

VIRGINIA: At the Continued Meeting of the Board of Supervisors held at the Bland County Courthouse, Bland, Virginia, on the eleventh day of April 2018 at 4:30 p.m., the following duly elected and qualified members were present or absent.

PRESENT: Karen Hodock, Randy Johnson, Stephen Kelley, Adam Kidd

ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT: Dr. Eric Workman, County Administrator; Rodney Ratliff, Deputy County Administrator; Linda Miller, Deputy Clerk; Teresa Tolbert, Finance Manager

CALL TO ORDER
Chairman Adam Kidd called the April 11, 2018 Board of Supervisors' continued meeting to order.

INVOCATION
PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

The pledge of allegiance to the United States flag was led by Chairman Adam Kidd. The invocation was offered by Dr. Eric Workman.

APRIL 11, 2018 CONTINUED MEETING AGENDA

****MOTION to approve the agenda was made by Randy Johnson and seconded by Stephen Kelley.

Motion passed unanimously.

COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR'S ITEMS

Dr. Workman recommended to the Board staying with the certified rate for VRS. The state is still working on a budget and hopefully we will have that in the next few days. Dr. Workman recommend that we go ahead and adopt the budget and then amend it when we get the state's budget.

AMEND BUDGET FY19 CALENDAR

****Motion to amend the FY19 Budget Calendar as follows:

Next budget work session will be Thursday, April 19, 2018 at 4:30.

Notice of publication sent to local paper on Friday, April 20, 2018 for publication on April 25th.

Public Hearing on May 7, 2018 5:00 pm.

Adoption on May 17, 2018 at 5:00 pm.

was made by Stephen Kelley and seconded by Karen Hodock.

Motion passed unanimously.

FY19 BUDGET REQUEST SPEAKERS

BLAND COUNTY JAMS

Jared Perdue, Program Director for Bland County Jams requested \$2,500 for FY19. Bland County Jams teaches traditional music program for kids grades 4th – 8th after school. Students select a class in banjo, guitar, or fiddle. There are 17-30 students per semester that participate in Bland County Jams.

WYTHEVILLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Crystal Cregger, Wytheville Community College stated that total students enrolled is 2,326 with 136 from Bland County including 46 dual enrollments. Educational Foundation awarded 65 scholarships totaling \$37,887.00 in scholarships to Bland County students. Citizens and Businesses of Bland County

have contributed \$4,375.00 to the foundation. Dorothy Kidd and Lorraine Waddle serve on the Educational Foundation Board of Directors and Kathy Havens serves on the Foundation Scholarship Board of Directors.

Bland County Economic and Workforce Development:

WFD Training at 1 area business had 9 participants

Basic Life Support Class had 5 students

Nursing Clinical Preceptorship has 2 students

Truck Driver Training had 1 student

Veterinary Assisting for Small Animals had 8 students

Veterinary Assisting for Large Animals had 5 students

WCC Band had 4 students.

The New Economy Workforce Credentials Grant supports Healthcare, Logistics & Transportation, Skilled Trades and Welding & Manufacturing.

WCC budget request this year is \$9,300.88.

Bland County Board of Supervisors
Continued Meeting/Budget Work Session, April 11, 2018
CONTINUE

Chairman Adam Kidd continued this meeting until April 19, 2018 at 4:30 pm.



K. Adam Kidd, Chairman



Eric Workman, Clerk of the Board