

QUORUM COURT MINUTES August 12, 2024

The invocation was led by Pastor Don Blackmore, Central Baptist Church.

Meal was served by the Craighead County Cooperative Extension Service.

Justice Cline called meeting to order at 5:45 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll was called, Justice Pasmore and Justice Barnes were absent. All others present.

The meeting began with the Craighead County Cooperative Extension Service introducing the 4-H agent, Malia Cook for a presentation. Malia introduced Abigail Patron, first ever State officer from our local chapter. Abigail shared with the court of her project, Blessing Backpacks. She collects blankets, hygiene products, and assorted arts and crafts, and has donated over 1,000 backpacks the last couple of years. For her work and leadership, the Craighead County 4-H chapter awarded Abigail with a \$1,500.00 scholarship to attend ASU this fall. She has also garnered over \$5,000.00 of additional 4-H scholarships.

First order of business was approval of Quorum Court minutes from July 22, 2024. Justice Weinstock made the motion to approve minutes as prepared and Justice Allison seconded the motion. Justice Cline took a vote, and it passed unanimously.

The Public Service Committee report was read by Justice Rogers and the Finance report was read by Justice Longmire.

NEW BUSINESS

A resolution recommending the appointment of Sydney Ford to the Jonesboro Craighead County Public Library Board was read. Justice Rogers made a motion to approve, and Justice Williams seconded. With no questions or comments, Justice Cline took a vote, and it passed unanimously.

An Appropriation Ordinance to add Fund 3535, CY24 Accountability Court Grant Adult Drug Court Funding was read. Motion to approve was made by Justice Couch and seconded by Justice Cook. With no questions or comments, Justice Cline asked for the roll to be called. All Justices approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Justice Forrest shared that the Exchange Club of Jonesboro donated \$12,000.00 to the County Sheriff's office to buy the new dog that we had budgeted to buy.

NO PUBLIC COMMENT

Motion to adjourn to committees was made by Justice Rogers and seconded by Justice Williams. Justice Cline took vote, and it passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 6:03 p.m.