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CASTO & HARRIS, INC., SPENCER, WV RE-ORDER NO. 7393D-99

THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF MASON COUNTY met in the Courthouse thereof on Thursday, January 2, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. for their Organizational Meeting. Present were Rick Handley, Sam Nibert and Chris Johnson, Commissioners; Diana Cromley, Clerk; and Jason Bechtle, Administrator.

Clerk Cromley opened the floor for nominations for President.

Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, Rick Handley was elected President for 2025. Handley was congratulated on his election as Commission President.

Clerk Cromley then opened the floor for nominations for President Pro-Tem.

Upon motion by Handley and unanimous agreement, Sam Nibert was elected as President Pro-Tem.

The gavel was turned over to President Handley and he called the meeting to order.

Newly-elected Commissioner Chris Johnson was congratulated and welcomed. Cromley gave the opening prayer, and Johnson led the pledge of allegiance.

Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, the Commission minutes from the previous meeting were approved with no omissions or corrections thereto.

The Commission executed bills and purchase orders as required.

Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, the Commission agreed to meet on the last three Thursdays of each month at 4:00 p.m.

Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, the Commission scheduled the Board of Equalization meeting dates for 2025, a copy of which is attached hereto.

Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, the Commission moved the January 16 meeting to January 9 at 3:00 p.m., cancelled the February 27 meeting and moved the February 20 meeting to 3:00 p.m.

Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, the Commission approved the hire of Ashley Bowen as a per diem (hourly rate) paramedic.

Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, the Commission went into executive session to discuss personnel matters.

Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, the Commission returned to regular session.

The Commission reviewed two applications received for the Maintenance Manager position: Arden Painter and Josh Joseph Mattox. Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, the Commission approved the hire of Arden Painter, pending his acceptance of the Maintenance Manager position, with a \$55,000 salary (\$40,000 from the County budget and \$15,000 from the EMS budget).

The Commission scheduled meetings with personnel from the EMS, 911 Center, Animal Shelter and OES (Jeremy Bryant) beginning at 2:00 p.m. on January 9, 2025.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
2025 Board of Equalization

The Mason County Commission will be meeting as a Board of Equalization and Review in the County Commission Meeting Room on the Main Floor of the Courthouse the following dates:

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| Friday | January 31 st , 2025 | 4:00 – 4:30 p.m. |
| Wednesday | February 5 th , 2025 | 1:00 – 1:30 p.m. |
| Saturday | February 8 th , 2025 | 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. |
| Thursday | February 13 th , 2025 | 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. |
| Thursday | February 20 th , 2025 | 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. |

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Upon motion by Nibert and unanimous agreement, this meeting was adjourned.

Rick Handley

RICK HANDLEY, PRESIDENT

Sam Nibert

SAM NIBERT, COMMISSIONER

Chris Johnson

CHRIS JOHNSON, COMMISSIONER

Diana N. Cromley

DIANA N. CROMLEY, CLERK