The Arkansas State Police Commission met on Thursday, November 10, 2022 at the Arkansas State Police Headquarters, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Commission Chairman Edwards called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:
Commissioner Steve Edwards, Chairman
Commissioner Murray Benton, Sr., Vice Chairman
Commissioner Jeffery Teague, Secretary
Commissioner Jim Hinkle
Commissioner Ken Reeves
Commissioner Neff Basore

MEMBERS ON CONFERENCE CALL:
Commissioner John Allison

STATE POLICE PERSONNEL PRESENT:
Colonel Bill Bryant
Major Jeff Drew
Major Stacie Rhoads
Sherry Woods
Captain John Carter
Lieutenant Alex Krneta
Lieutenant Jamie Gravier
Sergeant Jason Martin
TFC Christiana McKibben
Sergeant Stuart Woodward
Gary Glisson
Corporal Aundrae Mack
Sergeant Marcus Daniels
Donna Humphries

Major Charles Hubbard
Major Jason Aaron
Captain David Williams
Captain Paulette Ward
Captain Mike Hagar
TFC Spencer Morris
Lieutenant Michael Exum
Sergeant Robert Middleton
Corporal David Harrell
Corporal Joe Pickett
Janet Chappelle
Corporal Gregg Bray
Veronica King

OTHERS PRESENT:
Ted Drysdale, Safariland Saves Club
Jackie Baker, DPS
Daniel Faulkner, Attorney General’s Office
John A. Smith, DPS Fiscal
Bliss Boever, DPS
James Woodie, FBI

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:
Commission Chairman Edwards led the pledge of allegiance.

NOTIFICATION OF MEDIA:
The media was notified of this meeting on November 3, 2022.

MINUTES:
Commissioner Reeves made a motion to approve the minutes of the October 13, 2022 regular monthly commission meeting. Commissioner Teague seconded, and the motion passed.

WEAPON RESOLUTIONS:
Major Stacie Rhoads presented the following resolutions for consideration by the ASP Commission.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: Lieutenant Jimmie O. “Neal” Thomas, II efficiently and effectively served the Arkansas State Police for a period of twenty-six years, seven months, and twenty-nine days;

WHEREAS: Lieutenant Jimmie O. “Neal” Thomas, II retired from this department August 31, 2022;
WHEREAS: His departure creates a vacancy that will be most difficult to fill, which is recognized by each and every member of the Arkansas State Police Commission;

WHEREAS: Lieutenant Jimmie O. “Neal” Thomas, II has made formal request that his service weapon be retired with him and remain in his possession;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: The Arkansas State Police Commission, in its regular meeting at Arkansas State Police Headquarters in Little Rock, Arkansas on Thursday, November 10, 2022, in accordance with Act 547 of 2003, awards him, his Glock Model 19, Serial Number BMFZ764, as a token of their esteem and appreciation for service devoted to the Arkansas State Police.

Commissioner Teague made a motion to approve the above weapon resolution presented to the Commission. Commissioner Benton seconded, and the motion passed.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: Lieutenant Jimmie O. “Neal” Thomas, II efficiently and effectively served the Arkansas State Police for a period of twenty-six years, seven months, and twenty-nine days;

WHEREAS: Lieutenant Jimmie O. “Neal” Thomas, II retired from this department August 31, 2022;

WHEREAS: His departure creates a vacancy that will be most difficult to fill, which is recognized by each and every member of the Arkansas State Police Commission;

WHEREAS: Lieutenant Jimmie O. “Neal” Thomas, II has made formal request that his shotgun be retired with him and remain in his possession;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: The Arkansas State Police Commission, in its regular meeting at Arkansas State Police Headquarters in Little Rock, Arkansas on Thursday, November 10, 2022 in accordance with Act 547 of 2003, determines the fair market value of the Remington shotgun, serial number D591186M, that Lieutenant Jimmie O. “Neal” Thomas, II has carried be affixed at $100.00, and that Lieutenant Jimmie O. “Neal” Thomas, II be permitted to purchase the shotgun for his personal use.

Commissioner Reeves made a motion to approve the above weapon resolution presented to the Commission. Commissioner Basore seconded, and the motion passed.

