

**JUSTICE COMMITTEE
MINUTES
JULY 27, 2010**

The Justice Committee met on Tuesday, July 27, 2010 in the Committee Room, located on the second floor of the Administration Building beginning at 1:05 p.m. Mr. Davis, Committee Chairman, presided.

Members Attending:

George H. Davis, Chairman	William C. Derrick
Bobby C. Keisler	James E. Kinard, Jr.

Absent:

John W. Carrigg, Jr., V Chairman

Also attending: Katherine Hubbard, County Administrator; Larry Porth, Finance Director/Assistant County Administrator; other staff members, citizens of the county and representatives of the media.

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, a copy of the agenda was sent to radio and TV stations, newspapers, and posted on the bulletin board located in the lobby of the County Administration Building.

Gang Task Force Grant Award - Sheriff's Department - Col. Allan Paavel - Col. Paavel presented a request to accept the Gang Task Force Grant award in the amount of \$152,550. The total grant is for \$160,579 with a five percent County match of \$8,029 required. The funds will be used for two gang officers, equipment, and operating supplies.

A motion was made by Mr. Keisler, seconded by Mr. Derrick to recommend to full Council to approve staff's request to accept the Gang Task Force Grant award.

The vote in favor was unanimous.

Forensic Death Investigator Grant Award - Coroner's Office, Harry Harman, Coroner - Ms. Hubbard presented the Coroner's request to accept the Forensic Death Investigator Grant award in the amount of \$76,089. The award is less than the original grant application request. There is a five percent County match of \$4,005 required. The funds will be used for a Forensic Death Investigator, equipment and operating cost for the investigator. This is the first year for this grant. Ms. Hubbard recommended approval of acceptance of the award subject to the Coroner's office answering questions about budget changes before full Council approval.

A motion was made by Mr. Derrick, seconded by Mr. Kinard to recommend to full Council to approve staff's request to accept the Forensic Death Investigator Grant award subject to the

Coroner's office answering questions about budget changes before full Council approval.

The vote in favor was unanimous.

Approval of Minutes - Meetings of May 11, May 25, June 15, and June 22, 2010 - A motion was made by Mr. Derrick, seconded by Mr. Kinard to approve the May 11, May 25, June 15, and June 22, 2010 minutes as submitted.

The vote in favor was unanimous.

Old Business/New Business - None.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Judy R. Busbee
Assistant to the Clerk

George H. Davis
Chairman

Diana W. Burnett
Clerk