

**MINUTES, LIMESTONE COUNTY COMMISSION, DECEMBER 1, 2015**

The Limestone County Commission reconvened the meeting from November 16, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. today at the Washington Street Courthouse Annex, 310 West Washington Street, Athens, AL.

Present: Stanley Hill, Steve Turner, Jason Black, and Ben Harrison. Absent: None. Mark Yarbrough, Chairman presided.

**MOTION** was made by Steve Turner and seconded by Stanley Hill to suspend the Rules of Order to take action on the following Alabama Department of Transportation agreements.

The Administrator called the roll. Steve Turner, aye; Stanley Hill, aye; Jason Black, aye; and Ben Harrison, aye. Motion carries unanimously.

**MOTION** was made by Steve Turner and seconded by Ben Harrison to authorize the Chairman to execute the following agreements with the Alabama Department of Transportation:

Resurface East Limestone Road from Highway 72 to Copeland Road

FA Funds (2014)	\$101,920.17
FA Funds (2015)	\$533,000.00
County Funds	<u>\$336,810.19</u>
Total	\$971,730.36

Bridge Replacement on Ragsdale Creek Road over Ragsdale Creek

Federal ATRP Funds	\$742,942.72
County Funds	<u>\$191,010.32</u>
Total	\$933,953.04

The Chairman asked if there was any discussion. Commissioner Turner stated he would reimburse Districts 1, 3 and 4 for a fourth of the 2014 federal aid funds. The Administrator called the roll. Steve Turner, aye; Ben Harrison, aye; Stanley Hill, aye; and Jason Black, aye. Motion carries unanimously.

**MOTION** was made by Steve Turner and seconded by Stanley Hill to suspend the Rules of Order to approve a speed limit on East Limestone Road.

The Administrator called the roll. Steve Turner, aye; Stanley Hill, aye; Jason Black, aye; and Ben Harrison, aye. Motion carries unanimously.

**MOTION** was made by Steve Turner and seconded by Stanley Hill to approve a 45 mph speed limit on East Limestone Road, from Nick Davis Road to Copeland Road in District 2.

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The Chairman asked if there was any discussion. There was no discussion. The Administrator called the roll. Steve Turner, aye; Stanley Hill, aye; Jason Black, aye; and Ben Harrison, aye. Motion carries unanimously.

County Attorney Mark Maclin discussed the \$100,000.00 incentive to be paid by the county for the GE Project Development.

Commissioner Hill and Commissioner Turner both stated that due to a large amount of rain there may be more pot holes on the roads, and asked residents to be patient until repairs can be made.

Commissioner Turner said that a half mile of Glove Road was paved with in-house labor. He stated the county paving crew did a great job.

Commissioner Harrison said the tile has been installed for an alternate road for Grigsby Ferry Bridge.

Items were discussed for the December 7, 2015 agenda.

Adjourned at 10:19 a.m.