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Greene County Commission Commission Briefing Minutes

Friday, February 4, 2022 9:00 AM Commission Conference Room 1443 N. Robberson, 10th Floor PLEASE CHECK & RETURN

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Attendees: Bob Dixon, Rusty MacLachlan, John Russell, Chris Coulter, Megan Applegate and Robert Jehle.

<u>Teleconference Attendees</u>: Jim Arnott, Mike Cagle, Kris Inman, Royce Denny, JR Webb, Katie Towns, Larry Woods, Jeff Bassham, Tina Phillips, Mailyn Jeffries, Cheryl Dawson-Spaulding, Cindy Stein, and Fred Lizama.

Informational Items

Health Department-Katie Towns

- COVID-19 update, 424 7 day case average, hospital capacity still continues to be high.
- Office of Emergency Management-Larry Woods
 - Busy with weather prep and weather activation.

E-911-Kris Inman

- Currently hiring for call takers, 12 positions open.
- COVID cases in office is starting to decrease.
- Employee recognition.

Items for Consideration and Action by the Commission

Discussion and Possible Vote: Restructure of Medical Staff for the GC Jail, Sheriff's Office Commissioner John Russell moved to approve the restructure of the medical staff as presented. Commissioner Rusty MacLachlan seconded the motion and it passed unanimously. Yes: Dixon, MacLachlan and Russell.

Discussion and Possible Vote: Temporary COVID-19 Leave Pay Policy, HR

Commissioner Rusty MacLachlan moved to approve the temporary COVID-19 leave pay policy as presented which is effective Feb. 6th, 2022 and will last until April 2 2022. Commissioner John Russell seconded the motion and it passed unanimously. Yes: Dixon, MacLachlan and Russell.

Other:

With no other business the meeting was adjourned.

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Other:

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Temporary COVID-19 Leave Pay Order

Effective Date: February 6, 2022 Termination Date: April 2, 2022

The Greene County Commission recognizes our community is experiencing a surge in COVID-19 cases and many county employees are being affected by quarantine and isolation guidelines. Due to this, the Commission has approved the use of temporary COVID-19 leave pay. This temporary leave pay is meant to address the current spike in cases and cannot be used retroactively.

Employees must follow these steps to be granted the use of temporary COVID-19 Leave Pay:

- 1. If an employee tests positive or is exposed to COVID-19 they should follow the CDC/Springfield-Greene County Health Department guidance. Click here to utilize the Quarantine & Isolation Tool provided by the health department.
- 2. Report recommended quarantine or isolation guidance to your supervisor.
- 3. Supervisor will determine the amount of temporary COVID-19 leave pay to be used, not to exceed 40 hours per employee. Supervisor may have to consult with department head or elected official.

^{**}Supervisors must enter authorized temporary COVID-19 leave pay into ExecuTime. Use code COVID123**