# Carroll County Fiscal Court Minutes April 27, 2010

The regular meeting of the Carroll County Fiscal Court was held on April 27, 2010. Members present were Judge/Executive Harold "Shorty" Tomlinson, Magistrate Floyd Bowling, Magistrate Dean Miller, and Magistrate Mark Bates. Judge Tomlinson called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m., observing a moment of silence for our servicemen and women overseas and those sick and less fortunate in our community.

### **Approve Minutes**

Magistrate Bates made a motion to approve the minutes of the April 13 meeting. Magistrate Bowling  $2^{nd}$ . All in favor. Motion carries.

4 ayes 0 nays

## **Budget Transfers**

Magistrate Bowling made a motion to approve the attached budget transfers. Magistrate Miller  $2^{nd}$ . All in favor. Motion carries.

4 ayes 0 nays

## **Invoice Approval**

Magistrate Bates made a motion to approve the attached invoices. Magistrate Bowling  $2^{nd}$ . All in favor. Motion carries.

4 ayes 0 nays

### **Proclamation**

Judge Tomlinson signed the attached Proclamation proclaiming May 6-12, 2010 as National Nurses Week and May 10-16, 2010 as National Hospital and Nursing Home Week in Carroll County.

#### Election

Magistrate Miller made a motion to table the discussion until the next meeting unless law requires a decision be made sooner, at which a special meeting will be called in order to give the Magistrates more time to consider the information. Magistrate Bowling 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor. Motion carries.

4 ayes 0 nays

## **Homeland Security Resolution**

Magistrate Miller made a motion to authorize Judge Tomlinson to sign the attached Homeland Security Resolution for mobile data computers for Emergency Management vehicles. Magistrate Bowling  $2^{nd}$ . All in favor. Motion carries.

4 ayes 0 nays

## **County Park**

Judge Tomlinson updated court members that there are still lighting issues that need to be addressed on the softball field.

The pool pump has been set and could be tested this week.

Mowing has begun at the County Park as well.

Judge Tomlinson has received an estimate from Carroll County Fence for gate and fencing repairs needed at the park.

# Ghent Fire Protection Dist. Board Appointment

Magistrate Miller made a motion to appoint Jill Sachleben to replace Jami Brock, who resigned recently on the Ghent Fire Protection District Board. Magistrate Bowling  $2^{nd}$ . All in favor. Motion carries.

4 ayes 0 nays

#### County Road Report

Magistrate Miller made a motion, upon Judge Tomlinson's recommendation, to blacktop portions of Ladder Lane, Lock #1 Road, Wilson Way, Kindoll Road, and Shoefly. Once the work is complete on 4-mile, that area will be blacktopped as well. Magistrate Bates 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor. Motion carries.

4 ayes 0 nays

#### State Road Report

The state highway department is currently working to repair the slip on Whites Run.

#### **County Judge Comments**

The Summer Youth Program guidelines have changed this year. Participating counties would have to pay an administration fee of \$200 per employee in order to participate. Also some unemployed younger parents can participate. The court agreed to move forward.

The Census 2010 is showing a completion percentage of 75% for Carroll County. The national average is 72%, and the state average is 75%.

The unemployment rate for Carroll County for February was 15.7%. March was 14.8%.

There are grants available for Fire Departments. All the local Fire Departments have been notified of the opportunity.

Magistrate Bowling made a motion to install a fire hydrant on Lock Road. Magistrate Bates 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor. Motion carries.

4 ayes 0 nays

The parking lot at the AOC needs re-paved. The building also needs a fresh coat of paint. The Judge is currently working to get estimates for the work.

There is some additional money available for small bridges.

# Magistrate Comments

Bowling—Vance Road near the Pate residence is breaking off badly and cracked in the middle. It is in desperate need of extensive work.

### Adjournment

Magistrate Miller made a motion to adjourn. Magistrate Bowling 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor. Motion carries.

4 ayes 0 nays

APPROVED: May 11, 2010

Harold "Shorty" Tomlinson
Carroll County Judge/Executive

Nicki Beckham
Fiscal Court Clerk