

MINUTES OF THE WORKSHOP MEETING  
OF THE BEN HILL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
HELD ON APRIL 4, 2011 AT 3:00 P.M.  
IN THE COMMISSIONERS MEETING ROOM OF THE  
COUNTY COMMISSION OFFICE

Those present for the meeting were:

Philip C. Jay III	Chairman
O.D. Netter	Vice-Chairman
Scott Downing	Commissioner
Paula J. Jones	County Manager
Donna Lampkin	Assistant County Clerk

Commissioner Richard Goodman was still recuperating and unable to attend.

Chairman Jay called the meeting to order.

Robbie Ash presented the Commissioners with a payment plan to pay his back taxes.

Shirley Brooks presented the Commissioners with a proposal to lease the Multi-Service Building for the Jessamine Place because they have out grown their present office space. She also stated the Multi-Service Building is large enough to occupy all of their departments and have enough space for parking. The Jessamine Place would like to move in the Multi-Service Building around July 1, 2011, if possible.

The Commissioners reviewed the monthly meeting agenda.

Vice-Chairman O.D. Netter proposed a question concerning County employees running for public office. County Manager Paula Jones stated the County policy specifically states that employees must resign to run for a public office. This policy is located in the employee's personnel handbook. The Commissioners did not express any interest in changing the policy in the handbook.

The Chairman adjourned the meeting.

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Philip C. Jay III, Chairman

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Paula J. Jones, County Manager/Clerk