

LIMESTONE COUNTY COMMISSION, OCTOBER 3, 2022
WORK SESSION MINUTES

The Limestone County Commission reconvened the meeting from September 19, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. at the Clinton Street Courthouse Annex, 100 South Clinton Street, Athens, Alabama.

Present: Daryl Sammet, Danny Barksdale, Jason Black, and LaDon Townsend. Absent: None. Collin Daly, Chairman presided.

Items were discussed for today's commission meeting.

Chairman Daly and Commissioner Black commended Commissioner Sammet for his participation on the Alabama Mountains, Rivers, and Valley RC&D Council and for Commissioner Sammet's help in obtaining funds for the electrical work at Cowford Campground.

As to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Limestone County Commission and the City of Athens for work on Newby and Moyers Roads, Engineer Marc Massey informed the Commission that the County will provide labor and the City will provide materials.

Chairman Daly reported that the following was left off of the work session agenda but is on the commission meeting agenda: "Approve a Memorandum of Understanding between the 39th Judicial Circuit Family Treatment Court and the Alabama Administrative Office of Courts to provide financial support to the Family Treatment Court in the amount of \$30,000.00."

There was discussion surrounding the generator bid and the fact that this generator will be propane instead of diesel and said generator will be paid through the public building fund.

During the Engineer's Report, there was extensive discussion regarding paving, roads for next construction season, striping, debris pick-up, growth, etc.

The Chairman informed the Commission that District 3 had the following items to be sold on GovDeals which were not originally listed on the agendas:

- 1) 2 – Military liquid tanks and water pump units;
- 2) 1994 Forklift;
- 3) 5kw Generator;
- 4) 10kw Generator;
- 5) 15kw Generator;
- 6) Walker Heavy Duty Jack;
- 7) Excavator Bucket; and
- 8) Aluminum panels.

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Commissioner Black informed the Commission that the old generators will be sold, and the funds earned from those will go towards newer generators to have as backup for disasters.

Commissioner Sammet, Commissioner Barksdale, Commissioner Black, Commissioner Townsend, and Chairman Daly all individually welcomed Attorney Drew Dill to the county staff.

Commissioner Black requested that the newspapers remind everyone about the abundance of farmers driving equipment on the roads and stated, "We are still in a rural area and people need to slow down and be appreciative." Commissioner Barksdale stated that our roads are "farm to market" roads, and Commissioner Black commented that the county receives funding to maintain and fix those roads because they are "farm to market".

Chairman Daly reminded everyone that the month of October is awareness for breast cancer, dyslexia, and Down syndrome.

Recessed until 10:00 a.m.