

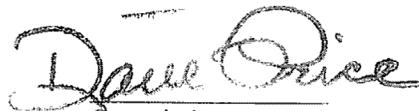
NOTICE OF EMERGENCY MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the **PRESTON COUNTY COMMISSION** will conduct an **EMERGENCY MEETING** on **APRIL 29, 2020**, beginning at **2:00PM** in the County Commission Office, 106 W. Main Street, Suite 202, Kingwood, West Virginia, for the following:

LEGAL MATTER


President

4-29-2020
Date


Commissioner

4-29-2020
Date

THE COUNTY COMMISSION WILL CONDUCT THE MEETING VIA FACEBOOK LIVE

The Preston County Commission met in Emergency Session at 2:00 p.m., April 29, 2020 in the County Commission Meeting Room.

The meeting was streamed via live through the Preston County Commission Facebook page.

The meeting was called to order by Commission President Samantha Stone who invited those present to join in the Pledge of Allegiance.

President Stone then declared the following Commissioners present: Samantha Stone, Dave Price and Don Smith.

Commission President Samantha Stone read the call for an Emergency Session regarding: a legal matter with Attorney General Patrick Morrissey concerning COVID-19.

At 2:02 p.m. Commissioner Price moved to go into Executive Session for the purpose of a legal matter to be discussed with Attorney General Patrick Morrissey concerning COVID-19. Commissioner Smith seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken with Commissioners Price, Smith and Stone voting yes. Motion carried.

Those in attendance at the Executive Session were: Commissioner Stone, Commissioner Smith, Commissioner Price, Interim Administrator Kathy Mace, Prosecuting Attorney Melvin Snyder and Dr. Fred Conley.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 2:39 p.m. Commissioner Smith moved to leave Executive Session and reenter the Emergency Session. Commissioner Price seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken with Commissioners Smith, Price and Stone voting yes. Motion carried.

Commission President Stone advised that they have been in Executive Session on a conference call with Attorney General Patrick Morrissey about a legal matter concerning the COVID-19 and the transport of prisoners to Hazelton. She advised no decisions or actions were taken.

She said as things progress, they will continue to look at what legal options are available to the county to possibly and hopefully stop the transport of prisoners.

Commissioner Smith said the options are on the table for the Commissioners to consider and they are reaching out to the agencies that Attorney General Patrick Morrissey directed them to reach out to and once they get that information, they will make a decision.

Commissioners Comments

At 2:40 p.m., there being no further business to come before the Commission, President Stone declared the Emergency Session adjourned.

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