Major Jason Aaron presented the following resolutions for consideration by the ASP Commission.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: Corporal Christopher Aaron efficiently and effectively served the Arkansas State Police for a period of ten years, six months, and five days;

WHEREAS: Corporal Christopher Aaron retired from this department August 31, 2022;

WHEREAS: His departure creates a vacancy that will be most difficult to fill, which is recognized by each and every member of the Arkansas State Police Commission;

WHEREAS: Corporal Christopher Aaron has made formal request that his service weapon be retired with him and remain in his possession;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: The Arkansas State Police Commission, in its regular meeting at Arkansas State Police Headquarters in Little Rock, Arkansas on Thursday, November 10, 2022, in accordance with Act 547 of 2003, awards him, his Glock Model 17,
Serial Number BMSA212, as a token of their esteem and appreciation for service devoted to the Arkansas State Police.

Commissioner Benton made a motion to approve the above weapon resolution presented to the Commission. Commissioner Teague seconded, and the motion passed.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: Corporal Christopher Aaron efficiently and effectively served the Arkansas State Police for a period of ten years, six months, and five days;

WHEREAS: Corporal Christopher Aaron retired from this department August 31, 2022;

WHEREAS: His departure creates a vacancy that will be most difficult to fill, which is recognized by each and every member of the Arkansas State Police Commission;

WHEREAS: Corporal Christopher Aaron has made formal request that his shotgun be retired with him and remain in his possession;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: The Arkansas State Police Commission, in its regular meeting at Arkansas State Police Headquarters in Little Rock, Arkansas on Thursday, November 10, 2022 in accordance with Act 547 of 2003, determines the fair market value of the Remington shotgun, serial number D584126M, that Corporal Christopher Aaron has carried be affixed at $100.00, and that Corporal Christopher Aaron be permitted to purchase the shotgun for his personal use.

Commissioner Basore made a motion to approve the above weapon resolution presented to the Commission. Commissioner Teague seconded, and the motion passed.

PROMOTION CERTIFICATES:

Colonel Bill Bryant presented a promotion certificate to Lieutenant Randall Murphy promoting him to Lieutenant in the Criminal Investigation Division, Company A.

Colonel Bill Bryant presented a promotion certificate to Sergeant Jason Martin promoting him to Sergeant in the Criminal Investigation Division, Company A.

Fiscal Section – John Smith

John Smith presented an oral summary of the written report distributed to the Commission. Mr. Smith stated we are getting ready for the biennial session. I am sure you all know we had our hearing last week and they gave us basically agency request for everything we asked for operations wise. They didn’t approve the funding, they didn’t approve any personnel changes, they are leaving that for the new administration. So, they did that across the board for everybody so nothing out of the ordinary with that. The only other thing that I have been advised is that you all hear about each month, we are always concerned about the fuel costs. Our October average was $3.15 so I know that is down from our year to date, the year to date so far has been $3.63. We budgeted $4.25 a gallon so we are in good shape for that, if it will just last through the year.

Commission Chairman Edwards stated I did not think we had that much in the fuel costs. Mr. Smith stated we really umped it for 2023 just because of last year.

Administrative Services – Major Charles Hubbard

Major Charles Hubbard presented an oral summary of the written report distributed to the Commission. He began by reporting the Human Resources/Personnel transactions for the month. The uniformed noncommissioned transactions include three new hires, one promotion, one demotion, and two terminations. The commissioned transactions include two promotions, three terminations, and five transfers. Currently we have four military deployments.
Major Hubbard stated the ASP Health Plan update is the October paid claims were $908,000.00 which was a decrease of $468,231.00 from last month. The fund balance is $139,913.00 higher than last month for a total fund balance of $12,286,648.00. The average discount savings for the month of September was about 65%.

Major Hubbard stated our troop school application process is continuing, we did get the test results back for the written exams and we are moving forward into the polygraph process. Currently, we have about 92 applicants that are going through the polygraph process and I think we have about 15 or 16 of those back already, so we are progressing pretty well. We still have a pretty good pool of applicants that we are looking at, so we will start that school in February. Commissioner Basore asked do you have a historical failure rate for the polygraphs, you know 10% or some rate that typically shows up. Major Hubbard stated I am trying to think back if there is a percentage on that, I don’t know that I pull one right off hand, I would have to go back and look. Major Hubbard stated I don’t think it is a big number obviously. Commission Chairman Edwards asked is that towards the end of the selection process? Major Hubbard stated yes sir, we are getting down to the end of the wire. We will have a committee that will review those polygraphs and backgrounds and they will make recommendations to the Colonel and then he will make his selections after his oral interviews.

