

**BOONSLICK REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION**  
**Full Council Meeting – Monday, September 26, 2022**

The general membership of Boonslick Regional Planning Commission met Monday, September 26, 2022, at the BRPC office, 111 Steinhagen, Warrenton, Missouri at 12:00 p.m. The following individuals were present:

Patrick Flannigan, City of Moscow Mills  
Dave Teeter, Montgomery County  
Jim Schuchmann, Wright City  
Matt Bass, Lincoln County  
Jennifer Meyer, Office of Senator Blunt  
Mike Mueller, Lincoln County  
Doug Lensing, Montgomery County

Jeff Porter, State Representative #42  
Megan Nutt, City of New Florence  
Donna West, Village of Innsbrook  
Joe Gildehaus, Warren County  
David Ingle, City of New Florence  
Jim Sharp, Warren County EMA

Ryan Poston, Montgomery County  
Joe Kaimann, Lincoln County  
Jennifer Hoskins, Office of Cong. Luetkemeyer  
Matt Flake, Warren County  
Sam Saffa, Office of Senator Hawley  
David Lange, City of Marthasville

Teresa Lee, BRPC  
Kathy Bingham, BRPC  
Kim Meyer, BRPC

Jenn Weber, BRPC  
Krishna Kunapareddy, BRPC

Chuck Eichmeyer, BRPC  
Mikala Walton, BRPC

BRPC Chairman Ryan Poston called the meeting to order followed by the pledge of allegiance. Chairman Poston welcomed and introduced Teresa Lee as the new BRPC Executive Director. Teresa spoke briefly about her background in management and agriculture and stated how excited she was to learn about the communities.

Introductions were made at this time. Sam Saffa from U.S. Senator Josh Hawley's office, Jennifer Meyer from U.S. Senator Roy Blunt's office, Jennifer Hoskins from U.S. Representative Blaine Luetkemeyer's office, and Representative Jeff Porter provided legislative updates for the membership.

**Agenda, Minutes & Financial Report**

- Mike Mueller made a motion to approve the agenda. Joe Gildehaus seconded the motion. Agenda approved.
- Mike Mueller made a motion to approve the minutes from the June 23, 2022, general membership meeting. Dave Teeter seconded the motion, and the minutes were approved.
- BRPC Fiscal Officer Kim Meyer gave the financial report. She shared that the budget would look different at the next quarterly meeting, as membership dues will have been sent out. Doug Lensing made a motion to approve the financial report. Mike Mueller seconded, and the motion was approved.

**Chairman's Report**

Chairman Ryan Poston shared that the BRPC Executive Board will be working closely with the organization's new director during this time of transition.

**Work Program Updates**

- BRPC Project Coordinator Chuck Eichmeyer explained that today's guest speaker Brandon Jensen with CDBG was unable to attend but is expected to be rescheduled sometime next year. Chuck also mentioned that the BRPC annual meeting will be held on December 7 at Ranken Technical College in Troy. BRPC participated in the project which constructed the new facility.
- Missouri Job Center Workforce Development Director Jenn Weber shared that the Job Center is now working with a new workforce board. The Job Center, in partnership with Lincoln County Economic Development, held a career fair in Troy. Those in attendance included 32 employers/schools and 25 participants. The Job Center also held resume workshops at Alpha Academy in partnership with DSS. Staff members have been providing outreach in Troy, Winfield, Elsberry, and Montgomery County. Upcoming outreach/events include a Pike Lincoln Technical Center Resume Workshop in partnership with DSS on 9/29, a Wright City High School Career Fair on 10/5, a Warrenton High School Job Showcase in partnership with the school district and Warrenton Chamber on 10/12, and a Trunk or Treat event at Dyer Park in partnership with DSS on 10/14.

- BRPC Planner Krishna Kunapareddy shared that the TAP program is open again. The transportation plan is currently being updated, and meetings have shown a large need for transportation services in our area.
- BRPC Planner Linda Buschman and Kim Meyer will be working with the organization's Revolving Loan Fund programs. The CARES RLF funding has been allocated. The Legacy Revolving Loan Fund still has around \$150,000 available on a first come first serve basis.  
Linda also reported that RSOC just allocated \$220,000 by August in the region for projects, with around \$65,000 going to Elsberry for equipment, \$28,000 going to Wright City for UTV and trailer, and around \$35,000 going to Lincoln County Emergency Management. The next cycle will open in the spring.
- Chuck Eichmeyer reminded those in attendance that the East Central Missouri Solid Waste Management District Annual Meeting will be held in November.

**Membership Updates**

- City of Wright City- The city is currently working on engineering for a project for downtown revitalization. They are specifically looking into stormwater as a large need.
- City of Marthasville- The demolition project is being completed and their well project is almost done. South Street is seeing a street widening project, and the city is currently working through an RV Park grant with Boonslick RPC. Finally, they are looking into obtaining a splash pad for the city park.
- City of New Florence- The city is working on wastewater upgrades. They are also preliminarily talking with MoDOT on a beautification project.
- City of Moscow Mills- There are currently two water/sewer extensions taking place, a water project that is going out for bid, and a new well that is going out for bid. Their primary and secondary pumps need to be fixed. Also, one of their three water towers was out of commission for painting.
- Village of Innsbrook- The village is in the process of designing a new Village Hall with Cochran Engineering. Financing will be through the Department of Agriculture, and they will need to obtain more information to send to them.
- Warren County- The county recently saw the AFG groundbreaking ceremony. They are working with the EDC as well as others. Solar panels and roads are ongoing projects. Also, ARPA funding through the county had received multiple applications and has been awarded to recipients.
- Lincoln County- Broadband, water, and roads are all ongoing projects within the county.
- Montgomery County- They are currently looking to rehabilitate their courthouse with ARPA funds and have received multiple applications for these funds as well. Issues getting fiber installed due to the Osage Nation was briefly discussed.

**Next Meeting Date**

The next meeting will be the BRPC annual meeting on December 7, 2022.

**Adjournment**

Mike Mueller made a motion to adjourn. David Ingle seconded the motion, and the meeting was adjourned.

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Ryan Poston, BRPC Chairman