

September 8, 2017
Emergency Session
Bonifay, Florida

The Holmes County Board of Commissioners met in an Emergency Session on the above date with the following members present: Commissioner Mickey Locke, Commissioner Danny Powell, Commissioner Phillip Music, Commissioner Bobby Sasnett and Commissioner Clint Erickson, Chairman of the Board.

Wesley Adams, County Coordinator, was present.

Angie Purvee, Deputy Clerk, was present and kept the minutes.

Chairman Erickson called the meeting to order at 11:30 a.m. Wesley Adams led the prayer and pledge.

Wendy Mayo, Emergency Management Director, requested that a local State of Emergency be issued due to Hurricane Irma in order to open Host and Risk shelters as needed. Discussion included the following:

- Host shelters will be open for evacuees from Hurricane Irma if the shelters in other areas along the I-10 Corridor fill up
- Host shelter will be located in the old Bonifay Middle school gym and possibly the cafeteria
- Risk shelters will be open for Holmes County citizens if the storm tracks more west
- Risk shelters will be located at Poplar Springs School, the new Bonifay K-8 school and the New Hope Fire Shelter
- Sheriff Tate asked that citizens entering the shelters be required to present identification in order to identify any Sexual Offenders

Commissioner Music offered a motion to declare a local State of Emergency with Commissioner Sasnett offering a second. The motion passed unanimously.

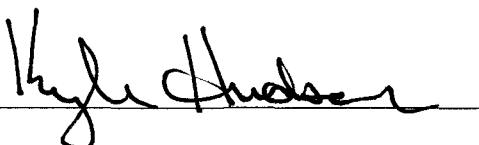
Commissioner Music offered a motion to close all County offices on Monday, September 11, 2017 due to Hurricane Irma. Commissioner Sasnett offered a second and the motion passed unanimously.

Budget Hearing scheduled for September 11, 2017 at 5:01 p.m. will remain scheduled until further notice.

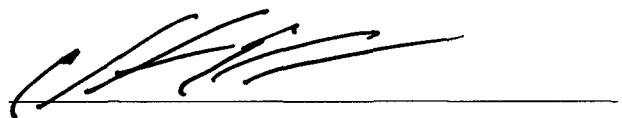
Commissioner Music offered a motion to close all County offices at Noon today due to Hurricane Irma. Commissioner Sasnett offered a second and the motion passed unanimously.

Kyle Hudson, Clerk of Court, advised that the Courthouse will remain upon on Monday until further word from the Chief Judge.

There being no further business at this time the meeting was adjourned at 11:40 a.m.



Clerk



Chairman