NEW BUSINESS:

Commission Chairman Edwards stated next in new business is we have a resolution for a quit claim deed and General Counsel Joan Shipley will address that.

Joan Shipley stated your email information yesterday may have looked a little ominous and overwhelming and I apologize for that. What we are seeking this morning is a resolution giving Secretary Gary the authority to sign a quit claim deed at your pleasure. What this quit claim deed addresses is an area over on Roosevelt Road that has been back and forth, it has been conveyed through the Legislature to several different state departments and commissions. I think it started in 1993, the best that we can tell, what we clearly have on deed is we are using out there now which is the barracks that are on the west side of the brick wall that use to belong to the penitentiary. They are conveying this now to somebody that is not a state organization and so at the abundance of caution to get a clear title, they are asking all of the agencies that have had any interest in that to sign a quit claim deed. We have looked through all of the research, I have a list of everything here if the commission wants to consider it, it is not property that we currently own. Colonel, Hugh Finkelstein and I went out there yesterday and physically looked at the property. All of our property that is within the fence is not affected by this, this is the property that buts up against it. What is the commissions pleasure, I would be happy answer any questions that you might have about it.

Commissioner Hinkle stated you used the terminology that they are conveying, I may have missed, but who is they? Ms. Shipley stated it is the Department of Energy and Environment. Commissioner Hinkle asked, do they currently hold a deed for this piece of property. Ms. Shipley stated they do as, and it is under the Department of Agriculture, no, I am sorry. It is under maybe the Livestock. The Forestry Commission, Livestock Poultry was part of it at one time, the Geological Commission is the last people to inhabit that building and it has been vacant for some period of time. Commissioner Hinkle asked do they currently have a warranty deed on it on file? Ms. Shipley stated they do, but because of all the, the legislation is not clear when it was conveyed, in fact the legislature thought, in 2019 the legislature thought we still had some of it, but part of it was conveyed to the Arkansas State Police Commission in 1961 but there was no legal description so that is not a valid warranty deed. So, because of all of the inconsistencies and the part of it that is not clear, it is clear that we do not own the property that they are conveying, but because like I said out of an abundance of caution because it has been passed around from state department to departments of the State of Arkansas, they wanted to make sure because this is not a state agency that they conveying a clear title and the only way to do that was to get a quit claim deed. It is not just from us; they are actually also asking the Arkansas Department of Agriculture and the State Highway Commission for the same thing because all of our names have been associated with this property at one time. Commissioner Hinkle asked, have we ever occupied that property? Ms. Shipley stated not the part that they are asking for. Commissioner Hinkle asked, have we occupied other close proximity property? Ms. Shipley we still do, our property that is actually fenced in out there and actually it is the building that houses the inmates and that building backs up to the property that they are about to purchase. Which is one reason that
Colonel and we went out there yesterday to make sure that it is secure, that our building is not accessible through the fence or through any other buildings on that property and they are not, they are completely separate. Commissioner Hinkle asked, does the quit claim deed that you are asking us to sign does that give leaps and bounds or does it give property sizes and so on. Ms. Shipley stated it does not, well I take that back it does, I was thinking about the resolution, the quit claim deed does.

Commissioner Teague stated did I hear you correctly, you said it was conveyed to the state police in 1961. Ms. Shipley stated in Act 99 of 1961, the commission actually deeded a part of that to the Livestock Sanitary Board. Commissioner Teague asked, the state police commission. Ms. Shipley stated yes sir. Ms. Shipley stated Act 166 of 1937 instructs the Arkansas State Highway Commission to turn over to the Arkansas State Police Commission for its exclusive use only that north building inside the old penitentiary walls and that is the building that we went out yesterday to make sure it is not connected to that property in any way, so that tract which is actually Tract 3 in your survey shows that that is the property we occupy. There is also, also in that quit claim deed it addresses that we have the umm, I believe it shows on there and explains that we also have the right of way for sewage, the right of way for gas, water and they have granted the right of way for both driveways so that we have access to our property.

