

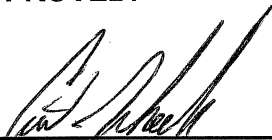
MONROE COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES

April 3, 2025

The Commission met according to adjournment with Curt Wheeler, Presiding Commissioner, and Associate Commissioners David Hays and Justin Edwards present, and among other proceedings, the following orders were had:

1. The Commission approved the Minutes from the 03/31/2025 meeting.
2. The Commission met with Monroe County's Attorney, Brent Haden, with a Grainbelt update. Audrain County, Callaway County, Chariton County, and Monroe County must band together as a package deal and sign on with Grainbelt for the lawsuit to be dropped. If not, the Lawsuit will continue. Grainbelt has provided a road use agreement, and it was determined to call a public meeting with area property owners to discuss the details and create a plan of action. The public meeting is scheduled for April 14, 2025.
3. Alisha Adams met with the Commission concerning her gravel road #875, needing gravel and repair of potholes. Dean Johnson, R&B supervisor, was notified of this issue.
4. FMLA was requested for a County Employee while her dad is in hospice. The commission will revisit this issue on April 28th, 2025.

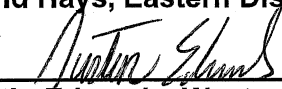
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Justin Edwards, Western District Commissioner

Attest:



Beth Whelan, Monroe County Clerk



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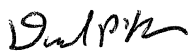
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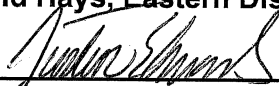
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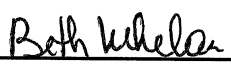
1. The Commission approved the Minutes from the 04/03/2025 meeting.
2. The Commission met with Ralph Lemogelli regarding the Monroe City Area Fire Protection District. Ralph has requested reports to reflect the Revenue that the Fire Dept. has received. In 2019, their tax levy expired, and no action was taken to reinstate the tax levy. Therefore, the Fire District did not receive revenue from Monroe County. In 2024, the Fire District levy was reinstated after placing it on the ballot, and it passed. Ralph has received a multitude of reports from the Collector, Treasurer, and Clerk's office. His request has been fulfilled. He has also requested information on PILT revenue, and the Commission explained to him that money goes into our General Revenue account and assists our 911 Joint Communications department.

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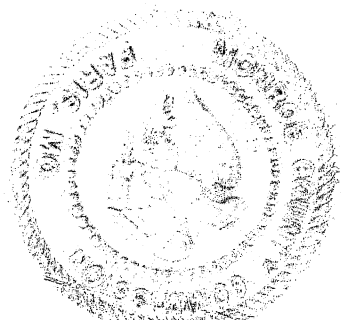


MONROE COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES

April 10, 2025

The Commission met according to adjournment with Curt Wheeler, Presiding Commissioner, and Associate Commissioners David Hays and Justin Edwards present, and among other proceedings, the following orders were had:

- 1. The Commission approved the Minutes from the 04/07/2025 meeting.**
- 2. Chris Futrell from FLOCK Safety made a presentation for placing cameras around Monroe County to assist local law enforcement with Amber alerts, Silver alerts, etc. The City of Paris also attended this meeting. Please see the attached email for more information. Presiding Commissioner, Curt Wheeler, made the motion to purchase five (5) FLOCK cameras to be placed in different areas of Monroe County. David Hays seconded this motion, all in favor, motion passed. Payment will come out of General Revenue this year, but the County may consider adding a G/L line to Monroe County Sheriff's portion of the budget for the Fiscal year 2026.**
- 3. Mike Minor was invited to visit with the Monroe County Commission to discuss how the funds from the Mark Twain Reservoir could be spent. Mike explained that the funds for MTR were given to the County from the Corp. of Engineers when the Cannon Dam was being built. This money is to be used to maintain the roads that were given back to the county. It is to be spent on gravel, road grader purchase, and other related expenses. This account was created in 1970. More consideration will be directed towards how these funds will be used for future Road & Bridge purposes. For future budget preparation, we may look at doing away with this budget line and adding it to the Road & Bridge Budget for FY 2026.**
- 4. (Look for the Farmer's and Trader's file)**
- 5. PILT discussion, how many times have the area fire departments assisted the Corp of Engineers with fires in the past years, no action was taken.**
- 6. 4-H Extension Office discussion, no action taken.**
- 7. Dr. Warren Hagan called. Warren claims the roads in Florida Missouri were vacated in 1982. He would like to draw up an MOU for the commission to sign, stating that the roads have been vacated. NO ACTION WAS TAKEN.**



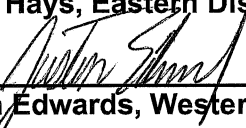
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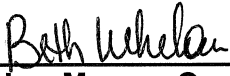


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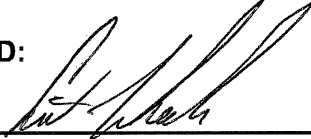
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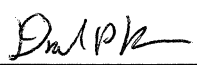
April 14, 2025

