

October 26, 2020

On this the 26th day of October 2020, the Coffee County Commission met in a regular meeting in Commission Chambers in New Brockton, AL at 9:00 AM. Those present at the said meeting were: Kim Ellis, Josh Carnley, Al Britt, Jimmy Jones, Jim Thompson and Tom Grimsley. Dean Smith, Commissioner and Chairman, was presiding with none absent. John R. Morgan III, Administrator/Attorney, was not in attendance.

Chairman Smith noted that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order. Invocation was given by Commissioner Jones followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

BJ Cardwell and Fred Duff with the Christ Community Church Mobile Food Bank thanked the Commission for their support and use of the county facilities. Motion was made by Commissioner Smith and seconded by Commissioner Ellis that the Coffee County Commission extend the use of the facility another year for the mobile food bank. All voted Aye.

Motion was made by Commissioner Grimsley and seconded by Commissioner Jones that the Coffee County Commission adopt the minutes from the October 12, 2020 meeting. All voted Aye.

County Engineer Marty Lentz came before the Commission to request approval of a proposed plat for a subdivision located on 47 acres off of AL92 southeast of Enterprise. Pearson Farms will have 53 lots and meets all the county subdivision regulations. Motion was made by Commissioner Britt and seconded by Commissioner Thompson that the Coffee County Commission approve the request. All voted Aye.

County Engineer Marty Lentz stated that the final Rebuild Alabama resurfacing project on CR723 was completed and noted the highway department will be replacing pipes on CR205, CR107, CR377, CR308 and CR315.

Mike Thornton, Environmental Services, requested approval of a lease purchase agreement with Bancelease Acceptance to finance the landfill compactor approved at the September 28, 2020 meeting. Motion was made by Commissioner Ellis and seconded by Commissioner Britt that the Coffee County Commission approve the request. All voted Aye.

Motion was made by Commissioner Carnley and seconded by Commissioner Jones that the Coffee County Commission approve the purchase of a CAT D3 dozer for \$170,572.25 from Sourcewell for the landfill as requested by Mike Thornton. All voted Aye.

EMA Director James Brown updated the Commission on Tropical Storm Zeta. It is currently moving 9 miles per hour and will turn into a hurricane before it makes landfall. The main

impact will be high winds for our area. COVID-19 numbers are also increasing. Please continue to wear mask, wash hands and social distance.

County Agent Gavin Mauldin updated the Commission on upcoming events.

Sheriff Sutton reminded everyone that Halloween is Saturday. He also stated there will be extra deputies on Election Day.

Commissioner Thompson thanked Wayne Farms and all the vendors for feeding the poll workers and first responders Thursday night.

With no further business, motion was made by Commissioner Grimsley and seconded by Commissioner Carnley that the Coffee County Commission adjourn until its next meeting. All voted Aye.

Dean Smith, Chairman
Commissioner District 1

Kim Ellis
Commissioner District 2

Josh Carnley
Commissioner District 3

Al Britt
Commissioner District 4

Jimmy Jones
Commissioner District 5

Jim Thompson
Commissioner District 6

Tom Grimsley
Commissioner District 7