Clarke County Board of Supervisors April 21, 2025

April 21, 2025 - The Clarke County Board of Supervisors met in regular session on April 21, 2025 at the Clarke County Courthouse with the following members present: Randy Dunbar, Dean Robins, and Brian Sorensen. Also present, Auditor Jessica Graves and Osceola Sentinel Editor Candra Brooks, County Assistant Engineer Corey Eckels, Ronnie Decker, and Robert Johnson. Chairman Randy Dunbar called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Dean Robins made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Brian Sorensen. All Ayes.

PUBLIC HEARING RESOLUTION #25-063

The Board of Supervisors met on April 21, 2025, with Board Members, Randy Dunbar, Dean Robins, and Brian Sorensen present for a public hearing on the proposed Clarke County Budget for fiscal year 2025-26. Auditor Jessica Graves, Osceola Sentinel Editor Candra Brooks, County Assistant Engineer Corey Eckels, Ronnie Decker, and Robert Johnson were also present.

Moved by Brian Sorensen to open the public hearing at 9:06 a.m., seconded by Dean Robins. Ayes: Randy Dunbar, Dean Robins, and Brian Sorensen. Nays: None. Motion carried.

There were questions from the public regarding revenue from taxes, public safety and legal services. Another public member expressed concern over increases in taxes.

There were no objections to the budget in person or in writing.

There being no further questions or comments, it was moved by Dean Robins to close the hearing. Brian Sorensen seconded. Ayes: Randy Dunbar, Dean Robins, and Brian Sorensen. Nays: Nones. Motion carried. Hearing closed at 9:26 A.M.

Dean Robins made a motion to approve the 2025-26 budget and levies as follows: General Basic 4.87432, General Supplement 3.02227, Debt Service 0.38965, Rural Basic 4.66829, Rural Supplement 0.68142. Seconded by Randy Dunbar.

Vote was "Ayes": Randy Dunbar, Dean Robins and Brian Sorensen. "Nays": None. Signed this 21st day of April, 2025.

Res 25-064 - Moved by Brian Sorensen, seconded by Dean Robins to set May 5, 2025 at 9:05 a.m. as the date and time for public hearing for proposed ordinance #40, service "B" road maintenance.

Vote was: "Ayes": Randy Dunbar, Dean Robins and Brian Sorensen. "Nays": None. Signed this 21st day of April, 2025.

Res 25-065 - Moved by Brian Sorensen, seconded by Dean Robins to set May 5, 2025 at 9:10 a.m. as the date and time for public hearing for proposed ordinance #41, service "C" road maintenance.

Vote was: "Ayes": Randy Dunbar, Dean Robins and Brian Sorensen. "Nays": None.

Signed this 21st day of April, 2025.

Corey Eckels left at 9:30 a.m.

Res 25-066 - Moved by Dean Robins, seconded by Brian Sorensen, to approve payment of claims submitted from April 15, 2025 through April 21, 2025.

Vote was: "Ayes": Randy Dunbar, Dean Robins and Brian Sorensen. "Nays": None. Signed this 21st day of April, 2025.

Fund totals for claims as follows:

0001	GENERAL BASIC FUND	18,622.28
0002	GENERAL SUPPLEMENT FUND	5,419.92
0011	RURAL SERVICES BASIC FUND	718.48
0020	SECONDARY ROAD FUND	142,197.79
4000	EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FUND	145.24
4100	ASSESSOR	785.91

Having no other agenda items, Brian Sorensen made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Dean Robins. All Ayes. Meeting adjourned at 9:35 a.m.

Signed: Randy Dunbar - Chairman Attest: Jessica Graves, Auditor