

**BOONSLICK REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION
ANNUAL MEETING
Wednesday, December 1, 2021**

The membership of Boonslick Regional Planning Commission held its annual meeting Wednesday, December 1, 2021, at the Jonesburg Community Building, 111 North 1st St., Jonesburg, Missouri. The evening began with appetizers at 6:00 p.m. and dinner at 6:30 p.m. Following dinner, the meeting was called to order. The following individuals were present:

Jeff Porter, State Rep, District 42
Ryan Poston, Montgomery County
Sue Gloeckie
Cathie Gildehaus
Linda Hunn
Lon Little, Region I SWMD
Elsa Smith-Fernandez, City of Truesdale
Samuel Saffa, Office of Senator Hawley
Larry Corder, City of Warrenton
Bryan Spencer
Tara Dormeyer, City of Marthasville
Dena Saak, City of Wellsville
Steve Wehrle, Village of Rhineland

Patrick Flannigan, City of Moscow Mills
Vonnice Poston
Jim Schuchmann, City of Wright City
Jeff Jaspering, City of Warrenton
John Noltensmeyer
Eric Schleuter, City of Warrenton
Mark Bennett, City of Truesdale
Sharon Lensing
Brandie Walters, City of Warrenton
Richard West, State Rep, District 63
Jon Woodrum
Bob Saak, City of Wellsville
Janet Wehrle, Village of Rhineland

Deborah Flannigan
David Lange, City of Marthasville
Joe Gildehaus, Warren County
Donna West, Village of Innsbrook
Joey Los, Town of McKittrick
Matt Flake, Warren County
Chris Watson, City of Truesdale
Doug Lensing, Montgomery County
Michelle Heiliger, City of Wright City
Scott Dormeyer,
Mary Jo Woodrum
Erik Maninga, MoDOT

Musical group Grimstead & Friends

Chad Eggen, BRPC
Janet Hickey, BRPC
Kathy Bingham, BRPC
Dorothy Jones, BRPC

Chuck Eichmeyer, BRPC
Mikayla Walton, BRPC
Christine Zika, BRPC
Kenedee Chandler, BRPC

Jane Cale, BRPC
Krishna Kunapareddy, BRPC
Kim Meyer, BRPC

Welcome

BRPC Chairman Ryan Poston welcomed everyone. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, introductions were made. Samuel Saffa from the office of U.S. Senator Josh Hawley, State Representative Jeff Porter, and State Representative Richard West were in attendance to provide legislative updates. They invited the membership to contact them with any questions or concerns. Missouri Department of Transportation Area Engineer Erik Maninga reported that the upcoming year should be exciting with many projects able to move forward.

After the invocation, the membership and guests enjoyed dinner. The musical group *Grimstead & Friends* provided entertainment during the meal by playing Christmas songs.

Call to Order

Chairman Poston called the meeting to order.

- **Approval of agenda** – Chris Watson made a motion to approve the agenda. Joe Gildehaus seconded the motion. Approved unanimously.
- **Approval of minutes** – David Lange made a motion to approve the minutes from the December 7, 2020, annual meeting. Chris Watson seconded the motion. Approved unanimously.

Chairman Poston took a moment to recognize and thank BRPC staff members. He asked each to introduce him/herself and explain their role in the organization. He shared that Workforce Development Director Janet Hickey was going to retire and thanked her for her leadership in the Job Center and with the Workforce programs.

Report of Activities

BRPC Executive Director Chad Eggen gave a brief overview of BRPC programs and projects for the past year. He showed the membership a Tik Tok social media video that Job Center staff had worked on with an area business. The goal is to target the 18-to 24-year-old age group and connect young people with employers who have positions to fill. Chad welcomed member communities to contact staff with questions or if their community has a need BRPC might be able to help them address.

Adjourn

With no other business to conduct, Joe Gildehaus made a motion to adjourn. David Lange seconded the motion, and the meeting was adjourned.

Approved on _____

Ryan Poston, Chairman