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Special-called Term, Thursday Day, 18<sup>th</sup> Day of January 20 24

At a special-called meeting of the Simpson County Fiscal Court held in the Courtroom of the Simpson County Historic Courthouse, Tuesday, January 18, 2024, at 8:30 AM

Present: Honorable Mason Barnes, Judge/Executive  
Honorable Marty Chandler, East Magistrate  
Honorable Jeffrey Burr, West Magistrate  
Honorable Scott Poston, North Magistrate  
Honorable Myron Thurman, South Magistrate  
Nicole Law, Treasurer  
Pam Rohrs, Fiscal Court Clerk

Absent: Honorable Sam Phillips, County Attorney

County Judge Executive Mason Barnes called the fiscal court meeting to order and led in prayer followed by the pledge to the American flag.

Monica Myles, Public Affairs Specialist for the Small Business Administration's Office of Recovery & Resilience presented information for small businesses and non-profits who may have suffered economic injury due to the weather event which involved wind and tomodic activity in Tennessee on December 9, 2023. The impact does not have to be from any type of physical damage but could be from road closures that might have affected anticipated revenue due to impassable roads for customers, clients, workers or deliveries of supplies or goods or interruption of utilities. The SBA has a program in place that can provide low-interest loans, 3.25% for non-profits and 4% for businesses, for up to thirty years with no interest accrued nor payment required during the first year with money available as soon as five days following completion of the application process. SBA may be contacted throughout the year at [sba.gov/disaster](http://sba.gov/disaster) or 1.800.659.2955.

Jada Freeman, Sheriff's Department Bookkeeper, reported that 2023 property taxes are currently at 94% collected.

Motion by Chandler Second by Thurman Yes-All  
Accept settlement fees, oil and LSG settlements as presented by Bookkeeper Jada Freeman pending required audits by state and local offices.

Motion by Burr Second by Poston Yes-All  
Approve the minutes of the January 3<sup>rd</sup> special-called fiscal court meeting.

Motion by Chandler Second by Poston Yes-All  
Authorize letter of support from County Judge Executive Mason Barnes on behalf of Simpson County Fiscal Court for the KBI application being submitted by Matalco, including the local one percent occupational tax to the KBI incentive package.

A motion and second by Magistrate Chandler and Judge Executive Barnes to adopt Resolution No. 2024-01-16EDF to participate in a grant process for an economic development application to the Kentucky Economic Development Cabinet for property acquisition and site improvements on the 66.5-acre Brown property to expand the Henderson Industrial Park property did not pass with "no" votes by Magistrates Burr, Poston, and Thurman.

Motion by Chandler Second by Barnes Yes-All  
Approve language for Administrative Code to address changes to accrued leave policy for hazardous duty new hires for the Fire or Sheriff's Departments as incentive for recruitment when leaving employment from another agency to come directly to Simpson County employment.

Motion by Chandler Second by Poston Yes-All  
Adopt Resolution No. 2024-01-18EMP-FSFR continuing the employment of temporary firefighters Justin McMillin, Allan Mulkey, Richard (Sam) Hill, Charles Devan Moore and Matt King from January 1, 2024, through May 31, 2024.

Motion by Burr Second by Thurman Yes-All  
Approve cash transfer of \$10,907.88 from Federal Grant Fund to General Fund.

Motion by Poston Second by Burr Yes-All  
Approve budget transfers.  
\$1,000.00 01-5070-191 (P&Z board members) from 01-5070-202A (P&Z admin retirement)  
\$5,000.00 01-5070-332 (P&Z legal fees) from 01-9200-999 (transfer reserve)  
\$987.00 01-5115-202 (BI retirement) from 01-9200-999 (transfer reserve)  
\$750.00 01-5160-340 (DTF vehicle maint/rep) from 01-5160-999 (DTF contingent)  
\$500.00 01-5160-445 (DTF office supplies) from 01-5160-999 (DTF contingent)  
\$60.00 01-5010-551 (co clerk membership dues) from 01-5010-445 (co clerk office supplies)

Motion by Thurman Second by Chandler Yes-All  
Approve bills and claims.

