

**Russell County Commission
Russell County Commission Chambers
Meeting Minutes December 14, 2022
9:30 A.M. EST**

An adjourned meeting of the Russell County Commission was called to order by Chairman Rod Costello.

The invocation was given by Reverend Curtis Doleman with Praise Ministry Tabernacle.

Commissioner Reed led the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

There were no public comments made.

Chairman Costello thanked BEAM Cable TV for broadcasting the meeting live for the public on Facebook, and The Citizen of East Alabama for covering the meetings. He welcomed the elected officials, department heads, media, and guests.

County Administrator Paulette Colbert called roll of the Commission. Members present were Commissioner Gentry Lee, Commissioner Cattie Epps, Commissioner Chance Corbett, Commissioner Scott Chambers, Commissioner Ronnie Reed, and Chairman Rod Costello. Commissioner Larry Screws was not present. Also present was County Attorney Hope Hicks, and County Administrator Paulette Colbert who kept the minutes.

A quorum was established by the County Administrator Paulette Colbert.

Chairman Costello stated that the agenda was approved at the Monday night work session on December 12, 2022.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Chairman Corbett asked for approval of the November 23, 2022 Commission meeting minutes. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the meeting minutes. Seconded by Commissioner Chambers. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

PROCLAMATIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND PRESENTATIONS:

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Reed who presented a proclamation for Jesse William (J.W.) Brannen, Jr. County Administrator Paulette Colbert read the following proclamation that was previously approved by the Commission.

**Russell County Commission
PROCLAMATION
TO HONOR POSTHUMOUSLY
Jesse William (J.W.) Brannen, JR.
November 19, 1937 † October 24, 2022**

WHEREAS: *the Russell County Commission along with the families and community of Russell County wish to salute Mr. Jessie William (J.W.) Brannen, Jr. and celebrate his life, and;*

WHEREAS: *J.W. worked as the Russell County Chief Appraiser for 30 years, was a realtor for many years, and a Phenix City councilman. He served on many boards and committees and was involved in obtaining legislation to further the progress of Russell County, and;*

WHEREAS: *After retirement J.W. was the Phenix City Economic development director and later became a legislative lobbyist for Phenix City. He was the former president of the Democratic party of Phenix City, Alabama, and;*

WHEREAS: *He loved hunting, especially alligator hunting and fishing at his river place in Florida, and he loved his horses, and they were an integral part of his life. He showed horses and judged horse shows. He was instrumental in establishing the Exchange Club's Horse Show, and;*

THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED: *The Russell County Commission wishes to extend its heartfelt gratitude to Jessie William (J.W.) Brannen, Jr. and his family for sharing his life, his passion and devotion with all of us.*

This Proclamation adopted and approved this 14th day of December, 2022.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Reed who presented the request to create proclamations honoring the retirements of Judge Bellamy and District Attorney Kenneth Davis. Commissioner Reed moved to approve the request. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Reed who presented Rylo Swift from Rylo's ATM, LLC with the request to have his ATM placed in the Russell County courthouse. Attorney Hicks stated that she received the contract from Mrs. Colbert, and she did not have any issues with the contract but if people do come onto the property and have a slip or fall situation, you would have that liability. Commissioner Lee asked if we would be responsible if the machine was taken out of the building (stolen). Attorney Hicks said that we wouldn't, but it would be our responsibility to keep the machine safe but there shouldn't be an additional liability. After further discussion, Ms. Hicks stated that she will get with Mr. Swift to revise the contract fee and adjust that he acknowledges there is already an ATM present so that everything matches on paper to what the Commission has agreed with. They will put it on the next meeting agenda under business.

BUSINESS ITEMS:

