

THE PRATT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2019 AT 4:00 P.M. IN THE COURTHOUSE COMMISSION ROOM WITH THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS PRESENT: JOE R. REYNOLDS, GLENNA L. BORHO AND THOMAS W. JONES III. ROBERT SCHMISSEUR, COUNTY COUNSELOR, GALE ROSE, PRATT TRIBUNE REPORTER AND SHERRY KRUSE, COUNTY CLERK WERE ALSO PRESENT.

THE MEETING WAS OPENED WITH THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

SHERIFF WHITE REPORTED THAT HE IS GOING TO CONTACT SHAWN HARDING SINCE HE HASN'T HEARD ANYTHING FROM HIM.

COMMISSIONERS DISCUSSED THE RURAL OPPORTUNITY ZONE PROGRAM; COMMISSIONER BORHO MADE A MOTION TO ADJUST THE ROZ ANNUAL AMOUNT TO \$12,000 FOR 2020. COMMISSIONER JONES SECONDED THE MOTION. MOTION CARRIED 3-0. COMMISSIONER BORHO MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT RESOLUTION 6-24-2019 AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN THE RURAL OPPORTUNITY ZONE STUDENT LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM. COMMISSIONER JONES SECONDED THE MOTION. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

SCOTT HARRIS, EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES DIRECTOR, PRESENTED A SALARY ADJUSTMENT FORM CHANGING A PART-TIME EMPLOYEE TO FULL TIME; POWER LOAD COT INSTALLED IN PR3.

ROBERT SCHMISSEUR, COUNTY COUNSELOR, TOLD THE BOARD HE HAS CONTACTED THE FSA OFFICE FOR CONFIRMATION OF ACRES ON THE FARM LEASE AGREEMENTS WITH GARY BARKER AND JESSE BLASI; REPORTED HE HAS SENT LETTERS TO LOCAL LAWYER OFFICES ABOUT THE COUNTY COUNSELOR OPENING AND RESUMES ARE DUE BY MONDAY, JULY 1ST AT 12:00.

JEANETTE SIEMENS AND KATE CUMMINGS, CIRCLES, REPORTED ON THE PROGRAM; JEANETTE SAID THEY CONTINUE TO MEET ONCE A WEEK AND HAVE 10-11 LEADERS; PCC HAS OFFERED SCHOLARSHIPS TO ANYONE THAT QUALIFIES; STARTED A SMALL REVOLVING LOAN FUND WHICH IS USUALLY USED FOR CAR REPAIRS OR TRANSPORTATION; 5TH MONDAY BIG VIEW MEETING WENT OVER THE CLIFF EFFECT WHERE CLIENTS LOSE ASSISTANCE USUALLY FOOD STAMPS AND CHILD CARE; NEXT TIME THEY WILL TALK ABOUT HOUSING; JEANETTE SAID THEY GREATLY APPRECIATE THE SUPPORT PROVIDED BY THE COUNTY AND IT HAS HELPED THEM TO GROW; KATE TOLD HER STORY OF COMING FROM POVERTY AND HOW IMPORTANT THE RELATIONSHIPS AND SUPPORT HAVE BEEN KEY TO THEM; COMMISSIONERS AGREED IT IS A GREAT PROGRAM.

ERIC KILLOUGH, PRATT PUBLIC LIBRARY DIRECTOR, PRESENTED THE 2020 BUDGET REQUEST.

COMMISSIONER JONES MOVED TO SIGN PAYMENT VOUCHERS FOR JUNE 24, 2019. COMMISSIONER BORHO SECONDED THE MOTION. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

COMMISSIONER JONES MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN THE MEETING. COMMISSIONER BORHO SECONDED THE MOTION. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

JOE R. REYNOLDS CHAIRMAN

GLENNA L. BORHO MEMBER

ATTEST:

SHERRY KRUSE
COUNTY CLERK

THOMAS W. JONES III MEMBER

