINS, WINEGAR,

DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE, EDENS

NO:

BREWER, JESSEE, HOUSEWRIGHT, THACKER, HERRELL, TALLEY

ABSENT: GIBSON, FIELDS

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

YES 13 NO 6 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 2

APPROPRIATION OF BABY DOE FUNDS, \$400,000 TO THE NORTHEAST TENNESSEE TENNESSEE REGIONAL TREATMENT FACILITY
\*MOTION BY CHARLES THACKER, SECOND BY NANCY BARKER

- \*VOTED ON AFTER CALL FOR QUESTION\*

\*MOTION BY CHARLES HOUSEWRIGHT, SECOND BY DANNY ALVIS

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DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE, HERRELL, EDENS, TALLEY

BREWER, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, THACKER, GOINS, DAVIS

NO:

YES:

BRIDWELL, HOUSEWRIGHT, WINEGAR, ALVIS, HERRELL

ABSENT: GIBSON, FIELDS

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

YES 16 NO 3 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 2

- (2/3 VOTE)

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\*MOTION BY JASON ROACH

\*CALL FOR VOTE CHARLES HOUSEWRIGHT

YES: EDENS, THACKER, GOINS, TALLEY, ROACH, DAVIS BREWER, BARRETT, CLONCE,

BARKER, JESSEE, DEWITTE, TRENT, KERN

NO: BRIL

BRIDWELL, HOUSEWRIGHT, WINEGAR, ALVIS, HERRELL

ABSENT: GIBSON, FIELDS

APPROVED BY VOICE ROLL CALL

YES 14 NO 5 ABSTAIN 0 ABSENT 2

YES: BRIDWELL, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT, DEWITTE, EDENS

NO: BREWER, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, THACKER, GOINS, WINEGAR, DAVIS,

ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE, HERRELL, TALLEY

ABSTAIN: BARRETT

ABSENT: GIBSON, FIELDS

FAILED BY ROLL CALL YES 5 NO 13 ABSTAIN 1 ABSENT 2

## \*MOTION BY CHARLES THACKER, SECOND BY NANCY BARKER

YES:

BREWER, BRIDWELL, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, GOINS, DAVIS, DEWITTE,

ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE, EDENS, TALLEY

NO:

JESSEE, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT THACKER

ABSTAIN: WINEGAR, HERRELL

ABSENT: GIBSON, FIELDS

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL

YES 13 NO 4 ABSTAIN 2 ABSENT 2

APPROVAL OF NOTARIES PUBLIC

\*MOTION BY NANCY BARKER, SECOND BY LARRY CLONCE

YES:

BREWER, BRIDWELL, JESSEE, TRENT, BARRETT, KERN, ALVIS, HOUSEWRIGHT,

THACKER, GOINS, WINEGAR, DAVIS, DEWITTE, ROACH, BARKER, CLONCE.

HERRELL, TALLEY

**ABSTAIN: EDENS** 

ABSENT: GIBSON, FIELDS,

APPROVED BY ROLL CALL YES 18 NO 0 ABSTAIN 1 ABSENT 2

MOTION TO ADJOURN
\*MOTION BY JEFF BARRETT, SECOND BY GLENDA DAVIS

**VOTE FOR APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF JULY 2022 COMMISSION MEETING** 

YES NO ABSTAIN ABSENT