

State of North Carolina

Minutes

County of Madison

The Madison County Board of Commissioners met in special session on Tuesday, August 12, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. at the Madison County Public Library, 1335 N. Main Street, Marshall, NC 28753.

In attendance were Chairman Wayne Brigman, Commissioner Bill Briggs, Commissioner Hall Moore, Commissioner Sue Vilcinskis, County Manager Allen Lamberson, and Clerk Darlyne Rhinehart.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Brigman.

Upon motion from Commissioner Vilcinskis, seconded by Commissioner Moore, the Board voted unanimously to enter into closed session to discuss economic development.

Upon motion from Commissioner Vilcinskis, seconded by Commissioner Moore, the Board voted unanimously to return to open session.

Upon motion from Commissioner Moore, seconded by Commissioner Vilcinskis, the Board voted unanimously to take a five minute break.

Upon motion from Commissioner Vilcinskis, seconded by Commissioner Moore, the Board voted unanimously to return to open session.

A presentation of Rural Technology Jobs was given by Forrest Gilliam. Mr. Gilliam reported that there is increasing numbers of technology companies locating in rural areas. The types of jobs could be technicians or software engineers with varying levels of education and pay. Mr. Gilliam reported that a Rural Technology Summit would be hosted by Mars Hill College that would be an opportunity for the County to reach out to such companies. The date of November 13, 2014 is held but not confirmed.

Allen Lamberson, County Manager, updated the Board on county building maintenance projects.

Public comment was received from Mr. Pete Orthmann who commended Forrest Gilliam on his presentation.

Upon motion from Commissioner Vilcinskis, seconded by Commissioner Moore, the Board voted unanimously to adjourn.

This the 12th day of August, 2012.

MADISON COUNTY

By: Wayne Brigman
Wayne Brigman, Chairman
Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

Darlyne Rhinehart
Darlyne Rhinehart, Clerk