Chairman Costello recognized Enforcement Officer Bill Friend who presented an abatement nuisance complaint on 58 Duke Drive, Ft. Mitchell, Alabama. Mr. Friend asked the Commission, by resolution, to declare the property a public nuisance and order the abatement of the nuisance. Commissioner Epps moved to accept the recommendation. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed. Mr. Friend then requested that a public hearing be scheduled for this property on December 28, 2022, at 9:30 am, at the next scheduled Commission meeting. Commissioner Lee moved to accept the request. Seconded by Commissioner Epps. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Enforcement Officer Bill Friend who presented an abatement nuisance complaint on 16 Bob White Court, Phenix City, Alabama. Mr. Friend asked the Commission, by resolution, to declare the property a public nuisance and order the abatement of the nuisance and requested that a public hearing be scheduled for this property on December 28, 2022, at 9:30 am, at the next scheduled Commission meeting. Commissioner Corbett moved to accept the recommendation. Seconded by Commissioner Chambers. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Enforcement Officer Bill Friend who presented an abatement nuisance complaint on 29 Blueberry Road, Seale, Alabama. Mr. Friend asked the Commission, by resolution, to declare the property a public nuisance and order the abatement of the nuisance and requested that a public hearing be scheduled for this property on December 28, 2022, at 9:30 am, at the next scheduled Commission meeting. Chairman Costello stated that these are nuisance complaints by the public. Commissioner Epps moved to accept the recommendation. Seconded by Commissioner Corbett. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Reed who requested to donate the following from his project money: \$1,000 to the Mayor's Ball, \$500 to Phenix City Housing Authority, and \$500 to Mt. Olive Intermediate School. Commissioner Reed moved to accept his request. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Epps who requested to donate \$2,000 to the Mother Mary Mission for the Women's Veteran Home in Phenix City from her project money. Commissioner Epps moved to accept her request. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Judge Harden who presented the Alexander Family Cemetery request at 615 Nuckols Road in Seale, Alabama. Commissioner Epps moved to accept the request. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Judge Harden who presented a salary schedule amendment request to use the salary of one of the employees in his department that has been out for a long time without pay to fund a temporary employee at \$11.00/hour. Once the employee comes back, it will revert to the full-time position. Commissioner Lee moved to accept the request. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Judge Harden who presented their indexing renewal fee request, which is a \$5.00 fee collected every time they record a document that goes into the Indexing Fund. He stated they use those fees for the betterment of the Probate Office for training, for buying computer equipment, etc. and it keeps them from going to the General Fund for those type of items. This fee must voted to be renewed every 2 years. Also, he added that it would take a Legislative Act to go up on the fees in the future year but it's currently \$5.00. Commissioner Epps moved to accept the request. Seconded by Commissioner Chambers. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Commissioner Corbett moved to postpone the building codes request.

Chairman Costello recognized EMA Director David Martin who requested the Chair's signature for his appointment on the Southeast Alabama Emergency Medical Services Council (SEAEMS). Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the request. Seconded by Commissioner Chambers. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized EMA Director David Martin who requested the Chair's signature on the annual 2022 fiscal year Emergency Management Cooperative agreement with the Alabama Emergency Management Agency for the EMPG grant in the amount of \$35,482.00 Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the request and to allow the Chair to sign the agreement. Seconded by Commissioner Chambers. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

COUNTY ENGINEER:

County Engineer Shawn Blakeney discussed the current county paving projects being completed.

SANITATION:

Sanitation Director Ward Dudley announced dates and locations of overflow dumpsters for the holidays, along with transfer station updates.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT:

Chairman Costello recognized Economic Development Director Victor Cross who presented the DCIP Grant proposal (Defense Community Infrastructure Program) and requested the county work with the city of Phenix City to help put together a proposal for the DCIP Grant for sewage in Ft. Mitchell, Alabama, and the county pay \$33,000.00 out of the ARPA funds for Ardurra Engineering to complete a Preliminary Engineering Report (PER). Commissioner Epps moved to accept the proposal. Seconded by Commissioner Corbett. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2:

Commissioner Chambers, no; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. The Commission passed the motion 5 to 1, contingent upon the attorney agreeing on the agreement.

ADMINISTRATOR:

County Administrator Paulette Colbert presented the request of a Garbage Collection Write-off Policy referring to the writing off of receivables associated with garbage collections. The need was brought to her attention by our county examiner. Mrs. Colbert recommended putting a policy in place which corresponds to the current way this is being handled on our financials. This will not change the way anything is currently being handled. We will still try to collect the delinquent accounts. The policy will be: The allowance for doubtful accounts is equal to the total past due 120+ balance per the utilities accounts receivable report on the last day of the fiscal year. Commissioner Corbett asked if the attorney would need to see this. Mrs. Colbert stated that she did not think so. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the request. Seconded by Commissioner Epps. Commissioner Lee stated, for the record, we have been doing this for years and the auditor requested having a policy in writing. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

County Administrator Paulette Colbert presented the approval of the 2023 holiday schedule which is the same schedule approved by the governor including any additional days that she might grant during the year. Commissioner Lee moved to approve the request. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

