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Meeting Minutes Monday, August 14, 2023

In attendance were Commissioner Scott Burnham, Presiding Commissioner Scott Nelson, Commissioner Ron Hook, Counselor Josh Bachman, Chief Deputy County Clerk Alexis Crump, and Purchasing Agent Kim Hartman.

Commissioner Hook called the meeting to order at 9:05 am.

Meeting Agenda

Commissioner Hook made a motion to approve today's agenda. Presiding Commissioner Nelson seconded the motion.

Meeting Minutes

Commissioner Hook made a motion to approve meeting minutes for Friday, August 11, 2023. Presiding Commissioner Nelson seconded the motion.

Business

Commissioners discussed how to determine tax rates with Alexis Crump for the county real and personal property. More information will be gathered prior to the tax rate hearing currently scheduled for August 28, 2023. Ms. Crump left the meeting at 9:30.

Four court orders to transfer funds were presented and approved by Commissioner Hook, Presiding Commissioner Nelson, and Commissioner Burnham.

A court order certifying to the Missouri Department of Revenue-Sales Tax Division information regarding the passage of the three percent sales tax on retail sales of adult-use marijuana was presented and approved by Commissioner Hook, Presiding Commissioner Nelson, and Commissioner Burnham.

Commissioners discussed the buy out proposal presented by SBA Communications for the tower located in the North Shoppes area. Additional information is needed before deciding.

Bids

Bids were received and opened for the Back-up Generator for the Courthouse. Bids were taken under advisement.

Adjourn

With no further official business on the agenda Presiding Commissioner Nelson made a motion to adjourn to any unofficial business that may develop during the day. Commissioner Burnham seconded the motion. All are in favor of adjourning. The meeting ended at 10:47 a.m.