

The Jasper County Commission met in general session on Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at the Jasper County Courthouse, Room 101. The meeting was opened at 9:00 a.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance and prayer by Sheriff Kaiser.

Roll Call:

John Bartosh and Darieus Adams are present. Jim Honey is absent.

Approval of minutes:

Commissioner Adams made the motion to approve the minutes of August 9, 2016. Commissioner Bartosh seconded. Minutes approved.

Presentations:

Steve Lewis, Olsson Associates, presented Heritage Acres Plat #14 (28 lots) and Heritage Acres Commercial Plat. There was discussion that the roads within the plats would meet the county requirements for roads. Commissioner Adams made the motion to approve the plats. Commissioner Bartosh seconded. Plats approved.

Gina Leary, an independent agent specializing in voluntary benefits, asked the commission to consider allowing her to administer the employee's voluntary insurance benefits for the next year.

New Business:

Bids were opened on August 9, 2016 for the Jenkins Creek Bank Stabilization project. Six bids were opened: Bennett, Inc. (\$59,649.00), Branco Enterprises (\$129,825.00), G&G Construction Co., Inc. (\$166,741.00), Jeff Asbell Excavating & Trucking, Inc. (\$86,868.50), Sprouls Construction, Inc. (\$102,720.00) and Vaughn Companies (\$53,071.00). Commissioner Adams made the motion to accept the bid from Vaughn Dirtworks, LLC (AKA Vaughn Companies) for \$53,071.00. Commissioner Bartosh seconded. Bid awarded to Vaughn Dirtworks.

The City of Carthage notified the commission that a request has been made for a special use permit for the Fair Acres Sports Complex (west parking lot next to YMCA) for the operation of a carnival in conjunction with the 50<sup>th</sup> annual Maple Leaf Festival. Pursuant to Carthage city code all property owners within 185' of said request are to be notified.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,  
Marilyn S. Baugh  
County Clerk