Commissioner Hinkle stated I don’t want to sound like I am drilling you, that is not my intention. Ms. Shipley stated no sir, I am here to answer your questions. Commissioner Hinkle stated my concern is I don’t want to be part of the commission that finds out five years from now or ten years from now that we released some property that we should not have, and you are confident that is not the case. Ms. Shipley stated we are, but if the commission would like to look, I have copies of the Acts and copies of the warranty deeds that convey us our tract of the land, I have copies where it was conveyed to other agencies, and I have a timeline that I am happy to share with the commission if you guys want to look at it. It is not clear at all, that is one reason that they wanted a quit claim deed, but we are sure that we don’t own that property.

Commission Chairman Edwards asked, how was a warranty deed ever issued without a legal description. Ms. Shipley stated I cannot answer that question. Commissioner Reeves asked, have you seen that warranty deed that you are referring to. Ms. Shipley stated I have a copy. Commissioner Reeves stated the one that supposedly had no legal description, I can’t imagine it not having some legal description. I don’t know how they would ever find out there is a cloud on the title if it didn’t have some legal description. Ms. Shipley stated it did, some of the warranty deeds that conveyed the property from the highway commission to us, that conveys us that building, there is a description on that warranty deed, and I do have a copy of that. Ms. Shipley stated I also have a copy, there are special deeds, there is also a quit claim deed on here that does not have a description of the property and I have copies of all of those and I am happy to send those to you guys to look at. Commissioner Reeves stated this has such a specific legal description and lengthy one there is apparently a survey somewhere of this. Ms. Shipley stated yes sir and you have a copy of that tract where the survey was made. Commissioner Teague asked is this the Tract 3. Ms. Shipley stated yes sir, ours is Tract 3. Commissioner Basore stated that is what we are keeping. Ms. Shipley stated that is what we have and that is not involved in this quit claim deed. Commissioner Basore stated Tract 2 is what this quit claim is on. Commissioner Reeves stated well the survey wasn’t attached to the copy I got but my question is, have you or someone on our legal staff reviewed this to see that this description on this quit claim deed is only for the portions outside of our fence. Ms. Shipley to the best of our ability we have. Commissioner Reeves stated ok. Ms. Shipley stated not being a surveyor, I am not going to stand here and tell you that I can actually look at all of the survey terms, but Hugh and I both have looked at it and the Colonel has looked at it. Then we went out yesterday and surveyed the land physically.

Colonel Bryant stated Commissioner Reeves if I could just give you kind of a little background. Traditionally that used to be where the maximum-security prison was for the Arkansas Department of Corrections and, we call it the “hill” but also that is where ASP Headquarters was originally, and they even had a Colonel’s house back then where the Colonel would live. But right now, what we have out there is we house the inmates and that is run by the Arkansas Department of Corrections. That is on our tract of land and then we have our Regulatory Division Inmates Services has a building and workshop out there. We met Sergeant Wallace who works there every day, and he walked the property with us. He
assures us that the property we have is all of our buildings, and across the other one they are talking about, they, geological, have offered us that building before, and we have turned it down. I do not see; the Compassion Center already has a place there and I think they are looking at maybe taking over that geological building and taking that property. Again, it is not our property, it is not real clear if we have ever had anything there. I think they are just in an abundance of caution getting a quit claim from everybody. Ms. Shipley stated that is correct.

Commissioner Reeves stated I understand, and I have done that 100s of times in my career, all I am saying is if you have this survey and you have this legal description, somebody can sit down and track around it and make sure that what we are signing does not include what we will continue to own. Ms. Shipley stated yes sir. Commissioner Reeves stated and if we haven’t done that, we ought to do that because the one who prepared this deed is the one who is going to receive it, that’s the Department of Energy and Environment. Ms. Shipley stated they are actually the ones that are conveying it to the Compassion Center. Commissioner Hinkle asked what kind of title. Commissioner Reeves stated no, this deed says that we are giving a quit claim to the Arkansas Department of Energy and Environment, and it is their legal department that prepared the deed. Ms. Shipley stated yes sir, we are giving them the quit claim deed because they are selling the property to the Compassion Center, that’s correct. Commissioner Reeves stated I don’t have a problem with the quit claim deed, they are used all the time to clear up title problems like this and this one sounds like a mess. But if I were doing this, I would take this legal description and I would take this survey and just, takes a little while to do it, but you can walk your way around it and make sure it doesn’t include our land. Ms. Shipley stated, and we did that to the best of our ability, I am not going to tell you 100%, but I will tell you that I have looked at it, we looked for the stobs out their yesterday that were marked. Commissioner Reeves stated well if you all are not totally comfortable with it one thing to do is just take this to a title company and say take this survey and take this legal and tell us that we are still going to own everything we claim to own, they are accustomed to doing that.

