## **OFFICIAL MINUTES**

## February 14, 2011, 24<sup>th</sup> DAY OF THE JANUARY ADJOURN TERM

The County Commission met in the Commissioners Hearing Room at 9:00 AM with Ron Houseman, Danny Strahan and Jim Strafuss present. The following proceedings were had and made a matter of record:

## **PRAYER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Commissioner Strafuss led the prayer and Commissioner Strahan led the Pledge of Allegiance.

## **ACCOUNTS PAYABLE & TRANSFERS**

Commissioner Strahan moved to approve accounts payable and transfers as follows:

DATE 2/14/2011

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323349	to	323415		5354	
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	_			5356	
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Date		Time	Signature		Comments
2/11/2011	9:15am		jj		1 transfer included

Commissioner Strafuss seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Houseman (aye), Strahan (aye) and Strafuss (aye).

## **BID OPENING – DRUG SCREENING SERVICES**

Purchasing Agent Linda Gifford presented the following employee drug screening bid respondents and opened the proposals:

Skaggs Medical Center I3Screen of Denver, CO Employee Screening Services

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Assessor James Strahan spoke to the Commission regarding the low return of the County personal property assessment forms to date, and he encouraged citizens to return their forms before the approaching penalty deadline.

#### **NEW/OLD BUSINESS**

County Auditor Rick Findley presented the Monthly Budget Report to the Commission as follows:

FUNDBALANCE	TANEY	COUNTY			
01/31/11	BUDGET				
	FUND BALANCES				
	PERIOD TO	YEAR TO			
	DATE	DATE			
	ACTUAL	ACTUAL			
GENERAL COUNTY REVENUE					
BEGINNING BALANCE	\$9,666,318.84	\$9,666,318.84			
REVENUES	1,463,912.25	1,463,912.25			
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TOTAL REVENUES GCR	11,130,231.09	11,130,231.09			
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TOTAL GCR EXPENDITURES	1,029,063.99	1,029,063.99			
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TOTAL GCR FUND BALANCE	10,101,167.10	10,101,167.10			
ROAD & BRIDGE					
BEGINNING BALANCE	972,332.48	972,332.48	total r&B	5,760,953.38	
REVENUES	292,999.73	292,999.73		958,311.12	
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TOTAL RB REVENUES	1,265,332.21	1,265,332.21		6,719,264.50	
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EXPENDITURES	168,176.64	168,176.64		170,005.72	
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TOTAL RB FUND BALANCE	1,097,155.57	1,097,155.57		6,549,258.78	
ROAD & BRIDGE TRUST					
BEGINNING BALANCE	4,788,620.90	4,788,620.90			

