

Ste. Genevieve County Commission Minutes

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2026**

6<sup>TH</sup> Day of the January Term. The Commission Met Pursuant to Adjournment. Present were Presiding Commissioner Randy Ruzicka, Associate Commissioners Cory Ford and Mark Marberry along with Deputy County Clerk, Michele Gatzemeyer.

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDING COMMISSIONER RUZICKA AT 8:15 A.M.

THE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING THAT WAS HELD ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 2026 WERE READ. COMMISSIONER FORD MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE SAID MINUTES AS PRESENTED. COMMISSIONER MARBERRY SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL IN FAVOR. MOTION PASSED.

It should be noted that meeting was scheduled to be held on regular meeting day of Monday (January 26, 2026); however, due to the unforeseen weather incident that Ste. Genevieve County sustained, the meeting had to be cancelled. 'emergency' Meeting called today to be held until 'regular business' taken care of with the intent of 'regular' meeting to be conducted again on Thursday, 1/29/2026.

Mr. Scott Schmieder, R&B Foreman, appeared before the Commission to provide update to today's meeting. Following were the 'Important Items' reported:

\*Furnace @ R&B Department/'Shed' no longer working. Said unit is approximately 50+ years old. Due to the 'emergency nature' of this need, Mr. Schmieder contacted Shuh & Sons Plumbing & Heating; they advised Mr. Schmieder that they would attend to this matter ASAP.

\*Mr. Schmieder noted that he is in urgent need of fuel supply due to the 'work' that has been conducted for 'snow removal'.

\*Mr. Schmieder noted that he was scheduled to meet with interested contractors as it pertains to potential road paving projects for Cindy Lane/Cedar Trail/Holmes Road/& Genevieve Church Road. Said 'on-site' inspection to be rescheduled; Mr. Schmieder could not meet with parties as he was addressing roads that needed to be cleared. Mr. Schmieder noted that it may be necessary to reschedule 'Bid Opening' for these projects; additional information to follow as it becomes available. (Contractors notified of the same.)

\*Mr. Schmieder notified that 'State Bridge Inspections' will have to be scheduled for next week. As additional information becomes available, said detail will be noted.

The Commissioners are scheduled to attend Southeast MO Commissioners Meeting on Wednesday, 1/28/2026. Meeting is scheduled for 'Dexter'.

New Bourbon Regional Port Authority Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday evening. Commissioner Marberry is liaison for the 'Port'; thus, he plans to attend.

Accounts Payable for Date 1/27/2026 in the amount of \$93,503.00 were reviewed and approved for payment by the Commission.

**ADJOURN**

A Motion was made by Commissioner Ford to adjourn @ 10:00 A.M. Commissioner Marberry seconded the 'Motion'.

Ordered that the Commission adjourn until 1/29/2026.

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Michele Gatzemeyer – Deputy County Clerk

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Randy Ruzicka – Presiding Commissioner