Grant County Quorum Court July 20, 2020



The Grant County Quorum Court met on Monday, July 20, 2020 in the Grant County Courthouse at 7:00 p.m. with Judge Randy Pruitt presiding. Judge Randy Pruitt called the meeting to order. Members answering **roll call** were Mark Allen, Danny Bone, Tony Carder, Jim Easley, Mike Nevens, Bobby Pierce, Jason Roshto, and Grant Westmoreland.

The **Minutes** from the Quorum Court June Meeting held, **June 15, 2020** were presented to the Quorum Court for review. With no further discussion, a motion to accept with corrections was made by Justice Mike Nevens and seconded by Justice Jason Roshto. Vote 8 for 0 against.

The **Financial Statement** was presented to the Quorum Court. Treasurer Tim Stuckey explained current Projection Variance is usually greater. Justice Jim Easley asked how many times do we project? Treasurer responded one (1) time. With no further discussion, a motion to accept was made by Justice Tony Carder and seconded by Justice Mike Nevens. Vote 9 for 0 against.

Noise Control (Grant Westmoreland) – Justice Grant Westmoreland reported that there had been a noise issue involving someone using Tannerite and it had been addressed and needed no further discussion.

Grant County Equalization Board Appointments – Judge Randy Pruitt advised the Quorum Court that we have two (2) appointment renewals for the Equalization Board members whose terms are expiring. (David Robinson and Jo Ann Gartman) Judge Pruitt explained that we needed a nomination and approval vote to give these members an additional term. A motion to appoint David Robinson was made by Justice Bobby Pierce and seconded by Justice Mike Nevens. Vote 9 for 0 against. A motion to appoint Jo Ann Gartman was made by Justice Tony Carder and seconded by Justice Grant Westmoreland. Vote 9 for 0 against.

District Court Automation Funds – Judge Randy Pruitt explained that we needed approval for purchases made for the District Court and paid by the City of Sheridan. With no further discussion a motion to approve was made by Justice Grant Westmoreland and seconded by Justice Mike Nevens. Vote 9 for 0 against.

Sales Tax: Sales Tax report was presented to the Quorum Court with no discussion.

Other Business: Ordinance No. 2020 – 05 An Appropriation Ordinance to Amend the Original Appropriation Ordinance 2019 – 08, The 2020 Annual Budget, Grant County Arkansas. Treasurer Tim Stuckey explained this is a Courthouse Security Grant that we are eligible for every two (2) years and needed approval to add to the budget. With no further discussion, a motion to approve was made by Justice Mike Nevens and seconded by Justice Grant Westmoreland. Vote 9 for 0 against.

Judge Randy Pruitt requested approval from the Quorum Court to allow some members of the Road Department to work on Fridays and pay them time and a half (1 $\frac{1}{2}$). Needed to get ready for paving. Justice Tony Carder asked about how many employees. Judge Pruitt responded six to eight (6 – 8) per week. With no further discussion a motion to approve was made by Justice Mike Nevens and seconded by Justice Brody Channell. Vote 9 for 0 against.

Motion to Adjourn.

Randy Pruitt, County Judge

Geral D. Harrison Jr., County and Circuit Clerk