MINUTES OF THE VAN BUREN COUNTY COMMISSION VAN BUREN COUNTY, TENNESSEE

The Van Buren County Commission met in a Regular Meeting on November 19, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. at the Van Buren County Administrative Facility & Justice Center. The following action was taken as recorded in Minute Book, "U".

Call to Order

Deputy Cameron Clendenon called the Meeting to Order.

Roll Call

Members present: Michael Chandler, Cale Crain, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, and Tommy Frady. Michael Woodlee was absent.

Also present: Standing in for County Attorney Howard Upchurch was Attorney Stacey Farmer, County Mayor David Sullivan, County Clerk Lisa Rigsby, and Jay Williams with zoom and Several Citizens of Van Buren County.

Prayer

Dusty Madewell led us in prayer.

Pledge

Chairman Cale Crain led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes from Commission Meeting on October 29, 2024 as printed or amended.

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Chandler to approve the Minutes from the Commission Meeting on October 29, 2024. All agreed by voice vote. 0-opposed. Motion passed.

Approval of Minutes from Committee A Meeting on November 7, 2024

Committee A Meeting

November 7, 2024

Roll Call: All members present.

Election of Committee A Chairman: Motion by Terry Hodges to elect Tabitha Denney as Chairman seconded by Jordan Delong. All members in favor.

Election of Committee A Vice Chairman: Motion by Cale Crain to elect Jordan Delong as Vice Chairman and seconded by Terry Hickey. All members in favor.

Approve/Disapprove: Budget Amendment from Fund Balance 39000 to 101-54210-780 Communication Equipment (radios) for Correctional Officers in the amount of \$5,220.00. Motion by Terry Hickey to approve and seconded by Cale Crain. Roll Call: All members in favor.

Approve/Disapprove: Bonus for County Employees. Only the non-elected staff members: Motion by Cale Crain with a \$500 dollar across the board bonus and seconded by Terry Hodges. Roll call with 2 yes's and 3 No's. Motion did not pass.

Motion by Jordan Delong to do a \$500 to full time and \$250 to part-time. Seconded by Terry Hodges. Roll Call: 2 Yes's and 3 No's. Motion did not pass.

Motion by Terry Hickey to do a \$1000 to full time and \$750 to part-time. Seconded by Jordan Delong. Roll Call: 2 Yes's and 3 No's. Motion did not pass.

Motion by Cale Crain to do a \$750 to full-time and \$500 to part-time. Seconded by Jordan Delong. Roll Call: With all members voting yes. Motion passed. The Check will be a separate check than the employee's regular pay roll.

Old Business:

Piney Convenience Center: Motion by Cale Crain to do metal tin on the ceiling and walls for the 12x12 building. Seconded by Terry Hickey. All members in favor.

County Insurance: Motion by Cale Crain to change Tier 1 pay range to \$0-\$66,999 and Tier 2 to \$67,000 and up. Seconded by Jordan Delong. Roll call with all members in favor.

New Business

CPC Funds Employee Bonus Gift Card: Sheriff Brock presenting to move \$3,000 from Fund 101-54110-316 to line 49800 to issue bonus gift cards to employees. Motion to approve by Cale Crain and seconded by Jordan Delong. Roll Call: With all in favor.

Over time refund: Sheriff Brock requesting to move \$450 from line 101-54110-187 to 44170 for over time refund from the TBI. Motion to approve by Cale Crain and seconded by Terry Hickey. Roll Call: With all members in favor.

SRO State Supplement: Sheriff Brock requesting to move \$1,600 from line 101-54110-140 to 49800 for an extra salary supplement for SRO's that will be award to all SRO's. Motion to approve by Cale Crain and seconded by Jordan Delong. Roll call with all members in favor.

Donation to Santa Shop: Motion by Cale Crain to give \$2,000 to the Santa Shop for the children of Van Buren County. Seconded by Jordan Delong. Roll Call with all members in favor.

Meeting Adjourn: Motion made by Terry Hickey and seconded by Jordan Delong. All members in favor.

Commissioner Michael Woodlee entered the Full Commission Meeting at 6:03 p.m.

Committee A Chairman Tabitha Denney brought forward action that needs to be taken from the Full Commission from the Committee A Meeting on November 7, 2024

Approval of Budget Amendment from fund Balance 39000 to line item 101-54210-780, Communication Equipment (radios) for Correctional Officers in the amount of \$5,220.00.