County Administrator Paulette Colbert presented the approval of the 2023 Commission Meeting schedule. Commissioner Lee moved to approve. Seconded by Commissioner Corbett. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

County Administrator Paulette Colbert presented the approval of payment for an invoice from the City of Phenix City for \$500 for sponsoring the Santa Claus float in the 2022 bi-city Christmas parade from Contingent Fund. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the request. Seconded by Commissioner Chambers. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

CORONAVIRUS RESCUE ACT FUND:

County Administrator Paulette Colbert presented the request to pay an invoice from Hecht Burdeshaw Architects, Inc. in the amount of \$2,856.00 for services rendered through October 31, 2022 for design contract for the Russell County Public Logistics Building, as listed as RCSO COVID Supply Storage Building, from the Coronavirus Rescue Act Fund. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the request. Seconded by Commissioner Chambers. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

County Administrator Paulette Colbert presented the request to pay an invoice to Hosey-Lancour Construction, LLC invoice in the amount of \$118,710.57 for the construction of the new Russell County Public Safety Logistics Building as is listed as Project RCSO-Covid Supply Storage Building, to be paid from the Coronavirus Rescue Act Fund. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the request. Seconded by Commissioner Chambers. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

County Administrator Paulette Colbert presented the request to pay an invoice from Ball, Ball, Matthews & Novak for services rendered and expense incurrent in the amount of \$1,080.00 from the Coronavirus Rescue Act Fund. Commissioner Lee moved to approve the request. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes;

District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

COUNTY ATTORNEY:

Attorney Hope Hicks updated the Commission on the Pittsview school property, how County Engineer Blakeney has participated, and they are waiting for results from the surveyor.

COMMISSIONER DISCUSSION:

Chairman Costello thanked all the employees and department heads for what they do and wished them all a nice holiday season.

Commissioner Corbett extended the thanks to the boards and committees, example with the Planning Commission, and the appreciation of what they do on their own time coming in doing so much work for us, along with hearing from the citizens and their dedication is much appreciated.

Commissioner Epps and Commissioner Reed extended their best wishes for the holidays.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Announcements were made.

The Commission took a 10-minute break before the ARPA meeting session.

ARPA MEETING:

Chairman Costello recognized Judge Harden who requested to use ARPA funds for digitization of the older marriage records (which are stich books from the year 1837 to 2007 to be done in house) with RCI Technologies for \$97,620. This is out of the \$122,858.60 original requested amount. He stated that Attorney Hicks said it was an approved expenditure. Attorney Hicks suggested to have a meeting in a year to verify all the ARPA money that has been spent since we must account for it. She suggested Judge Harden request the full \$122,858.60 now so it will be approved to be used. Commissioner Lee moved to approve \$122,858.60 paid from the ARPA funds for digitizing Judge Harden's books. Seconded by Commissioner Corbett. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who presented the request by the administrator for the cost of federal audits and attorney's fees that would be related to the ARPA grant. Commissioner Corbett moved to set aside \$200,000.00 for these fees. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello asked that if Attorney Hicks sees or hears anything that should be re-worded or taken out, to please step in at any time. Ms. Hicks agreed. Commissioner Lee moved that, from what Ms. Hicks suggested, for any ARPA funds allocated today, the Commission wants a meeting update in a year, so the Commission can then either reallocate funds or continue the process if they are still working on what was approved specifically. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who spoke about the previously allocated money for BEAM for broadband throughout Russell County. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the funding for the previously allocated 2 million dollars to partner with BEAM for broadband throughout Russell County, after they have waited for approval on a state level to make sure we could partner with a local company.

