

**Dodge County Board of Commissioners
Called Meeting Minutes
Monday, August 12, 2024 at 12:00 p.m.**



Also Present:

Conner Bearden, County Manager
John P. Harrington, County Attorney
Kimberly Smith-Parkerson, County Clerk

Absent:

Kelly Belflower, District 2 (deceased)

Commissioners Present:

Chairman Dan McCranie
Sharon Cobb Flanagan, District 1
Vice-Chair Brian Watkins, District 3
Karen Cheek, District 4

The Dodge County Board of Commissioners held a called meeting at the Dodge County Pearl Bates Courthouse Annex Monday, August 12, 2024, at 12:00 p.m. with Chairman McCranie presiding. He called the meeting to order to discuss the City of Eastman's property annexation request for Parcel 048A 021.

Manager Bearden stated the annexation was not approved since it was not advertised in the newspaper; however he stated advertising was not a requirement due to state code, article 2. Also, the second objection was due to financial hardship of maintaining Congo Lane. However, the City of Eastman had provided an intergovernmental agreement which indicated they would take over Congo Lane and Congo Lane Connector from 9th Avenue to Highway 117 (Griffin Avenue).

Commissioner Watkins made a motion to approve the intergovernmental agreement with the additions that the city would accept the entirety of Congo Road and the Congo Lane Connector into its municipal street system and have all documents completed as soon as possible but no later than six months. Commissioner Cheek seconded the motion. All present voted in favor, and the motion passed.

Commissioner Watkins made a motion to approve the annexation of Parcel 048A 021. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. All present voted in favor, and the motion passed.

Adjournment

With no further business to address on the called meeting's agenda, a motion was made by Commissioner Cheek and seconded by Commissioner Watkins to adjourn at 12:20 p.m. All voted in favor, and the meeting adjourned.

Attested:

Approved:

Kimberly Smith-Parkerson, County Clerk

Dan McCranie, Chairman