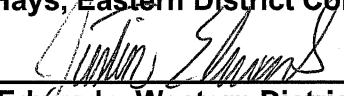
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1. The Commission approved the Minutes from the 04/10/2025 meeting.
2. An information meeting was conducted by Attorney Brent Haden and the Monroe County Commission. Several landowners were also present. Monroe County landowners have not signed the Utility permit from Grain-belt. Monroe County would like to schedule a meeting with the Audrain County and Callaway County commissions. No action was taken.
3. The Commission met with Martin Equipment to purchase a John Deere 770 Road Grader. Curt Wheeler made the motion to approve the purchase of the new Road Grader, David Hays seconded this motion, all voted in favor, motion passed. The cost of the Road grader is \$384,274.
4. The Commission received a phone call from Shelley Howe from the Army Corp. of Engineers office. She explained how the PILT revenue used to be paid out to the Area Fire Departments. Payments are no longer paid to the fire departments because they have tax levies in place. No action was taken.

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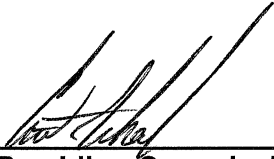
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April 17, 2025

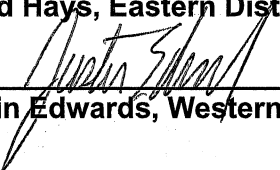
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1. The Commission approved the Minutes from the 04/14/2025 meeting.
2. The commission approved all P.O.'s presented for payment, and payroll.
3. The Monroe County Commission was not in session for the afternoon. Commission looked at some of the gravel roads that had damage from the storms that took place over the weekend. There were several reports of full ditches, downed trees, and wash outs.

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MONROE COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES

April 21, 2025

The Commission met according to adjournment with Curt Wheeler, Presiding Commissioner, and Associate Commissioners David Hays and Justin Edwards present, and among other proceedings, the following orders were had:

1. The Commission approved the Minutes from the 04/17/2025 meeting.
2. Hutchison Engineering, Inc. Rep. Matt Walker stopped by to review a few documents for the Bridge Projects planned for 2025-2027.
3. A representative from Altorfer stopped by to review the generator warranty with the Commission.
4. Charles Rubison dropped off the appraisal for the Monroe City property for sale.
5. An ad will be placed in the Lake Gazette for 2 weeks for sealed bids on the property. Bids will be accepted in the Clerk's until May 9th, 2025, and opened on May 12th 2025 at 9:30 a.m., in Commission's chambers.
6. The MTRCOG presented the Monroe County Commission with a \$1999.92 check for the "Spring into Action" grant that was awarded to Monroe County Courthouse to beautify the courtyard. Pictures were taken by MTRCOG.

The Commission and the Clerk's staff will be attending the Spring Commission and Clerk meeting tomorrow in Kahoka MO.

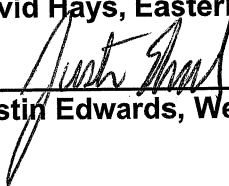
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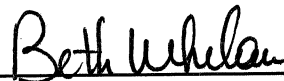


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MONROE COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES

April 24, 2025

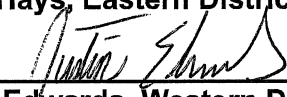
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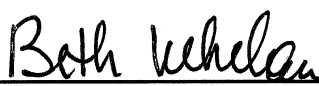
1. The Commission approved the Minutes from the 04/21/2025 meeting.
2. The Commission met with Debbie G, from Building & Grounds, about the water in the basement. A new sump pump and possibly foundation repair are needed. No action was taken.
3. Nick Loomes from Public Purchase online demo. No action was taken.
4. Diane Hendrix from the Monroe City Nutrition Center is seeking support from the Monroe County Commission to proceed with their new building project in Monroe City—more details to follow. The commission will give its full support.
5. A Zoom call invite has been issued to the Callaway County Commission and the Audrain County Commission to discuss Grain-belt. The event will take place on Monday, April 28, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. Brent Haden has also been invited to attend, by phone, in person, or by Zoom.

APPROVED:


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MONROE COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES

April 28, 2025

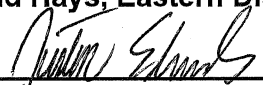
The Commission met according to adjournment with Curt Wheeler, Presiding Commissioner, and Associate Commissioners David Hays and Justin Edwards present, and among other proceedings, the following orders were had:

1. The Commission approved the Minutes from the 04/24/2025 meeting.
2. The Commission met with Agri-Ready representative Ashley McCarthy. In the past, our Monroe County Ordinance did not comply with the Missouri State Statute. The Commission will investigate this further.
3. The Monroe County Commission met with Callaway and Audrian County Commissions to discuss Grain Belt. The Monroe County commission suggested we request more money for Monroe County since the substation may be built in Monroe County. No action was taken.
4. Matt Walker from Hutchison Engineering presented documents for the Commission to approve and sign.

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