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Woodlee to approve this budget amendment as presented.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed. **Budget Amendment as following:**

General Fund

2024-2025

BUDGET AMENDMENT 1Fund 101

Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation	L.	Debit	 Credit
54210 39000	780	Communication Equip Fund Balance	12 radios @ \$435.00	\$	5,220.00	\$ 5,220.00
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			Total	\$	5,220.00	\$ 5,220.00

We have applied for 8 (limit) on a grant. This is for the Correctional Officers.

Approval of Bonus for non-elected County Employees. \$750.00 for full time and \$500.00 for part time.

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Woodlee to approve to do a \$750.00 bonus to full-time County employees and \$500.00 to part-time employees.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed.

Budget Amendments to move the money for the Full-time and part-time County employees for the bonus. (Only the non-elected County employees)

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Chandler to move from General Fund 101 line 39000 in the amount of \$21,879.00 and credit these budget amendments as presented and read as following:

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed. **General Fund 101 and all amendments as following:**

General Fund

2024-2025

Fund 101

Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation		Debit		Credit
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39000		UNASSIGNED	BONUS	\$	21,879.00		
54210	160 C	ORRECTION OFFICERS				\$	11,000.00
54210	149	LABORER					500
	201	SOCIAL SEC.				\$	713.00
	204	RET			9	\$	450.00
	210	UNEMP	1			\$	35.00
	212	MEDICARE				\$	168.00
54110	106	DEPUTY	:			\$	5,750.00
	201	ŞS		1		\$	496.00
	204	RET				\$	375.00
	210	UNEMP				\$	24.00
	212	MEDICARE				\$.	118.00
	170	SRO				\$	1,500.00
	119	ADM ASSIST				\$	750.00
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		**	Total	\$	21,879.00	\$	21,879.00

Budget Amendment Fund 112 Bonus for County Employees (Courthouse and Jail Maint.)

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Terry Hodges to approve Fund 112 for a total of \$849.00 from 39000 (General Fund) and be credited to the following as presented and read:

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed.

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Courthouse and Jail Maint

2024-2025

Fund 112

Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation		Debit		Credit
39000	,	UNASSIGNED	mtn	\$	849.00		
51800	149	MAINTENANCE	BONUS				\$750.00
	201	SS				\$	47.00
	204	RT				\$	38.00
,	210	UNEMP				\$	3.00
	212	MEDICARE				\$	11.00
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Budget Amendments Fund 116 Bonus for County Employees (Solid Waste)

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Woodlee to approve the amount of \$5,708.00 from 39000 (General Fund) and be credited to the following as presented and read:

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed.

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Solid Waste

2024-2025

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Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation		Debit		Credit
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39000		fund balance	bonus	\$	5,708.00		
55732	149	laborers	bonus			\$	4,000.00
55732	201	SS				\$	248.00
55732	210	unempl				\$	12.00
55732	212	med				\$	58.00
. 55731	147	driver				\$	750.00
55731	169	pt driver		1		\$	500.00
55731	201	SS				\$	78.00
55731	204	ret	:			\$	38.00
55731	210	unempl				\$	4:00
55731	212	medicare				\$	20.00
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	+		Total	\$	5,708.00	\$	5,708.00

Budget Amendments Fund 118 Bonus for County Employees (Ambulance Service)

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Woodlee to approve the toal of \$13,409.00 from 39000 General Fund and be credited to the following as presented and read:

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed.

Van Buren Co. Executive

Ambulance Service

2024-2025

Fund 118

Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation		Debit	 Credit
39000		UNASSIGNED	Bonus	\$	13,409.00	
55130	131	Medical Personnel				\$ 11,250.00
	201	Social Security		ì		\$ 745.00
	204	Retirement				\$ 451.00
	210	Unemployment		-		\$ 37.00
	212	Medicare				\$ 176.00
55130	105	DIRECTOR				\$ 750.00
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			Total	\$	13,409.00	\$ 13,409.00

Budget Amendments General Fund 101 Bonus for County Employees (Administrative)

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Woodlee to approve the amount of \$10,533.00 from 39000 and be credited to the following as presented and read:

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed.

