



Blount County Government

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Meeting Minutes

CARES Committee

Dave Bennett, Business Leader
Robbie Bennett, Commissioner
Chris Cantrell, Deputy Chief Sheriff's Office
Rick Carver, Commissioner
Tom Cole, Business Leader
Jeff French, Chief Deputy Sheriff's Office
Jackie Hill, Commissioner
Tammy Lynn, Health Care Professional
Tom Stinnett, Commissioner
Jerry Vagnier, Health Care Professional
Ex Officio: Judge William R. Brewer, Jr. and Judge Tammy Harrington

Tuesday, August 6, 2019

5:45 PM

Blount County Courthouse, Room 430

Special Called

A. CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

Rollcall

Present 9 - Committee Member Dave Bennett, Commissioner Robbie Bennett, Judge William R. Brewer, Vice Chair Richard Carver, Committee Member Thomas Cole, Chief Deputy Jeff French, Judge Tammy Harrington, Commissioner Jackie Hill, and Commissioner Tom Stinnett

Absent 3 - Deputy Chief Chris Cantrell, Committee Member Tammy Lynn, and Chairperson Jerry Vagnier

B. EMERGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT

C. READING OF SPECIAL CALLED

1. [MEETING NOTICE](#)

Title: MEETING NOTICE

D. DISCUSSION / POSSIBLE ACTION ON MAYOR'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION ON JULY 18, 2019

[MAYOR'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION ON JULY 18, 2019](#)

Title: MAYOR'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION ON JULY 18, 2019

A motion was made by Committee Member Cole, seconded by Committee Member Bennett, to adopt the Mayor's recommendation presented on July 18, 2019 and forward to the full commission, to include the appropriate action by the Budget Committee. These items would include 1) property acquisition and all associated costs, 2) professional fees to assess space needs for jail beds and programming, and 3) professional fees to assess road extension costs to access property. An electronic vote was taken. The Chairman declared the motion to have passed by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Committee Member Bennett, Commissioner Bennett, Vice Chair Carver, Committee Member Cole, Chief Deputy French, Commissioner Hill, and Commissioner Stinnett

No: 0

Absent: 3 - Deputy Chief Cantrell, Committee Member Lynn, and Chairperson Vagnier

Abstain: 0

Did Not Vote: 2 - Judge Brewer, and Judge Harrington

E. ADJOURNMENT