Alex Gilbert	01-5020-103	500.00
Alex Gilbert	01-5020-569	555.53
All Season Rent All	02-6105-588	45.27
Alpha Pest Management	01-5015-334	40.00
Alpha Pest Management	01-5020-334	40.00
Alpha Pest Management	01-5101-334	50.00
Alpha Pest Management	01-5080-334	65.00
Amazon Capital	01-5001-445	21.99
Amazon Capital	02-6105-447	46.94
Amazon Capital	75-5145-336	136.71
April Pearson	01-5070-348	953.00
Aqua Treat Inc	01-5081-334A	220.50
Atmos Energy	01-5081-578A	74.80
Atmos Energy	01-5081-578B	165.71
Atmos Energy	01-5120-578A	201.62
Atmos Energy	01-9100-578	792.20
Atmos Energy	02-6005-578	258.73
Barren County Business	01-5010-445	41.82
Barren River District Health Department	01-5231-348	113868.00
Bluegrass Excavation Services	01-5015-334	300.00
Bluegrass Integrated Communications	01-5010-563	128.01
Boyd Cat Rental	02-6105-441	2609.15

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Calvert Spring Water	01-5160-445A	15.00
Card Services Center	01-5015-725	79.98
Card Services Center	01-5015-319	42.38
Card Services Center	01-5015-577	54.16
Card Services Center	01-5015-429	85.72
Card Services Center	01-5015-445	565.74
City of Franklin	01-5010-578	43.85
City of Franklin	01-5081-578A	127.17
City of Franklin	01-5081-578B	48.52
City of Franklin	01-5120-578B	43.85
City of Franklin	01-9100-578	111.99
City of Franklin	03-5101-578	8958.92
CLM Port A Potty	01-5085-334	105.00
Consolidated Paper Group	01-5081-411A	124.94
Country Lane Embroidery	01-5020-576	158.25
Crocker & Crocker	01-5301-332	364.00
Crocker & Crocker	01-5070-567	311.91
Debbie Steele	01-5015-569	90.49
Dezign LLC	01-5070-319	700.00
Division of Child Support	Payroll	69.23
Electric Plant Board	01-5020-578	108.05
F-S Chamber of Commerce	01-5430-505	7500.00
F-S Industrial Authority	01-5075-348	180353.33
F-S Renaissance	01-5435-348	3750.00
Franklin Favorite	01-5001-302	69.02
Franklin Favorite	01-5015-302	228.00
Franklin Favorite	01-5010-302	320.63
Franklin Favorite	01-5070-348	2.76
Friends of the Shelter	01-5205-315	4437.50
Gall's	01-5015-481	316.99
Gerald Printing	01-5010-445	175.30
Glasgow HVAC	01-5081-334A	2464.20
Global Dust Control	01-5010-411	52.50
Global Dust Control	01-5081-411A	23.75
Global Dust Control	01-5081-411B	7.75
Greene Military	01-5015-481	1402.00
Greenleaf Environmental	01-5020-308	29.16
Hardtime Products	03-5101-334	1674.00
High Tech Rescue	01-5120-336	219.17
IAPE	01-5160-551	65.00
IRS	Payroll	50538.22
Johnson Oil	02-6105-455	857.44
Kentucky Retirement	Payroll	174242.35
Kentucky Revenue	Payroll	8527.72
Kentucky State Treasurer	01-5015-445	10.00
Kenway	03-5101-411	3499.22
Kevin Gilbert	01-5020-569	403.20
Kevin Gilbert	01-5020-576	227.91
Konica Minolta Premier Finance	01-5070-564	157.35
Lang Company	01-5001-564	34.26
Lang Company	01-5015-564	143.70
Lang Company	01-5120-588A	33.50
Lowe's	01-5091-445	28.48
Lowe's	03-5101-334	90.17
Mefford & Phillips	01-9100-573	39.95
Mefford & Phillips	01-5005-165	300.00
Microsoft	01-5001-319	34.23
McClean Services	01-5010-411	125.00
Napa Auto Parts	01-5120-446	9.99
Napa Auto Parts	02-6105-588	162.75
Napa Auto Parts	02-6105-447	57.66
Nelson Slaughter	01-5120-446	25.10
New Covenant Cleaners	01-5080-329	1200.00
New Covenant Cleaners	01-5081-329	5000.00
O'Reilly's	01-5160-340	156.25
O'Reilly's	03-5101-340	117.99
O'Reilly's	02-6105-592	12.40
O'Reilly's	02-6105-455	74.99
Oak Tree Awards	01-5015-445	56.27
Patrick Crafton	01-5020-103	500.00
Patrick Crafton	01-5020-569	222.64
PTS of America	01-5015-577	1277.50
Pye Barker	01-5081-334A	2117.25
Pye Barker	01-5080-334	363.25
Pye Barker	01-5081-334B	15.00
Pye Barker	01-5015-334	15.00
Pye Barker	01-5010-334	20.00

