The Marion County Commission sat in regular session pursuant to its adjournment on Wednesday, October 8th, 2014. Present were Commissioner Elliott, Commissioner VanGilder and President Tennant.

The proceedings of Wednesday, October 8th, 2014, together with those had and done under the supervision of Janice Cosco, Clerk and Recorder for the Marion County Commission on October 9th, 10th, and 14th, 2014 were approved as submitted and signed.

President Tennant asked for a moment of silence for the death of Oce Smith. D. D. Meighen led the Court with a prayer. Delegate Tim Manchin led the Court with the Pledge of Allegiance. President Tennant called the meeting to order. Commissioner Elliott moved to dispense with the reading of the minutes of Wednesday, October 8th, 2014 and accept them as presented. Commissioner VanGilder seconded. President Tennant concurred.

For the record, note James Priester, Assessor presented to the County Commission the following Exonerations for approval.

Dated October 15, 2014
Nos. #2014-957 through #2014-971

Pursuant to the recommendation of James Priester, Assessor and approval of Patrick Wilson, Prosecuting Attorney; Commissioner Elliott moved that the President sign Nos. #2014-957 through #2014-971. Commissioner VanGilder seconded. President Tennant concurred.

This day came David A. Glance, Fiduciary Supervisor for Marion County, West Virginia, and presented to the Commission His Report of Claims and First and Final Settlement Reports for the following estates which reports he has filed in the Office of the County Clerk of the County Commission, pending confirmation. There being no further objections received to these reports and no errors appearing, the Report of Claims and First and Final Settlement Reports are hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

At a Regular Session of the County Commission of Marion County, West Virginia, continued and held October 15, 2014.

This day came David A. Glance, Fiduciary Supervisor for Marion County, and presented to the County Commission the Waivers and Applications for Short Form Settlements, Proposed Settlements and Annual Settlement Reports filed by the personal representatives of the following estates, which he has reviewed and approved and which are the same estates which were advertised for proposed settlement in the October 6, 2014, issue of the Fairmont Times West Virginian, all in accordance with West Virginia Code 44-3A-19.
Commissioner Elliott moved that the Commission sign the Waivers and Applications for Short Form Settlements, Proposed Settlements and Annual Settlement Reports. Commissioner VanGilder seconded. President Tennant concurred.
The Commission received a Certificate presented by Mike Caputo, Tim Manchin and Linda Longstreth, the Marion County Delegates. Mike Caputo wanted to thank Butch Tennant for his service to the County. Tim Manchin and Linda Longstreth also thanked Butch as well as the County Commission for all of its work for the County. Tim Manchin presented the Community Partnership Grant award for Palatine Park in the amount of $15,000.00 for fencing and other items if funds are available.

The Commission received a request for advice and consent from Tina Cowger, Director of West Virginia Extension Service, to hire a full time regular Administrative Assistant (December 1, 2014) and to maintain Laura Hooper on a part-time basis for 11 weeks beginning October 16, 2014 and ending December 31, 2014 for onsite training of new hire. County Administrator Kris Cinalli stated that they have not hired anyone at this time but are in the process.

Commissioner Elliott moved that the Commission grant its advice and consent to move Laura Hooper from a full time employee to a part time employee at the West Virginia Extension Service Office. Commissioner VanGilder seconded. President Tennant concurred.
For the record, note the Commission received the Audit Report of Marion County, West Virginia for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2014.

For the record, note the Commission received the Valley Falls Public Service District Reconciliation Summary for period ending 8-31-2014.

For the record, note the Commission received the notification from Time Warner Cable of agreements for services and stations about to expire.
D. D. Meighen stated that there will be an E-Recycling Day at the Armory on Mary Lou Retton Drive on Saturday, October 25, 2014 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Chris McIntire stated that there have been a couple of issues that required their response from a tower going down at Whetstone to the 986 phone exchange being severed causing no land line fiber cable service. This also led no cell phone service available in the area. Chris added that we are hoping to learn from all of these issues and make adjustments so as these will not occur again. He added that he has had discussion with US Cellular to see if there is some type of backup system that can be installed in order to prevent these situations from occurring in the future.

Lloyd White Director of the Marion County Board of Health made a presentation of the continuing things that are going throughout the Country and the potential impact that could happen here in West Virginia. He talked about the Ebola virus as well as the Enterovirus D68. He maintains that the best practice is to maintain at all-time very good personal hygiene practices.
Charlie Reese updated the Commission that he had received the Marion County Land Use Plan for approval by the Commission that he would present in an upcoming week once he has reviewed the plan and made his recommendation to the Commission on its topics. Charlie thanked the Marion County Delegates for all of their support and work that they perform for the citizens of Marion County. Charlie stated that there was Blessing of the Animals at Palatine Park last week and he commented that Paulette in the Commission Office said that it would be a good idea of having an Adoption Day for Animals at the Park next spring. Charlie said that he believe that to be a great idea to utilize and look into doing. Charlie finally added that the Christmas Parade was going to end at Palatine Park this year and those they are moving the skate ice rink up to the road area by the wall which would allow for more usage.

County Administrator Kris Cinalli stated that he had received two awards for the Butch Tennant and the Marion County Commission for good service awards. He continued that they are the Military Order of the Purple Heart Awards.

There being no further business to come before the County Commission, it is ordered that this Commission do now recess until, Wednesday, October 22nd, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. for the next scheduled County Commission Meeting.

Burley “Butch” Tennant, President