

BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE PERRY COUNTY COMMISSION MET in its regular session on Tuesday, December 12, 2023 at 6:04 P.M. at the Albert Turner, Sr. Courthouse Annex in the commission courtroom. The invocation was led by Albert Turner. The roll was called to establish a quorum. District #1: Present District #2: Present; District #3: Present; District #4: Absent – He later entered the meeting at approximately 6:04 p.m.; District #5: Absent – He later entered the meeting at approximately 6:04 p.m.

Motion by Anthony Long and seconded by Brett Harrison to adopt the agenda. **Motion carried.**

ITEM #6: Recognition of County Engineer

Eric Hill, President of Alabama Association of County Engineers awarded the “One Family Award” for teamwork to Perry County Engineer, Mr. DeAndrae Kimbrough.

ITEM #7: Christmas Luncheon

Motion by Anthony Long and seconded by Brett Harrison to close the Courthouse for the Christmas luncheon from 11 a.m. to 1 p. m. on Thursday, December 14, 2023. **Motion carried.**

ITEM #9: Approve the Christmas Greetings in Marion Times

Motion by Anthony Long and seconded by Brett Harrison to place an ad for a Christmas greeting on behalf of the County Commission in the Marion Times at a cost of two hundred dollars. **Motion carried.**

ATTORNEY REPORT

Motion by Brett Harrison and seconded by Anthony Long to pen and send a letter on behalf of the Perry County to the Medicare Agency stating the Ambulance Service began working for the Perry County Commission on July 12, 2023. **Motion carried.**

Motion by Brett Harrison and seconded by Anthony Long to retroactively hire Mitch Keagan, as an EMT for emergency services at a rate of \$19 per hour for a thirty-day contract effective for December 7, 2023. District #1: Yea District #2: Yea; District #3: Yea; District #4: Nay; District 5: Abstain. **Motion carried.**

Motion by Brett Harrison to nullify the Chairman’s actions of giving raises that aligned employees’ salaries with the approved salary matrix without the permission of the Commission; and to return employees to the original salaries from two weeks prior. **Motion failed due to lack of second.**

Secondary Motion by Brett Harrison and seconded by Anthony Long not to pay compensation that anyone is that is not a County employee. Four abstained; One nay. **Motion failed.**

Meeting was adjourned.