

LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE



Minutes for Tuesday Jan. 23, 2018
3rd Floor Bedford County Courthouse
Consecutive after Rules and Legislative Committee

Present: John Brown, Bobby Fox, Bill Anderson and Mark Thomas

Absent: Chairman, Eugene Ray

Others Present: Finance Director, Robert Daniel; County Commissioners; Chuck Heflin, Janice Brothers, Tony Barrett, Linda Yockey, Bob Davis; Sheriff, Austin Swing; Chief, Jason Williams, HR Director/Executive Assistant, Anita Epperson; T-G Reporter, John Carney;

1. **Call Meeting to Order** – John Brown
2. **Prayer** – Mark Thomas
3. **Roll Call** – 4 present, one absent
4. **Approval of minutes of the Dec. 19, 2017, meeting of the Law Enforcement Committee** – Motion to approve, (Thomas, Anderson) unanimous.

5. **Animal Control Reports** - Reports were mailed to committee members prior to the meeting. Director Jack Cooper was not present.

6. **Sheriff/Jail/Workhouse Reports** - Reports were mailed to committee members prior to the meeting. The total saved by the city and county from inmate labor was \$62,400.00. Jail average was 165.

Drug Task Force- Sheriff said they took in 6 weapons, numerous drugs, a pill press, 40 grams of crystal meth. 3 automobiles and motorcycles.

EMA Reports – Director Scott Johnson was not present. Reports were mailed out prior to the meeting.

Juvenile Reports – Reports were handed out prior to the meeting. Director Cynthia West was Not present.

Probation Reports – Reports were handed out prior to the meeting. Director Joyce Reed was not present.

Commissioner Anderson made a motion to approve all reports, Commissioner Fox 2nd, unanimous.

7. **Old Business**- none

8. **New Business** – Election of Chairman and Vice Chairman – Commissioner Thomas made a motion to leave as is with Mayor Ray as Chairman and John Brown as Vice Chairman, Anderson seconded, unanimous to approve.

9. **Announcements**-

10. **ADJOURN:** (Thomas, Brown) unanimous. 5:20