General Fund

2024-2025 BUDGET AMENDMENT fund 101

Function	Óbj.	Description	Explanation	T	_	Debit		Credit
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			172					
39000		UNASSIGNED	Bonus		\$	10,533.00	190	
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51800	149	laborer					\$	750.00
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	204							
	210						\$	4.00
	212						\$	19.00
51300	122						\$	750.00
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51300	201	SS'	1				\$	93.00
	204	ret					\$	75.00
	210	unemp	1				\$	5.00
	212	medicare		1			\$	22.00
52300	169	prop assessor		1			\$	1,000.00
	201	ss		1			\$	62.00
	210	unemp					\$	3.00
	212	medicare					\$	15.00
52500	106	clerk deputy					\$	750.00
	201	. 55	,	_			\$	47.00
	204						\$	38.00
	210						\$	3.00 11.00
53400	106	medicare					\$	750.00
52400	201	trustee deputy					\$	47.00
	201	SS					\$	38.00
	210	ret unemp					\$	3.00
i	212	medicare					\$	11.00
56500	169						\$	1,000.00
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	204	ret					\$	38.00
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	212	medicare					\$	11.00
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	204	ret		İ			\$	38.00
	210	ünemp					\$	6.00
	212	medicare					\$	26.00
57500	105	SOIL					\$.	750.00
	201	SS		1			\$	47.00
	204	RET					\$	38.00
	210	UNEMP					\$	3.00
	212	medicare					\$	11.00
58300	169	VETERAN					\$	500.00
	201	SS						31.00
	210	unemp					\$	2.00
	212	medicare					\$	8.00
64000	149	LITTER					\$	500.00
	201	SS					\$	31.00
	210	UNEMP		1			\$	2.00
	212	MEDICARE		1			\$	8.00
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			Total		\$	10,533.00	\$	10,533.00

County Health Insurance (Tier 1 & 2)

The Commission approved new Health Insurance for the County Employees on October 29, 2024 with BCBS with a Tier 1 & 2. Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Chandler to change Tier 1 pay range to \$0-\$66,999 and Tier 2 to \$67,000 and up.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed.

Approval of Sheriff Brock requesting moving \$3,000.00 from 49800 to line 101-54110-316 to issue bonus gift cards to employees.

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Chandler to approve this request form Sheriff Brock as presented.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed. **Budget Amendment as presented as following:**

General Fund

2024-2025

BUDGET AMENDMENT 1 Fund 101

Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation	Debit	Credit
54110 49800	316	Contributions Transfer In		\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
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			Total	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00

This is funds from a company that we have. They will be sending us a check to give our staff \$100 gift cards for Christmas.

Approval of Sheriff Brock requesting moving \$450.00 from 44170 to line item 101-54110-187 for over time refund from the TBI.

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Terry Hodges to approve to move \$450.00 from 44170 to line item 101-54110-187 for over time refund from the TBI.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed. **Budget Amendment as presented as following:**

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Van Buren Co. Executive

General Fund

2024-2025 BUDGET AMENDMENT 1 Fund 101

Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation		Debit		Credit
54110 44170	187	Overtime Misc. Refund		\$	450.00	\$	450.00
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			Total	\$	450.00	\$	450.00

Moving reimbursement money received from the TBI on 10/22/2024 back to the overtime line item.

Van Buren County Trustee Miscellaneous Receipt

User:

Venita Martin

Receipt Number:

321

Date/Time: 10/22/2024 8:04 AM

10/22/2024 Date:

Initials: VM Drawer 1

Group:

Venita Cash Drawer

Transaction Total

450.00

Trans. Total Tendered:

450.00 0.00

Transaction No:

\$450.00 SHERIFF - TBI OVERTIME REIMBURSEMENT AUGUST Cost Alle REIMBURSEMENT AUGUST 2024
Cost Allocation

Change:

Receipt Item Amount \$450.00

Amount: Revenue Code 44170 Miscellaneous Refunds

Trustee

101 - County General

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Direct Deposits

Payment No

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Payment Type

\$450.00

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Approval of Sheriff Brock requesting moving \$1,600.00 from 49800 to line item 101-54110-140 for an extra salary supplement for SRO's.

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Woodlee to approve to move \$1,600.00 from 49800 to line item 101-54110=140 for an extra salary supplement for SRO's.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed. **Budget Amendment as presented as following:**

Van Buren Co. Executive

General Fund

2024-2025 BUDGET AMENDMENT 1 Fund 101

Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation	Debit	Credit
54110 49800	140	Salary Supplement Transfer In	, , ,	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00
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			Total	\$ x 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00

This is an extra Salary Supplement for SRO's that will be awarded to all SRO's.

Approval of Donation of \$2,000.00 to the Santa Shop for the children of Van Buren County.

