

## September 11, 2017

The Wabash County Board of Commissioners met in regular session in the Wabash County Courthouse on Monday, September 11, 2017. Chairman Scott E. Givens called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. with all commissioners present: Givens, Brian H. Hauptert and Barry J. Eppley. The proceedings were recorded by Wabash County Auditor Marcie Shepherd. The minutes of the September 5, 2017 meeting were reviewed. Eppley made a motion to approve the minutes as written. Hauptert seconded the motion; it passed by a 3-0 vote.

John Martin, County Highway Superintendent reported that 48 miles of chip and seal have been completed.

Bob Land, Wabash County Sheriff reported that the Wabash County Jail currently has 83 inmates with 48 inmates housed at the Miami County Jail and 4 inmates at the Elkhart County Jail. Last week there 17 new book-ins and 9 transports to the DOC. The peak population last week was 85.

Keith Walters, County EMA Director was present with nothing to report.

Steve Downs, County Attorney was present with nothing to report.

Jim Dils, County Coordinator/HR Director was present with nothing to report.

Marcie Shepherd, Wabash County Auditor was present with nothing to report.

Lori Draper, Wabash County Recorder requested approval of a bulk form user ordinance. In addition to defining the procedure, the ordinance would increase the cost to users from \$.07 to \$.10 per image. Hauptert made a motion to approve Ordinance 2017-85-04. Eppley seconded the motion; it passed by a 3-0 vote. Hauptert made a motion to suspend the rules and proceed to a second reading. Eppley seconded the motion; it passed by a 3-0 vote. Hauptert made a motion to approve Ordinance 2017-85-04 on second reading. Eppley seconded the motion; it passed by a 3-0 vote.

The commissioners reviewed the following item:

IDEM Notice – Office of Water Quality – Sanitary Sewer permit application for Glenn Avenue and Sivey Street Wabash, IN.

With no other business to come before the Board of Commissioners the meeting was adjourned. The commissioners will next meet on Monday, September 18, 2017.

Also present: Wabash Plain Dealer reporter Josh Sigler and News Journal reporter David Fenker.