

COUNTY COMMISSION RECORD, CAMDEN COUNTY, MISSOURI

Tuesday 09/03/2024

The Camden County Commission met with Presiding Commissioner Ike Skelton, First District Commissioner James Gohagan and Second District Commissioner Don Williams.

Meeting Agenda

Commissioner Skelton amended the agenda to read an official letter he created and a vote could take place. Commissioner Williams made a motion to amend the agenda. Commissioner Gohagan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Commissioner Gohagan (aye) and Commissioner Williams (aye).

Commissioner Williams made a motion to approve today's agenda. Commissioner Gohagan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Commissioner Williams (aye) and Commissioner Gohagan (aye). Session opened at 10:00 A.M.

Prior Minutes

Commissioner Williams made a motion to approve the previous meeting minutes. Commissioner Gohagan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Commissioner Williams (aye) and Commissioner Gohagan (aye).

New Business

Second Public Hearing- Speed Limit Reduction on Dry Hollow Road, Camdenton- Commissioner Skelton opened this discussion by, again, stating that the commission cannot make any decisions on this matter until after the third public hearing is held. He then asked if there were any parties present to speak in favor of reducing the speed limit. Lea Ann Addington was present again and stated she is still in favor of reducing the speed limit on Dry Hollow Road. There were no other parties present that wished to speak in favor or opposition.

The final public hearing will be held September 5, 2024.

Other Business

Official Letter- Phylcia Carson, Osage Beach Police Officer- Commissioner Skelton read an official letter he created ordering the flag be flown at half-mast from present time through Thursday, September 5, 2024 when she will be laid to rest. Commissioner Williams made a motion to lower the flag to half-mast. Commissioner Gohagan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Commissioner Williams (aye) and Commissioner Gohagan (aye).

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September 3, 2024

Osage Beach Police Department
ATTN: Chief Todd Davis
1000 City Parkway
Osage Beach, MO 65065

RE: Phylcia Carson, Osage Beach Police Officer


It is with my deepest sympathy that I write this letter on behalf of the Camden County Commission. In a time of tragedy such as this, we often grasp at "why". Many times, there simply is no answer. In the following days, weeks, and months, those left behind will need utmost support in every nature. And it is in these times when true pain and worry can only be suppressed by knowing a higher power is in complete control.

[Matthew 11:28-30] ²⁸ "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. ²⁹ Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. ³⁰ For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

Please, know there is a complete community here to help; do not hesitate to ask.

To show support and honor, the Camden County Commission is ordering the United States and State flag at the county courthouse to fly at half-mast until end of day Thursday, September 5, 2024, the day Officer Carson is laid to rest.

So ordered this day, September 3, 2024.


Ike Skelton,
Presiding Commissioner


James Gohagan
First District Commissioner


Don Williams
Second District Commissioner

Adjourn: With no further official business on the agenda, Commissioner Williams made a motion to adjourn to any unofficial business that may develop during the day. Commissioner Gohagan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Commissioner Williams (aye) and Commissioner Gohagan (aye). Session closed at 10:04 A.M.

Ordered that the Commission adjourn until further notice.

Eke Skelton, Presiding Commissioner

Jordan Stanton, Admin. Assistant