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Dusty Madewell to approve the donation of \$2,000.00 to the Santa Shop.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed. **Budget Amendment as presented as following:**

Van Buren Co. Executive

General Fund

2024-2025

Fund 101

Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation	Debit	Credit
51100 39000	316		SANTA SHOP	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
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			Total	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00

Approval of Notary application for Nikki Koch

Jordan Delong made a motion, second by Terry Hickey to approve the Notary application for Nikki Koch. All approved by voice vote. 0-opposed. Motion passed.

Approval of Quarterly Reports for July, August, September for Ambulance, B.O.E., Clerk & Master, Solid Waste and Highway Department.

Jordan Delong made a motion, second by Kenny Smith to approve Quarterly Reports for July, August, and September for Ambulance, B.O.E., Clerk & Master, Solid Waste and Highway Department. All approved by voice vote. 0-opposed. Motion passed.

Old Business

None

New Business

Budget Amendment for the County Clerk within the Clerks Budget (Earmark money, \$1,129.50)

Michael Woodlee made a motion, second by Tabitha Denney to approve the budget amendment as presented.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed. **Budget Amendment presented as following:**

General Fund

2024-2025

Fund 101

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Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation		Debit		Credit
50500	500	OTHER CHARGES	PONILIS	\$	1,129.50		
52500	599	OTHER CHARGES	BONUS	3	1,129.50	٨	1 000 00
52500	106	DEPUTY CLERK	BONUS			\$	1,000.00
	201	SS					62
	204	RET				\$	50.00
	210	UNEMPLOY				\$	3.00
	212	MEDICARE				\$	14.50
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			Total	\$	1,129.50	\$	1,129.50

Lya Rigsby

Budget Amendments for the Sheriff's Department (over-time refund from the TBI Grant)

Jail Administrator Jessica Grissom was present at the meeting requesting two budget amendments for over-time refunded from the TBI Grant in the amounts of \$108.00 and \$927.12. Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Woodlee to approve the budget amendments as presented.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed. **Budget Amendment presented as following:**

Van Buren Co. Executive

General Fund

2024-2025

BUDGET AMENDMENT 1 Fund 101

Function	Obj.	Description	Explanation	Debit		Credit
54110 44170	187	Overtime Misc. Refunds		\$ 927	\$.12	927.12
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			Total	\$ 92	7.12 \$	927.12

Reimbursement received 11/18/2024

Van Buren County Trustee Miscellaneous Receipt

User: Date/Time: 11/15/2024 8:09 AM

Beth Simmons

Date: 11/15/2024

Initials: BS

Receipt Number: Transaction Total

392

927.12

Group: Trustee

Drawer 2

Beth's Cash Drawer

Trans. Total Tendered:

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142540 Description \$927.12 Object

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Change:

Transaction No: Amount: Revenue Code 4170 Miscellaneous Refunds 44170

Allocation 101 - County General

Receipt Item Amount

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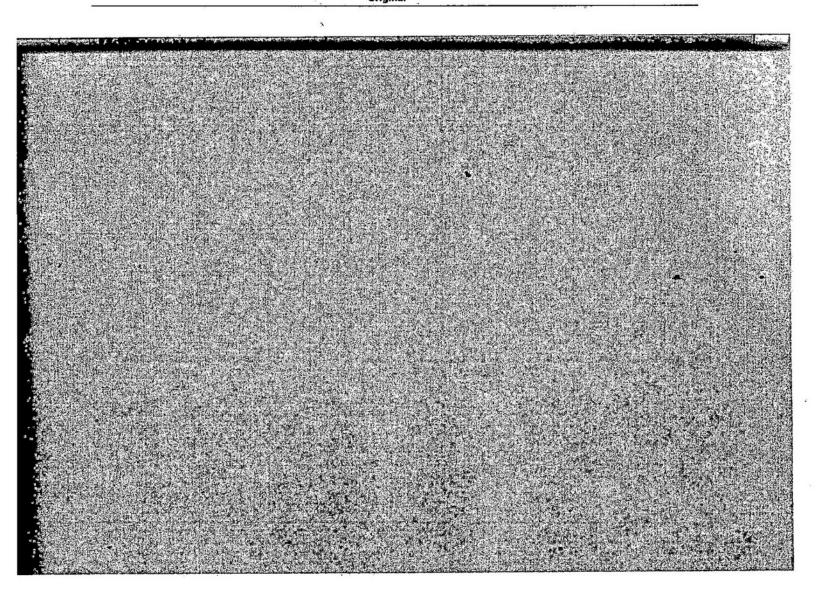
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Direct Deposits