Commissioner Hinkle asked what kind of time frame and request do we have here, are you working with a deadline. For some reason do we need to do this specifically today? Ms. Shipley stated they have not given us a deadline that I am aware of.

Commissioner Hinkle stated Mr. Chairman, I make a motion that we table this until we can do the plat request that Commissioner Reeves has outlined. Commissioner Reeves seconded the motion. Commission Chairman Edwards stated we have a motion and a second to table this to discuss it further and do more research and the motion passed.

Commission Chairman Edwards asked Commissioner Reeves if he would take the lead on this. Commissioner Reeves stated I think if they just take to one of the local title companies and have them give us a letter or something that they have reviewed and that this deed does not have an adverse impact on the lands that we own. Ms. Shipley stated, and I am happy to do that. Commissioner Hinkle stated and we could even have a special called meeting if the timeline gets to be a problem.

Ms. Shipley stated Mr. Chairman for my clarification, does the commission want any of the extra information that I have, or do you think that the title company would be sufficient? I am happy to provide it, I just didn’t want to make all of those copies if it were not necessary. Commissioner Hinkle stated I don’t need it personally. Commissioner Teague stated I would lean on the title company myself. Commission Chairman Edwards, I think if we get the clearance, we are good.

Commissioner Teague stated let me ask you a question, not that this is a big issue, but what about mineral rights, any of that dealt with or has it been dealt with in the past? Ms. Shipley stated there is no indication that there are any on this property, but I will also ask that at the title company when we talk to them. There is nothing in any of the deeds that we have that indicate that there is anything there. Commissioner Teague stated ok if it is not dealt with. Commissioner Reeves stated the mineral rights go with the land unless they are specifically separated and excluded from the conveyance. Commissioner Teague stated that is my question, have they been excluded? Ms. Shipley stated no not to our knowledge there is nothing in here that indicates that. Commissioner Teague stated then my question should they be? Commissioner Reeves stated I wouldn’t see a reason we would want to reserve
mineral rights on something we don’t claim to own anyway and that is what you do with a quit claim deed. You are saying I am not, when you give a quit claim deed, you are saying I am not saying I own this land, but I am giving you whatever interest I have if any. Commissioner Reeves stated and we are not claiming we own it, or we would not be doing a quit claim deed or any deed. The quit claim deed is the appropriate document to use, just want to make sure it has the right legal.

Commission Chairman Edwards stated the next item on the agenda is a presentation to Special Agent Joe Pickett by FBI Public Integrity Task Force Supervisory Special Agent James Woodie. Supervisory Special Agent James Woodie with the FBI Public Integrity Task Force stated I appreciate the time today. Joe Pickett is a special agent with Company A and I wanted to take just a few minutes to briefly speak with you about Joe’s abilities and his work with us on the White Collar Crime Squad here in Little Rock with not only just public corruption issues that we often see but on white collar crime issues the cases that pop up. I have a letter of commendation that I provided to Colonel Bryant that details some of the cases that Joe has worked on, and I simply want to convey the fact that we really really appreciate from the federal standpoint assignments or task force officers. I have heard Colonel Bryant say this before, you know how often times from the federal perspective we come to agencies, and we would say please give us your best and your brightest. Things that I wanted to convey to you, and I have a certificate signed by FBI Director Chris Ray. Joe is one of our hardest working people, he does not complain, he does not gripe, he takes his assignments, and he goes after them very hard. We currently have a civil rights investigation in the Western part of the state that got a lot of publicity lately, regarding officers arresting an individual. I have to tell you Joe accepted that assignment, ran a parallel investigation with Company A along with one of our agents here and he busted his tail end. He went and interviewed witnesses in Oklahoma, all over Western Arkansas and handled a very, very, very sensitive case very well. Joe has gotten assignments from me being the supervisor on a mired of crime fighting problems but sensitive cases also on public corruption matters and other investigations that we have run, and I wanted to take a moment if you will. I hate reading things to people but I do like to see this. The Department of Justice Federal Bureau of Investigation proudly to recognize Special Agent Joe Pickett of the Arkansas State Police, Criminal Investigative Division for his excellent work with the FBI Little Rock Task Force and has achieved notably successes in major crime control efforts. His close corporation with officers from other jurisdictions and contributed to Task Force successes on behalf of the public. These operations are complex, sensitive and the FBI is grateful for your outstanding contributions. That is the official word, but as a native Arkansan especially in Phillips County and having the majority of my career has been here in Arkansas, I am very pleased to recognize Joe and I wanted you guys to see it and I wanted everybody else here to see it. So, thank you, thank you for the assignments, I know that they are not easy in this day and age with the number of personnel that we get, we suffer from the same problems and it is not easy for CID Companies or Troops to give up bodies when already public safety is at issue and we have reduction in the number of people that apply to do the job. Thank you if I may for the time.

