

POLK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
Public Hearing and Regular Meeting
May 20, 2024 - 5:00 PM
R. Jay Foster Hall of Justice - Womack Building
Columbus, NC
MINUTES

PRESENT: Chairman Yoder, Commissioner Beiler, and Commissioner Moore, and Commissioner Overholt. Also in attendance were County Manager Pittman, Clerk to the Board Tipton, media, and citizens. Absent: Vice-Chairman Melton and Attorney Berg.

1. Public Hearing

A. Call to Order the Public Hearing - Chairman Yoder. The purpose of the public hearing was to take public comment on the proposed new road names, Anderson Drive and Fireside Trail. The public hearing was properly advertised in the Tryon Daily Bulletin.

B. Citizen Comments.

There were none.

C. Commissioner Comments.

There were none.

D. Adjourn Public Hearing.

Commissioner Moore moved to adjourn the Public Hearing, seconded by Commissioner Beiler and the motion carried unanimously.
Absent: Melton


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2. Call to Order - Chairman Yoder.

3. Invocation - Commissioner Moore.

4. Pledge of Allegiance - Chairman Yoder.

5. Approval of Agenda

A. Items may be added or removed at this time.

Manager Pittman requested cancellation of the May 21st Budget Work Session be added as Agenda Item #11.

Commissioner Moore moved to approve the agenda as amended, seconded by Commissioner Overholt and the motion carried unanimously.

Absent: Melton

6. Consent Agenda - Motion to approve the consent agenda.

- A. Approval of May 6, 2024 Regular Meeting Minutes.
- B. Approval of May 13, 2024 Special Meeting Minutes.
- C. Sheriffs Department Monthly Activity Report for April 2024.

Commissioner Beiler moved to approve the consent agenda, seconded by Commissioner Moore and the motion carried unanimously.

Absent: Melton

7. Citizen Comments on Non-Agenda Items.

There were five citizen comments on Non-Agenda Items.

8. Polk County Schools - Brandon Schweitzer, Ed. D., Director of Operations.

Dr. Schweitzer presented the Needs-Based Public School Capital Fund (NBPSCF) Request for approval.

Commissioner Moore moved to approve the Distribution Request, seconded by Commissioner Beiler and the motion carried unanimously.

Absent: Melton

9. Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Week Proclamation - Michael Crater, EMS Director.

Michael Crater read the proclamation and requested adoption by the Board.

Commissioner Overholt moved to adopt the proclamation, seconded by Commissioner Beiler and the motion carried unanimously.

Absent: Melton

10. New Polk County Road Names - Anderson Drive (off Howard Gap Rd. Saluda Township) and Fireside Trail (off PVT RD Misery Ridge Trail White Oak Township) - Melissa O'Loughlin, Tax Administrator.

Commissioner Moore moved to approve the road names as presented, seconded by Commissioner Beiler and the motion carried unanimously.

Absent: Melton

11. Cancellation of the May 21, 2024 Budget Worksession.

Commissioner Overholt moved to cancel the May 21, 2024 Budget Worksession, seconded by Commissioner Beiler and the motion carried unanimously.

Absent: Melton

12. Citizen Comments on Agenda Items.

There were none.

13. Volunteer Board Applications

- A. Applications for Consideration: Ann Bezner - Mental Health Advisory Board, Aaron Greene - Mental Health Advisory Board.

Commissioner Overholt moved to approve the applicants as presented, seconded by Commissioner Beiler and the motion carried unanimously.
Absent: Melton

14. Commissioner Comments.

The Commissioners collectively thanked those in attendance.

15. Adjournment

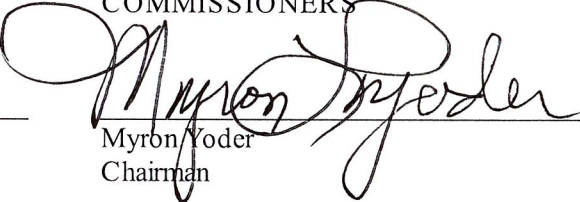
Commissioner Moore moved to adjourn, seconded by Commissioner Beiler and the motion carried unanimously.
Absent: Melton

Attest:

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Kristy A Tipton
Clerk to the Board



Myron Yoder
Chairman