

ORDERS } CHRISTIAN COUNTY FISCAL COURT

14th Day of January 2020

The Fiscal Court in and for Christian County met for a regular meeting at 8:35 a.m. at the Christian County Courthouse and the following proceedings were had. Present and presiding was Honorable Steve Tribble, County Judge/Executive. The following lady and gentlemen, Justices in Commission, were present:

Darrell Gustafson	Rich Liebe
Mark Cansler	Phillip Peterson
Mark Wells	Jerry Gilliam
Magaline Ferguson	Terry Bowman

Also present were John T. Soyars County Attorney, Michael A. Kem County Clerk, Brad Boyd Jailer, Walter Cummings County Treasurer and Sheriff Tyler DeArmond.

PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Esquire, Bowman offered the invocation. Steve Tribble, County Judge Executive, then led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Upon motion of Esquire Darrell Gustafson, seconded by Esquire Magaline Ferguson, it is hereby ordered to approve the minutes of December 17, 2019 and dispense with the reading.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES:

Upon motion of Esquire Phillip Peterson, seconded by Esquire Jerry Gilliam, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the General Fund through January 10, 2010.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Mark Cansler, seconded by Esquire Terry Bowman, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the Road and Bridge Fund through January 10, 2020 and to include authorized overtime for January 11, 2020 and January 12, 2020.

January 11, 2020

Hoover, Steve	10 Hours	\$261.90
Burkhead, Mike	10 Hours	\$261.90
Roberts, David	8 Hours	\$209.52
Total	28 Hours	\$733.32

January 12, 2020

Hoover, Steve	4 Hours	\$139.68
Burkhead, Mike	4 Hours	\$139.68
Roberts, David	4 Hours	\$139.68
Total	12 Hours	\$419.04

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Darrell Gustafson, seconded by Esquire Rich Liebe, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the County Jail Fund through January 9, 2020 and to include authorized overtime for December 2019 and January 2020.

December 2019

Ellis, Cynthia Sanders	7.5 Hours	\$168.08
Moore, Lora Dale	3 Hours	\$65.07
Plesha, Brandon	15 Hours	\$315.00
Rank, Kayla Marie Brown	4 Hours	\$86.76
Total	29.5 Hours	\$634.91

January 2020

Blick, Franklin	3 Hours	\$70.26
Ellis, Cynthia Sanders	7.5 Hours	\$168.08
Scherm, Peter	2 Hours	\$43.38
Total	12.5 Hours	\$281.72

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Jerry Gilliam, seconded by Esquire Rich Liebe, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the L.G.E.A. Fund through January 9, 2020.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Phillip Peterson, seconded by Esquire Magaline Ferguson, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditure for the E911 Fee Fund through January 9, 2020.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Mark Wells, seconded by Esquire Phillip Peterson, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the Health Insurance Fund through January 9, 2020.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Mark Wells, seconded by Esquire Phillip Peterson, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the General Obligation Bond Fund through January 7, 2020.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

TREASURER’S REPORT:

Upon motion of Esquire Darrell Gustafson, seconded by Esquire Mark Cansler, it is hereby ordered to approve the Budget Transfers dated December 17, 2019.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Jerry Gilliam, seconded by Esquire Phillip Peterson, it is hereby ordered to approve the Cash Transfer dated December 17, 2019.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Terry Bowman, seconded by Esquire Darrell Gustafson, it is hereby ordered to approve the Finance and Budget Reports dated July 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019 subject to audit.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

COMMISSION & BOARD REPORTS:

Irene Grace the Director of the Christian County Animal Shelter gave her monthly report for December 2019.

County Treasurer, Walter Cummings gave a Donations and Commissions Report for informational purposes only for the quarter ending December 31, 2019.

CITIZENS PARTICIPATION:

Steve Tribble County Judge/Executive and Hopkinsville Mayor Carter Hendricks read a proclamation declaring that January 18th thru 20th be recognized in the community as the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. celebration.

Matt McGowen of Kentucky United presented a resolution that would have proclaimed Christian County a 2nd Amendment sanctuary county. Mr. McGowen feels this resolution would ensure that citizens retain their right to keep and bear arms.

Local resident, Jeff Springer shared his concerns regarding bills filed in this year's General Assembly that would place new restrictions on firearms.

Marc Graham thanked Christian County Clerk Michael Kem and election supervisor Melinda Humphries for all their hard work on the 2019 General Election.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:**Approve Christian County Sheriff's Budget-Calendar Year 2020:**

Upon motion of Esquire Mark Cansler, seconded by Esquire Rich Liebe, it is hereby ordered to approve the Christian County Sheriff's General Term Order for Calendar Year 2020 authorizing expenditures.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Approve Christian County Clerk's Office Budget-Calendar Year 2020:

Upon motion of Esquire Darrell Gustafson, seconded by Esquire Phillip Peterson, it is hereby ordered to approve the Christian County Clerk's Office General Term Order for Calendar Year 2020 authorizing expenditures.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Adopt 2020 Christian County Road Program

Upon motion of Esquire Mark Cansler, seconded by Esquire Mark Wells, it is hereby ordered to adopt the 2020 Christian County Road Program effective January 1, 2020.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Adopt Resolution #2020-01 re: Christian County Fiscal Court's Support of the United States and Kentucky Constitutions

Upon motion of Esquire Rich Liebe, seconded by Esquire Darrell Gustafson, it is hereby ordered to adopt Resolution #2020-01 declaring Christian County's support for the rights recognized and protected by the constitution of the United States and the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires -Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Adopt Modified County Holiday Schedule:

Upon motion of Esquire Rich Liebe, seconded by Esquire Terry Bowman, it is hereby ordered to adopt the following modified 2020 County Holiday Schedule to now include the Presidential Election on Tuesday, November 3, 2020.

