Greene County Commission

Daily Briefing

TUESDAY, March 29, 2016 9:00 AM County Commission Conference Room 933 N. Robberson

Attendees: Commissioners Cirtin, Bengsch and Bentley; Chris Coulter, Jeff Scott, Tina Phillips, Rick Artman, Jeff Avers, Sheriff Jim Arnott, Captain Jeremy Lynn, Alissa Zhu with the Springfield News-Leader and Marilyn Elsass.

Items for Consideration and Action by the Commission

(None)

Informational Items

- 1. Sheriff Office—Sheriff Jim Arnott
 - Discussion of Sheriff's Department vehicle storage and the need for an additional, more permanent
 and localized area. The Sheriff gave the history of location(s) where vehicles are housed. The
 Sheriff indicated that many of the locations do not accommodate the length or height of equipment.
 - The Sheriff mentioned a property that may be used to store the Sheriff's Department vehicles/equipment that would be adjacent to the Highway Department. This would be a plus since it would be close to the Highway Department for repairs and maintenance. Drawing presented to show the layout of a proposed building and easy access to frequently used vehicles/equipment.
 - There was discussion regarding the possibility of shared space between the Sheriff's Department and the Highway Department with regard to items such as salt storage.
 - The discussion continued regarding any surface/subsurface issues and how to avoid potential lifetime costs to the county if the land were procured without being very conscious of approval from agencies i.e. EPA.
 - Cost of the property was discussed. Captain Lynn (Sheriff's Department) and Jeff Avers (Highway Department) will work closely together moving forward to see about the possibility of purchase and steps that would need to be taken to ensure that the property is "clean" of any liability regarding the environment.
- 2. Budget Office—Jeff Scott
 - Items from the Budget Office were tabled to Thursday, March 31, due to lack of time.
- 3. Human Resources Camille Knowles Conducting HRAs
- 4. Other Items

Tom Barr:

• Tom Barr, Circuit Clerk, presented a letter to the Commission requesting permission to install seven monitors on the first floor of the Judicial Courthouse at the Circuit Clerk's Office expense. The purpose of the monitors will be to enhance public information including docket information, directory, directions and maps of the floors.

Commissioner Cirtin made the motion to approve the installation of seven monitors in the Judicial Courthouse as proposed. Commissioner Bentley gave the second. The vote resulted in the 3 ayes in favor. Motion passed.