FBI Public Integrity Task Force Supervisory Special Agent James Woodie presented Special Agent Joe Pickett with the commendation letter.

Commission Chairman Edwards stated the next item on the agenda is a presentation to TFC Spencer Morris by the Safariland Group Saves Club.

Ted Drysdale with the Safariland Group Saves Club stated good morning commissioners and thank you for allowing me a little time, I would like to recognize and honor one of your troopers this morning who was fortunately able to go home to his family the same day he took a round in his body armor. We released a little short press release two weeks ago concerning this and if you don’t mind, I will take just a few minutes to read it and give you an idea of kind of what the Saves Club is all about. On December 16, 2021 TFC Spencer Morris was in his patrol vehicle when a fleeing fugitive opened fire with a 7.62X39 AK-47 style, semi-automatic pistol. One of the rounds penetrated the patrol car’s door and corner of the computer docking station and hit TFC Morris in the chest. His Safariland SX02 level II armor stopped the round and TFC Morris was able to stay in the fight, return fire and end the threat. TFC Morris was treated and released the same day and has returned to full duty. TFC Morris was recognized by the International Association of Chiefs of Police as Trooper of the Year for his actions. We at Safariland welcome TFC Spencer Morris, save number
2147 to the Safariland Group Saves Club. What the Saves Club is all about is we honor and include these police officers into the Safariland Group Saves Club after having taken a round in their vest and were able to get home to their family. Some have returned to full duty, quite a few have not but we have total lives saved this year at 22 since the first of the year. As I said TFC Morris save is number 2147, we at Safariland, this is probably the most important part of not only my job but also the job of every Safariland employee with 11 locations across North America and over 4000 employees. We take it so seriously that at the same time we are doing this presentation, every Safariland facility shuts down production, shipping and receiving, all production, they gather in a common area, and they are doing the same thing we are doing here, they recognize TFC Morris and celebrate his induction in the Safariland Group Saves Club. So, with that having been said, let’s get TFC Spencer Morris up here and get him in the Saves Club. Mr. Drysdale stated so presented in recognition and appreciation to Trooper Spencer Morris, Arkansas State Police, save 2147, we salute your heroic courage and valor in the line of duty. Congratulations and welcome to the Safariland Group Saves Club.

Commission Chairman Edwards stated thank you sir, that is pretty impressive. Mr. Drysdale also stated by the way as long as Spencer Morris is an active police officer, Safariland provides him with body armor for the rest of his career at no charge.

Commission Chairman Edwards asked Colonel Bryant if there are any personnel matters to discuss. Colonel Bryant stated yes, Mr. Chairman we have one promotion to consider, a Sergeant in Troop G for Columbia, Miller, and Lafayette Counties.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Commissioner Reeves made a motion to go into Executive Session to consider that promotion. Commissioner Hinkle seconded. The Commission went into Executive Session at 10:33 a.m.

Commission Chairman Edwards called the meeting back to order at 10:54 a.m. Commission Chairman Edwards stated so we have one promotion in the Highway Patrol Division, Troop G.

Colonel Bryant stated Mr. Chairman, my recommendation to the Commission for the ASP Sergeant in the Highway Patrol Division Troop G for Columbia, Lafayette and Miller Counties would be Corporal James Jones. Commissioner Teague made a motion that Corporal James Jones be promoted to Sergeant in the Highway Patrol Division, Troop G Columbia, Lafayette, & Miller Counties. Commissioner Basore seconded, and the motion passed.

NEXT MEETING:

Commission Chairman Edwards stated the next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on Thursday, December 08, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.

Commission Chairman Edwards asked if there was any other business?

Commissioner Hinkle made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Commissioner Reeves seconded, and Commission Chairman Edwards adjourned the meeting at 10:59 a.m.

Commission Chairman

Commission Secretary