Martin Luther King Day	Monday, January 20, 2020
Good Friday (1/2 Day)	Friday, April 10, 2020
Memorial Day	Monday, May 25, 2020
Independence Day	Friday, July 3, 2020
Labor Day	Monday, September 7, 2020
Presidential Election	Tuesday, November 3, 2020
Veterans Day	Wednesday, November 11, 2020
Thanksgiving	Thursday, November 26, 2020
Thanksgiving	Friday, November 27, 2020
Christmas	Thursday, December 24, 2020
Christmas	Friday, December 25, 2020
New Year's	Thursday, December 31, 2020
New Year's	Friday, January 1, 2021

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Declare Surplus Property-County

Upon motion of Esquire Terry Bowman, seconded by Esquire Phillip Peterson, it hereby ordered to declare the items listed below as surplus and to be destroyed.

1 Wood and Gray 6' Desk
2 Gray Chairs
16 Gray Roller Chairs
1 Gray 5' Desk
1 Gray 6' Desk
1 Brown 6' Desk
1 Silver Lamp
1 5' Table

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Personnel

County Attorney- None presented.

County Judge/Executive- None presented.

Sheriff's Department – None presented.

County Clerk- None presented.

County Treasurer- None presented.

Road Dept.- None presented.

Jail-

Upon motion of Esquire Darrell Gustafson, seconded by Esquire Mark Cansler, and upon recommendation of Brad Boyd, Jailer it is hereby ordered to end the 90-day probation period for Daniel David Nicholson retroactive January 1, 2020.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Rich Liebe, seconded by Esquire Terry Bowman, and upon recommendation of Brad Boyd, Jailer it is hereby ordered to end the 90-day probation period for Matthew Jeffery Wynne effective January 16, 2020.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Rich Liebe, seconded by Esquire Phillip Peterson, and upon recommendation of Brad Boyd, Jailer it is hereby ordered to end the 90-day probation period for Michael Alan Beuoy effective January 16, 2020.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Darrell Gustafson, seconded by Esquire Jerry Gilliam, and upon recommendation of Brad Boyd, Jailer it is hereby ordered to promote Deborah Elaine Finley to Re-Entry Coordinator with an annual salary of \$36,400.00 effective January 15, 2020.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires –Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Jerry Gilliam, Phillip Peterson and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Phillip Peterson, seconded by Esquire Rich Liebe, and upon recommendation of Brad Boyd, Jailer it is hereby ordered to hire Cody Ray Kirby as a Part Time Deputy Jailer working 96 hours a month at a rate of \$14.00 effective January 16, 2020 with a 90-day probation period.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Jerry Gilliam, seconded by Esquire Phillip Peterson, and upon recommendation of Brad Boyd, Jailer it is hereby ordered to hire Rebecca Sue Welker as a Part Time Deputy Jailer working 96 hours a month at a rate of \$14.00 effective January 16, 2020 with a 90-day probation period.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Terry Bowman, seconded by Esquire Rich Liebe, and upon recommendation of Brad Boyd, Jailer it is hereby ordered to hire Stephanie Lynn George as a Part Time Deputy Jailer working 96 hours a month at a rate of \$14.00 effective January 16, 2020 with a 90-day probation period.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Rich Liebe, seconded by Esquire Phillip Peterson, and upon recommendation of Brad Boyd, Jailer it is hereby ordered to hire Charles D. Howard as a Full Time Deputy Jailer with an annual salary of \$29,120.16 effective January 16, 2020 with a 90-day probation period.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Upon motion of Esquire Phillip Peterson, seconded by Esquire Darrell Gustafson, and upon recommendation of Brad Boyd, Jailer it is hereby ordered to rehire Jeric Thomas Rank as a Full Time Deputy Jailer with an annual salary of \$29,120.16 effective January 16, 2020 with no probation period.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Animal Shelter-

Upon motion of Esquire Rich Liebe, seconded by Esquire Terry Bowman, and upon recommendation of Irene Grace, Christian County Animal Shelter Director, it is hereby ordered to hire Katrina Gann Full Time with an annual salary of \$18,720.00 with a 90-day probation period effective January 16, 2020.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

Coroner-

Upon motion of Esquire Jerry Gilliam, seconded by Esquire Phillip Peterson, and upon recommendation of Scott Daniel, Coroner it is hereby ordered to hire Christy Adams as a Part Time Coroner with an annual salary of \$12,105.00 with a 90-day probation period effective January 16, 2020.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

Steve Tribble, County Judge/Executive announced the next meetings will be held at the Courthouse on Tuesday January 28, 2020 at 8:30 am and Tuesday February 11, 2020 at 8:30 am.

ADJOURNMENT:

Upon motion of Esquire Phillip Peterson, seconded by Esquire Terry Bowman, it is hereby ordered to adjourn at 9:35 a.m.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires – Darrell Gustafson, Mark Cansler, Mark Wells, Magaline Ferguson, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Jerry Gilliam and Terry Bowman.

**CHRISTIAN COUNTY JUDGE/EXECUTIVE
STEVE TRIBBLE**