



# BUCHANAN COUNTY COMMISSION

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## **Meeting Minutes Thursday, October 27, 2022 at 9:02 am**

In attendance were Commissioner Ron Hook, Commissioner Scott Burnham, Presiding Commissioner Lee Sawyer, Amy Kendall, Carolyn Paden and Sheela Simone with the Samaritan Center, Linda Judah with the Social Welfare Board, Jeff Penland with Housing Authority and Samaritan Center and Michelle Davidson with the Prosecuting Attorney's office.

Commissioner Hook called the meeting to order.

## **Meeting Agenda**

Commissioner Burnham made a motion to approve today's agenda. Presiding Commissioner Sawyer seconded the motion. All are in favor.

## **Meeting Minutes**

Commissioner Burnham made a motion to approve meeting minutes for Wednesday, October 26, 2022. Presiding Commissioner Sawyer seconded the motion. All are in favor.

## **Business**

The Center came to talk with the Commissioner and Prosecutor about their financial overview. Uncompensated care was reviewed. Carolyn Paden went through funding and why it is needed as well as different types of health care that receive different reimbursement for care. There was a discussion on funding programs and unfunded visits; some clients will not provide paperwork for The Center to claim to insurance. Presiding Commissioner Sawyer talked about the opioid settlement the county and the city will be getting. Buchanan County has provided 25K from gaming and the prosecutors office has contributed 25K from one of their accounts. Michelle Davidson is going to look into this further.

Court orders to transfer funds were presented and approved by Commissioner Hook, Presiding Commissioner Sawyer and Commissioner Burnham.

Court order authorizing a refund for the structure at 5605 King Hill Ave was presented and approved by Presiding Commissioner Sawyer, Commissioner Burnham and Commissioner Hook.

## **Adjourn**

With no further official business on the agenda Presiding Commissioner Sawyer made a motion to adjourn to any unofficial business that may develop during the day. Commissioner Burnham seconded the motion. All are in favor to adjourn. Meeting ended at 9:14 a.m.

**Thursday, October 27, 2022 @ 1:00pm**

**DED Broadband Stakeholders meeting at the Remington Nature Center**

Commissioners attended the meeting to hear about Connecting All Missourians programs funded through the Federal Broadband Equity, Access (BEAD) and Deployment program and the Digital Equity Act (DEA).