DEVENILIES	665 211 20	((5.211.20			
REVENUES	665,311.39	665,311.39			
TOTAL DDT DEVENIUES	-	-			
TOTAL RBT REVENUES	5,453,932.29	5,453,932.29			
EXPENDITURES	1,829.08	1,829.08			
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TOTAL RBT FUND BALANCE	5,452,103.21	5,452,103.21			
TOTAL KDITCHD DALANCL	5,452,105.21	5,452,105.21			
ASSESSMENT FUND					
BEGINNING BALANCE	25,522.71	25,522.71			
REVENUES	315,965.94	315,965.94			
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TOTAL AF REVENUES	341,488.65	341,488.65			
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EXPENDITURES	52,228.47	52,228.47			
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TOTAL ASSEMENT FUND	289,260.18	289,260.18			
BALANCE					
ELECTION FUND					
BEGINNING BALANCE	7,679.31	7,679.31			
REVENUES	7,077.71	7,077.71			
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TOTAL ELECTION	14,757.02	14,757.02			
REVENUES					
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TOTAL ELECTION EUND	=	=			
TOTAL ELECTION FUND BALANCE	14,757.02	14,757.02			
BALANCE					
SENIOR SERVICES FUND					
BEGINNING BALANCE	75,084.00	75,084.00			
REVENUES	342,460.33	342,460.33			
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TOTAL SENIOR SERVICES	417,544.33	417,544.33			
REVENUES		·			
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TOTAL SENIOR SERIVCES	417,544.33	417,544.33			
FUND BALANCE					
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01/31/11		DGET			
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	PERIOD TO	YEAR TO		
	DATE	DATE		
	ACTUAL	ACTUAL		
TRANSFER STATION FUND	<b>****</b>			
BEGINNING BALANCE	\$559,409.11	\$559,409.11		
REVENUES	89,508.80	89,508.80		
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TOTAL TS REVENUES	648,917.91	648,917.91		
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EXPENDITURES	44,854.29	44,854.29		
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TOTAL TS FUND BALANCE	604,063.62	604,063.62		
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LEPC FUND	7 402 01	<b>7</b> 100 01	<u> </u>	
BEGINNING BALANCE	7,482.01	7,482.01	<u> </u>	
REVENUES	3,775.72	3,775.72	<u> </u>	
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TOTAL LEPC REVENUES	11,257.73	11,257.73		
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EXPENDITURES	135.00	135.00		
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TOTAL LEPC FUND	11,122.73	11,122.73		
BALANCE				
LAW ENFORCEMENT				
TRAINING FUND	0.000.50	0.000.50		
BEGINNING BALANCE	9,228.52	9,228.52		
REVENUES	409.59	409.59		
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TOTAL LET REVENUES	9,638.11	9,638.11		
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TOTAL LET FUND BALANCE	9,638.11	9,638.11		
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PROSECUTING ATTORNEY				
TRAINING FUND	4 7 4 4 1 2	4 7 4 4 1 2	<u> </u>	
BEGINNING BALANCE	4,744.12	4,744.12	<u> </u>	
REVENUES	104.85	104.85	<u> </u>	
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TOTAL PAT REVENUES	4,848.97	4,848.97	<u> </u>	
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TOTAL PAT FUND BALANCE	4,848.97	4,848.97	<u> </u>	
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COUNTY INSURED FUND				
BEGINNING BALANCE	1,298.57	1,298.57		
REVENUES	111.79	111.79		
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TOTAL COUNTY INSURED	1,410.36	1,410.36		
REVENUES				
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EXPENDITURES	9,782.31	9,782.31		
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TOTAL COUNTY INSURED	(8,371.95)	(8,371.95)		
FUND BALANCE	(0,371.93)	(0, 571.95)		
FUND BALANCE				
911 FUND				
BEGINNING BALANCE	633,276.11	633,276.11		
REVENUES	45,165.80	45,165.80		
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TOTAL 911 REVENUES	678,441.91	678,441.91		
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EXPENDITURES	18,268.50	18,268.50		
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TOTAL 911 FUND BALANCE	660,173.41	660,173.41		
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FUNDBALANCE		COUNTY		
01/31/11	BUDGET			
	FUND BALANCES			
	PERIOD TO	YEAR TO		
	DATE	DATE		
	ACTUAL	ACTUAL		
USE TAX				
BEGINNING BALANCE				
REVENUES				
TOTAL USE TAX REVENUES				
TOTAL USE TAX FUND				
BALANCE				
SEWER FUND				
BEGINNING BALANCE	24,540,024.49	24,540,024.49		
REVENUES	680,540.08	680,540.08		
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TOTAL SEWER REVENUES	25,220,564.57	25,220,564.57		
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EXPENDITURES	341,836.92	341,836.92		
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TOTAL SEWER FUND	24,878,727.65	24,878,727.65		
	27,010,121.03	27,070,727.03		1

BALANCE			[		1 1
BALANCE					
SEWER DESIGNATED FUND					
BEGINNING BALANCE					
REVENUES					
TOTAL SEWER REVENUES					
EXPENDITURES					
TOTAL SEWER FUND					
BALANCE					
	=	=			
TOTAL ALL SEWER FUNDS	24,878,727.65	24,878,727.65			
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SHERIFF CIVIL FUND					
BEGINNING BALANCE	177,076.77	177,076.77			
REVENUES	164.87	164.87			
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TOTAL SHERIFF CIVIL	177,241.64	177,241.64			
REVENUES					
	-	-			
EXPENDITURES	3,913.34	3,913.34			
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TOTAL SHERIFF CIVIL FUND	173,328.30	173,328.30			
BALANCE					
TAX MAINTENANCE FUND					
BEGINNING BALANCE	202,387.97	202,387.97			
REVENUES	20,072.48	20,072.48			
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TOTAL MAINTENANCE	222,460.45	222,460.45	1		
FUND REVENUES	,	,			
	-	_	1		
EXPENDITURES	2,678.33	2,678.33	1		
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TOTAL MAINTENANCE	219,782.12	219,782.12	1		
FUND BALANCE					
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## RECESS 9:16 AM

RECONVENED 9:27 AM

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE & DEPARTMENTAL FUNCTIONS**

#### WORK SESSION – NIKKI LAWRENCE

The Commission reviewed the weekly agenda with Nikki Lawrence.

#### WORK SESSION - BOB PAULSON

Bob Paulson discussed the expired Nuisance Ordinance and the necessary review process to get the ordinance reinstated.

Mr. Paulson reviewed the Animal Control Ordinance with the Commission.

