

UNION COUNTY FISCAL  
February 23, 2016

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The Union County Fiscal Court met in regular session with the Honorable Jody Jenkins presiding. Magistrates present were Day, Floyd, Voss, Wells and Clements.

The meeting opened at 9:00 a.m. with a prayer by Bro. Jerry Manning, and the pledge to the American Flag.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were approved with a motion made by Magistrate Wells, seconded by Magistrate Floyd, motion carried.

Judge Jenkins brought to the Court's attention that we left our February 9, 2016 Court meeting awkward, and thought that the Court should discuss how to handle a public forum after the conclusion of the business session of each meeting. After much discussion between the court members they all agreed they want to hear the communities concerns and thoughts, and that if someone has an issue that needs to be addressed they will need to call their Magistrate, and/or the Judge to try and handle the issue, if the issue is unable to be resolved it can be put on the agenda to go before the Court.

Judge Jenkins advised the Court that item # 2 on the agenda will be rescheduled for a later date due to Mr. Atkins being sick.

Judge Jenkins presented the second reading of the 2015/2016 budget amendment in the amount of \$291,975.00. Magistrate Clements made a motion to approve said amendment, seconded by Magistrate Floyd, motion carried.

Magistrate Clements made a motion to approve claims with no changes, seconded by Magistrate Floyd, Magistrate Wells commented that we have been using our on call coroner quite a bit lately, and would like to get an update from our coroner as to why the on call coroner is being used so much. Magistrate Wells also mentioned that our phone bills are higher than he would like to pay, and that we need to do some research on our phone bills, motion carried.

Magistrate Voss made a motion to approve transfers, seconded by Magistrate Day, motion carried.

Bobby Veatch was on the agenda, but was not present in Court. George Blakely spoke up and said he was attending on behalf of Mr. Veatch and that the Court had discussed everything that Mr. Veatch wanted addressed.

Magistrate Wells asked Judge Jenkins to speak to the Green River Area Development District regarding the service of the Connect GRADD internet. Magistrate Wells explained that when traffic is high the connection is very slow.

Judge Jenkins asked for two Magistrates to volunteer or he could appoint two Magistrates to be on a committee for open meetings procedures. Magistrate Day and Magistrate Clements volunteered to be on the committee.

There being no further business to come before the Court, a motion to adjourn was made by Magistrate Day, seconded by Magistrate Floyd, motion carried.

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Fiscal Court Clerk  
Krystal Steward

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JODY L. JENKINS  
County Judge/Executive