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Pye Barker	01-5020-334	5.00
Pye Barker	01-5205-334	5.00
Pye Barker	01-5085-334	15.00
Pye Barker	02-6005-334	548.00
Pye Barker	03-5101-334	5.00
Quill	03-5101-445	127.33
Rapid Fueling	01-5120-455	1238.15
REM Company	03-5101-336	197.50
River Link	01-5015-569	48.00
Scott & Murphy Inc	02-8003-730	199195.87
Simpson County Clerk's Office	01-5015-445	19.00
Simpson Co Gross Payroll - General	Payroll	172206.01
Simpson Co Gross Payroll - Road	Payroll	21602.94
Simpson Co Gross Payroll - Jail	Payroll	129815.24
Simpson County Tire	02-6105-592	144.45
Software Management	01-5010-319	3738.00
Southern Electrical	01-5116-398	3075.00
Stewart Richey	01-5015-334	260.00
Subscriber's Renewals	01-5001-445	34.00
Tennessee Child Support	Payroll	470.30
Terminix Processing Center	03-5101-334	288.00
The Fix It Foundation	01-5205-403	446.01
Tri-State International	02-6105-592	145.05
Underground Vault & Storage	01-5015-445	62.00
US Bank Equipment Finance	01-5070-564	126.38
US Bank Equipment Finance	01-5001-564	153.44
US Bank Equipment Finance	03-5101-564	110.43
Vogelpohl Fire Equipment	01-5120-446	68.14
Vonage	01-9100-573	131.29
Vonage	01-5070-573	98.48
Vonage	01-5135-573	80.06
Vonage	01-5120-573	82.06
Vonage	01-5015-573	176.63
Vonage	01-5010-573	196.95
Vonage	01-5160-573	114.89
Vonage	01-5080-573	16.43
Vonage	01-5091-573	16.42
Vonage	01-5030-573	82.06
Vonage	75-5145-578	32.83
Vonage	02-6005-573	32.83
Vonage	03-5101-573	371.57
Wells Fargo Financial	01-5015-564	150.00
West Correctional Healthcare	03-5101-386	32919.92
West Payment Center	01-5015-445	274.16
William W Lawrence, Trustee	Payroll	1187.00
WRECC	01-5120-578C	41.24

Motion by Chandler Second by Burr Yes-All  
Approve December 31, 2023 Financial Statement subject to audit and authorize signatures of Treasurer Nicole Law and Judge Executive Mason Barnes.

Judge Barnes reported that he will be meeting individually with department heads to review the results of the employee surveys. He will then compile the results to present to Fiscal Court. A joint City County meeting has been proposed but has not yet been scheduled. In the meantime Judge Barnes and Mayor Dixon have verbally agreed that there will be no changes to Planning & Zoning Regulations nor to Industrial Authority agreements until City and County have met and jointly addressed these topics. Appreciation was expressed to Public Works and private individuals for snow removal from county roads and Sheriff's Department for motorists' assists during the recent snow event.

Emergency Management Director Robert Palmer reported that the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) will conduct a thirty-hour emergency preparedness course beginning February 1<sup>st</sup> from 6 PM to 9 PM at the Blewett Bradley Building with no costs involved but pre-registration is requested.

Motion by Chandler Second by Burr Yes-All  
Adjourn. (9:40 AM)

*Mason Barnes*  
COUNTY JUDGE EXECUTIVE