

**COUNCIL MEETING
SPECIAL SESSION
APRIL 4, 2024
1:00 PM**

ATTENDANCE:

COUNCIL:	Stephanie Campbell, President Jay Alcorn, Vice President Phillip Gick Wayne Huffman Larry Parker Danny Wallace
AUDITOR'S OFFICE	Kristina Berish
AUDIENCE:	11 Individuals

The Putnam County Board of Council met on April 4, 2024, at 1:00 pm. The meeting was held at the Putnam County Courthouse. Stephanie Campbell opened the meeting and the pledge to the flag was given.

2024 WAGES FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES

Campbell stated Auditor Berish had furnished them with updated reports to review. The board went down the line of each department:

*Any county employee not making the medium salary on the revised wage report, would be brought up to that salary unless an exception is made (see below).

Clerk – with updated job descriptions, move the 3 deputies to the next tier in wage study making their new salary \$42,073.

Auditor – n/a

Treasurer – n/a

Recorder – n/a

Sheriff – each deputy will receive an additional 8K pay increase.

Surveyor – n/a

Coroner – n/a

Assessor – n/a

Prosecutor – n/a

Extension – n/a

Veteran – Veteran Officer remains at current salary and the part time position receive a 5% increase (no increase had been given during budgets).

Council – increase secretary stipend to \$2,250.

Commissioner – increase secretary stipend to \$4,500.

Planning – n/a

Election – with updated job description, move the deputy to the next tier in wage study making their new salary \$42,073.

Real Estate – n/a

Community Corrections – n/a (will need to get salary increases approved by his board)

E911 – n/a

EMS – Director salary change to \$81,000 and Assistant Director change to \$76,000.

Custodial – n/a

GIS – n/a

Superior – change office manager to \$48,000 and put the language for the bailiffs to be “up to” their salary amount. Leaving it to the Judges what they want each bailiff to make.

Adult Probation – n/a

Circuit Court – change office manager to \$48,000 and put the language for the bailiff to be “up to” their salary amount, leaving it to the Judges.

Jail – change head cook to jail officer/cook and move his position to be with the other jail officers, making salary \$47,597.

EMA - n/a

Title IVD – n/a

Highway – all salaries with “up to” stipulation to leave it up to the Commissioners how to structure each category of workers in the department.

Soil & Water – n/a

Health – go with proposed numbers from 2/5 Council meeting and add the language of “up to” in front of all the salaries.

Part time – change from up to \$15/hr to up to \$17/hr. Any part time employee that is currently approved to receive more than \$15/hr can get an additional up to \$2 more per hour.

Gick made the motion to approve the above changes in 2024 salaries. Huffman seconded. The motion passed.

ADJOURN

Parker made the motion to adjourn. Gick seconded. The motion passed.

Stephanie Campbell, President

Jay Alcorn, Vice President

Phillip Gick

Wayne Huffman

Larry Parker

Danny Wallace

Attest: Auditor’s Office
Kristina Berish