

## **Ringgold County Board of Supervisors Minutes October 26, 2020**

The Ringgold County Board of Supervisors met in regular session Monday, October 26, 2020. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 A.M with the following members present: Ron Landphair, Lyle Minnick and Kraig Pennington.

A motion was made by Minnick, second by Pennington to approve the agenda.  
AYES: Unanimous NAYS: None

Assistant Engineer Jared Johnson met with the Board to provide secondary roads updates. Sand trucks were out this morning on hard surfaced roads, Johnson reported. Part of the crew will perform service checks on the equipment as well. The weather last week prevented work on various projects. The plan is to prep for the Jefferson 9 bridge pour this week and pour next week.

Last week mowers were out, Johnson added. There is a bridge on 190<sup>th</sup> street that has presented a problem, he said. The bridge wall needed reinforced after spring rains undermined it, therefore two crew members worked on that last week to repair.

Most of the farm to market rock was hauled to Brent Wurster's territory last week.

Johnson is coordinating with Taylor County and DOT to finalize the reimbursement for the P14 project.

The Stephens bridge is two weeks away from being let. Johnson reported Ringgold County has the only bridge project in the letting process so he is hopeful the county will receive some good bids

The Routh Box project is open to traffic now. However, it will not be officially complete until next Spring when seeding can be done.

Johnson discussed with the Board purchasing two snow plows for #48 and #52. He received two bids with prices including the purchase of two. Monroe \$16,700 and Henderson \$19,910. Johnson recommended moving forward with the quote from Monroe.

Treasurer Debra Cannon met with the Board to present the September month end report for her department. As of last Thursday, actual taxes uncollected from last year is roughly \$55,000. Delinquent notices will go out next week, Cannon said. For the current tax year, Cannon explained around 54% taxes have been collected so far, which is right where we should be, she explained.

Cannon also reviewed with the Board a request for abatement on parcel #0064880, a building on leased land, in the amount of \$915 from 2018. The Board asked that Cannon reach out to County Attorney Spurrier to get his thoughts on pursuing this then report back to the Board. Consideration of this agenda item will be tabled until a following meeting.

Auditor Amanda Waske met with the Board to review the September month end report for her department. The Board moved forward with approval.

With Election Day approaching, Auditor Waske reviewed with the Board meetings dates and times with them. Next week, the Board will meet on Tuesday, November 3 at 11am to review and approve claims only. Then, the following week, the Board will meet on Tuesday, November 10 to conduct their regular business, including canvassing the election night results.

**RESOLUTION RC20-189**

WHEREAS, the Ringgold County Board of Supervisors do hereby approve to purchase two snow plows through Monroe in the amount of \$16,700.

THEREFORE, a motion was made by Kraig Pennington and seconded by Lyle Minnick stating such.

The vote on the resolution: AYES: Unanimous. NAYS: none.

ATTEST: Amanda Waske, Auditor. Passed and approved October 26, 2020.

**RESOLUTION RC20-190**

WHEREAS, the Ringgold County Board of Supervisors do hereby approve the Treasurer's September month end report as presented by Treasurer Debra Cannon.

THEREFORE, a motion was made by Lyle Minnick and seconded by Kraig Pennington stating such.

The vote on the resolution: AYES: Unanimous. NAYS: none.

ATTEST: Amanda Waske, Auditor. Passed and approved October 26, 2020.

**RESOLUTION RC20-191**

WHEREAS, the Ringgold County Board of Supervisors do hereby approve the Auditor's September month end report as presented by Auditor Amanda Waske.

THEREFORE, a motion was made by Kraig Pennington and seconded by Lyle Minnick stating such.

The vote on the resolution: AYES: Unanimous. NAYS: none.

ATTEST: Amanda Waske, Auditor. Passed and approved October 26, 2020.

A motion was made by Pennington, second by Minnick to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

There was no further business. A motion was made by Minnick and seconded by Pennington to adjourn the meeting at 12:03 pm.

ATTEST:   
Board of Supervisors

  
Ringgold County Auditor