## **Greene County Commission**

#### **Daily Briefing**

THURSDAY, February 25, 2016

9:00 AM
County Commission Conference Room
933 N. Robberson

Attendees: Commissioners Cirtin, Bengsch and Bentley; Chris Coulter, Jeff Scott, Kevin Barnes, Kate Morris and Marilyn Elsass.

Items for Consideration and Action by the Commission

(None)

#### **Informational Items**

- 1. Resource Management—Kevin Barnes
  - Cox bid meeting—March 21 is bid opening.
  - Coffee Bar update. They are working to plumb the vendor area. The target opening date is April 8, 2016.
  - Update on Judges gate—will be a heavier structure. They will replace both gates.
  - Building permits are up.
  - Randy Long is retiring on Monday, February 29.
  - Update on property complaints—dumping, oil, burning etc.
  - FR 105 home to close soon with demo to follow. Should close approximately March 7.
  - Storm water engineer from Arkansas is interested in the Greene County vacant position and will be coming to interview.
  - Building Inspector—getting a lot of good applicants.

## 2. Other Items

#### Commissioner Cirtin:

Commissioner Cirtin states he has contacted Shockey Consulting Service and was able
to speak to President Sheila Shockey regarding the Greene County Sales Tax
presentation to the public. Commissioner Cirtin asked the Commissioners if they wanted
to contact Ms. Shockey by teleconference or meet with her in person to review her ideas.
Commissioner Cirtin states that any funding for this service would be through public
funding. A committee would be established to raise funds for this service.

# Commissioner Bengsch:

- Commissioner Bengsch suggested a survey prior to hiring a consulting firm to better navigate strategy.
- The Commissioners agreed to a phone conversation with the consulting firm. Discussion of Ms. Shockey's work in the past for the county (storm water). Ms. Shockey stays involved with the projects first hand.

## Chris Coulter:

- BOA Hearing may be a large turnout. They will try to find an alternate location.
- Pretrial update on pay grade. Update on applications of new position. Team leader rotation received well. Making space for new employee in office.
- Discussion of Jamestown construction.