Seconded by Commissioner Lee. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who presented the volunteer fire departments' requests from Crawford, Ladonia, and Ft. Mitchell for life saving equipment. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the Crawford, Ladonia, and Ft. Mitchell Fire Departments request for \$140,000 each, and for Mt. Olive Sunderland Fire Department \$87,000, for a grand total of \$507,000. Seconded by Commissioner Lee.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Chambers who moved to approve \$1 million for the Russell County Water Authority infrastructure. Commissioner Corbett seconded. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who presented the request to allocate funds for the Russell County Emergency Management Agency for \$75,000 for an ADA compliant rescue trailer to be used at events and other pandemic or disasters, and \$150,000 for the AED program to continue to spread AEDs (automated external defibrillator) across our county to save lives, making this total request amount for \$225,000. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve the request. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. Attorney Hicks had the notes from the original meeting and stated that this money was not specifically set aside. EMA Director David Martin spoke that this request will cover AEDs for the schools, fire departments, county buildings, along with the sheriff's vehicles that would be beneficial to the county which totals 167 AEDs for a total cost of the project to be \$328,956, which includes an 8-year warranty on the AEDs. Mr. Martin stated that the school agreed to pay \$15,291, which is half of the amount and covers 18 AEDs used in the school system. Commissioner Corbett rescinded the original motion because the amounts were wrong. Sheriff Taylor stated that he was going to make a proposal for himself because all their AEDs are out of date with dead batteries, and completely out of life expectancy. He realized that Mr. Martin was already working on the project so he went to him and asked he if could add what he needs for his office into Mr. Martin's number, then that will cover the whole county. He wanted them all to be the same, so that everybody knows how to use them. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve \$313,665 for Russell County Emergency Management Agency to purchase AEDs. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who presented the request to allocate funds for the sewer proposal from Barrett Simpson for the Sanitary Sewer project for Ladonia, Alabama (on Highway 80 corridor), and the report was delivered on September 14, 2021 with the total amount of \$1,137,000 (amounted has been adjusted to the current day). This project is within the Phenix City sewer planning jurisdiction, and we will be working with Phenix City, in the end handing ownership and operation to the City of Phenix City sewer jurisdiction. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve 1.375 million dollars for the sewer project, and he referenced the report from Barrett Simpson on 9/14/2021. Seconded by Commissioner Chambers. After further discussion, Chairman Costello asked Attorney Hicks was asked if we put infrastructure in the ground and a year later from now, that area becomes annexed in, is there any recourse that we would have to recoup the funds that we would have put into the ground? She stated that there is not. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, no; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, no, and District 3: Chairman Costello, no. Motion failed 3 yes and 3 no.

Chairman Costello moved to take a recess and come back in an hour at 1 pm ET. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. All Commissioners present were in favor by saying aye. Motion passed for a recess.

Chairman Costello stated the recess has ending and called the meeting back to order. He restated the allocations previously approved in this meeting.

Commissioner Lee moved to limit the non-profits appropriations to be up to \$10,000. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, no; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, no; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, no. Motion failed 3 to 3.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who presented the Phenix City Exchange Club allocation request. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve \$10,000 for the Phenix City Exchange Club. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who presented the Russell County Child Advocacy Center allocation request. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve \$10,000 for the Russell County Child Advocacy Center. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who presented the Russell County Historical Commission allocation request. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve \$10,000 for the Russell County Historical Commission. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who presented the Mother Mary Mission allocation request. Commissioner Corbett moved to approve \$10,000 for the Mother Mary Mission. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Reed who presented the New Life Center for Change (Teen University) allocation request. Commissioner Reed moved to approve \$10,000 for the New Life Center for Change (Teen University). Seconded by Commissioner Corbett. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello presented the Beyond Expectations allocation request. Chairman Costello moved to approve \$10,000 for the Beyond Expectations. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Epps who presented the United to Save Ourselves allocation request. Commissioner Epps moved to approve \$10,000 for the United to Save Ourselves. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett,

yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, no; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Chairman Costello recognized Commissioner Corbett who presented the request for lighting in Ladonia, the pavilions, and restrooms. Attorney Hicks stated that she thinks the lighting would be an approved use for the ARPA funds money. Commissioner Chambers moved to set aside \$700,000 for the lighting at Ladonia, the pavilions, and restrooms. Seconded by Commissioner Corbett. Attorney Hicks suggested to raise the amount to \$1,000,000 to set aside to cover the costs while they get prices together and they can split the amount later. Commissioner Chambers amended his motion to set aside \$1,000,000 for the lighting at Ladonia, the pavilions, and restrooms. Seconded by Commissioner Lee. County Administrator Paulette Colbert called vote of the Commission as follows: District 1: Commissioner Lee, yes; District 5: Commissioner Epps, yes; District 6: Commissioner Corbett, yes; District 2: Commissioner Chambers, yes; District 4: Commissioner Reed, yes; and District 3: Chairman Costello, yes. Motion passed.

Commissioner Corbett moved to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Reed. Meeting was adjourned.