\$927.12

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General Fund

2024-2025

BUDGET AMENDMENT 1Fund 101

Function	Obj.	Description	Debit	Credit		
54110 44170	54110 187 Overtime		Explanation	\$ 108.00	\$ 108.00	
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			Total	\$ 108.00	\$ 108.00	

Reimbursement received 11/12/2024

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Trans. Total Tendered:

108.00

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Transaction No:
Amount:
Revenue Code
44170 Miscellaneous Refunds

142488 Description STATE OF TN - SHERIFF - TBI OT \$108.00 REIMBURSEMENT Allocation

Allocation 101 - County General

Receipt Item Amount \$108.00

Group: Trustee

Drawer Initials:

Beth's Cash Drawer

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Return to Payments Made

Resolution requesting the 114th Session of the Tennessee General Assembly to allocate one half of the Real Estate transfer tax to the County, where the tax was collected, on a recurring basis.

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Terry Hodges to approve this Resolution as presented.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed. **Resolution Number 496 as following:**

Resolution Number 496
A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE 114th SESSION OF THE TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ALLOCATE ONE HALF OF THE REAL ESTATE TRANSFER TAX TO THE COUNTY, WHERE THE TAX WAS COLLECTED, ON A RECURRING BASIS.

- for many years, the State of Tennessee has imposed a tax of \$0.37 per \$100 of value for WHEREAS, the privilege of publicly recording documents evidencing all transfers of realty, whether by deed, court deed, decree, partition deed, or other instrument evidencing transfer of any interest in real estate; and
- although this tax is collected locally, it is currently remitted to the State and the revenue WHEREAS, is not made available for use by local officials to address needs in the community where the tax is collected; and
- county governments have few revenue options available to them for funding the many WHEREAS, crucial governmental services mandated by state law and are therefore largely dependent upon property tax to fund these services; and
- county governments have been fiscally disciplined, allowing Tennessee to remain a low WHEREAS. property tax burden state; however, county budgets are increasingly strained by factors such as inflation, challenges in recruiting and retaining qualified staff, and requirements to meet state mandates like increasing teacher compensation; and
- many counties are experiencing rapid population growth as families are choosing to WHEREAS, move to Tennessee and settle in its communities, adding to the demand for county services and infrastructure which are necessary to maintain the quality of life all Tennesseans expect and deserve; and
- as the State continues to experience revenue collections in excess of budgeted WHEREAS, estimates, allocating one half of the real estate transfer tax on a recurring basis to the county where collected would take pressure off local property taxes and allow for investment in infrastructure and services without unduly burdening state finances and without increasing the rate of this tax;

NOW, THEREFORE	, BE IT RESOLVED BY	THIS COUNTY LEG	ISLATIVE BODY IN SESSION	ASSEMBLED:
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The County of Van Dwen hereby requests that one half of the tax collected pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated § 67-4-409 be shared with the County where collected on a recurring basis.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the Chairman of this County legislative body and the County Clerk certify and forward this resolution to the members of the Tennessee General Assembly representing this County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THIS RESOLUTION TAKE EFFECT FROM AND AFTER ITS PASSAGE, THE PUBLIC WELFARE REQUIRING IT.

County Mayor David Sullivan	-
County Clerk Lisa Rigsby	_

A time change for all Convenience Centers in Van Buren County

Mayor David Sullivan was requesting a time change on all Convenience Centers in Van Buren County to be set from 8:30 a.m. till 4:30 p.m. year around. After discussion on this matter, Michael Woodlee made a motion, second by Kenny Smith to approve the Convenience Centers to be open from 8:30 a.m. till 4:30 p.m. year around. All approved by voice vote. 0-opposed. Motion passed.

The Care Solace

Tabitha Denney made a motion, second by Michael Woodlee to approve the contract for 5 years with a new contract to be brought back to the Commission.

Upon roll Call: Michael Chandler, Jordan Delong, Tabitha Denney, Terry Hickey, Terry Hodges, Dusty Madewell, Kenny Smith, Tommy Frady, Michael Woodlee, and Cale Crain voted yes. Motion passed.

Comments from the General Public

None

<u>Adjournment</u>

Michael Wood	dlee made a mo	tion, second I	by Jordan	Delong to	adjourn.	All app	roved	by v	oice
vote. Motion	passed. Meeting	adjourned at	6:52 p.m.						

Chairman Cale Crain	County Clerk Lisa Rigsby