## EXECUTIVE SESSION – LITIGATION & PERSONNEL PER SECTION 610.021 (1) & (3)

Commissioner Strafuss moved to go into Executive Session pursuant to RSMo 610.021 (1). Commissioner Strahan seconded the motion. The motion passed by roll call vote: Houseman (aye), Strafuss (aye) and Strahan (aye).

#### EXECUTIVE SESSION 9:55 AM

See Executive Session minutes for actions if any.

Commissioner Strafuss moved to go out of Executive Session. Commissioner Strahan seconded the motion. The motion passed by roll call vote: Houseman (aye), Strafuss (aye) and Strahan (aye).

# OUT OF EXECUTIVE 10:27 AM

## **STAFF DEPARTMENTAL MEETING – PURCHASING**

#### CODY COMPUTER SYSTEMS ADDENDUM & FUTURE FUNDING PROJECT UPDATE

Sean Barnwell with the Branson Police Department requested the Commission's approval to move forward with the Cody Software Phase 2 and the 2010 COPS Technology Grant. Sheriff Jimmie Russell entered the discussion, and stated his department's needs in regard to the intended software purchase.

Sheriff Jimmie Russell recommended moving forward with the purchases, as in his opinion there was no other choice.

Sean Barnwell requested the Commission's support for another appropriations request for 2012.

Commissioner Strafuss moved to seek an appropriations request from Senator Blunt's Office for additional funding for the White River Emergency Communications Project. Commissioner Strahan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Houseman (aye), Strahan (aye) and Strafuss (aye).

Carroll McCullough with the Branson Police Department, Chief Preston Schmidt with the Hollister Police Department, County Sheriff Jimmie Russell, and Steve Dalton with the Branson Police Department thanked the Commission for their continued support of the project.

## RECESS 11:20 AM

## RECONVENED 11:31 AM

## **STAFF DEPARTMENTAL MEETING – ROAD & BRIDGE**

## POLICY DISCUSSION

The Commission met with Randy Haes, Kathy Roberts and Debra Rogers of the Road & Bridge Department to discuss current office policies, with the aim of maintaining office efficiency during the absence of an administrator.

## **RFQ ENERGY CONTRACTING**

The Commission instructed Purchasing Agent Linda Gifford to generate Requests for Proposals (RFQ's) for the Energy Efficiency project, and gave direction as to what information should be included in them.

Commissioner Strafuss moved to postpone to a definite time, specifically 1:00 pm, the Funding Distribution/County Clerk discussion. Commissioner Strahan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Houseman (aye), Strahan (aye) and Strafuss (aye).

#### **RECESS** 12:09 PM

#### RECONVENED 1:05 PM

## FUNDING DISTRIBUTION/COUNTY CLERK

The Commission approved Donna Neeley's request to distribute Forestry Funds as done in prior years.

Commissioner Strafuss moved to approve the National Flood report based on Donna Neeley's new calculation of distribution. Commissioner Strahan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Houseman (aye), Strahan (aye) and Strafuss (aye).

#### **BOE DISCUSSION**

The Commission held a general discussion on the Board of Equalization process with Clerk Donna Neeley, Assessor James Strahan and Attorney Bob Paulson.

#### WATER FLOW REPLACEMENT AGREEMENT

Attorney Bob Paulson advised the Commission on the details of the language involved in the Simplex-Grinnell agreement.

Commissioner Strahan moved to accept the agreement as offered by Simplex-Grinnell to replace a water-flow switch. Commissioner Strafuss seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Houseman (aye), Strahan (aye) and Strafuss (aye).

## COMMISSION BOARD APPOINTMENTS

Commissioner Strafuss moved to accept the Commissioner Board appointments, as presented below, with all terms expiring December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2011.

Commissioner Danny Strahan seated on the University Extension and Solid Waste Boards Commissioner Jim Strafuss seated on the Missouri Association of Counties, the TDD and the Springfield Regional Economic Partnership Boards Presiding Commissioner Ron Houseman seated on the OACAC and CLEO Boards

Commissioner Strahan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Houseman (aye), Strahan (aye) and Strafuss (aye).

# WORK SESSION – PERSONNEL POLICY, MEETING PROCESS & COURTHOUSE POLICY

The Commission reviewed the proposed "Agenda Request Forms".

## RECESS 2:31 PM

## RECONVENED 2:54 PM

#### **PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES**

Commissioner Strafuss moved to approve the Minutes of January 14, 18, 21, 24, 26, 27, 28, 31 and February 7, 2011 with changes. Commissioner Strahan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Houseman (aye), Strahan (aye) and Strafuss (aye).

Commissioner Strafuss moved to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Strahan seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Houseman (aye), Strahan (aye) and Strafuss (aye).

#### ADJOURNMENT 3:01 PM

Minutes were taken and typed by Cristy Smith, Deputy Clerk.