

IN THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

IN RE: MINUTES OF MEETING HELD THURSDAY, JANUARY 26, 1989

PRESENT: PRESIDENT LEWIS E. GUINN
COMMISSIONER STEVEN A. GRIMM
COMMISSIONER HOLMES R. SHAVER

The Commission signed purchase orders, invoices, one improper and correspondence this date.

At 10:00 A.M. the Commission swore in Laurence P. Hoffmann III who was reappointed to the Central Boaz Public Service District.

At 11:00 A.M. the Commission held an Alleged Incompetency Hearing for Mary Ellen Harding. Those present were: Gerald Townsend, Attorney; Merle Hesson, Mrs. Harding's brother; and Darren Tallman, Guardian Ad Litem. Merl Hesson was sworn in. He stated that his sister, Mary Ellen Harding, presently resides in Care Inn in Ripley, West Virginia. She has been a resident there since October 7, 1988. Mrs. Harding has arthritis, is disabled, and is disoriented most of the time. She cannot get up and get dressed on her own and requires assistance in everything she does. She is not capable of taking care of her business, financial or physical needs without assistance. Mrs. Harding is 77 years old. Mr. Townsend presented the Affidavit from Ignacio D. Bernardo, M.D. which stated that Mrs. Harding was unable to attend this hearing. Darren Tallman, Guardian Ad Litem, stated he had spoken with Nora Groves, Social Worker at Care Inn, and she stated that Mrs. Harding was not able to care for her physical needs and she requires twenty four hour care. Steven A. Grimm made the motion, Holmes R. Shaver seconded and Lewis E. Guinn made it unanimous to declare Mary Ellen Harding incompetent.

Mary Ellen Harding owns real estate at 1006 17th Street, Parkersburg, WV. The value of this approximately \$13,000.00, she has an account at United National Bank with approximately \$20,000.00, and receives \$500.00 a month from Social Security. She has no other assets. Hearing no objections, the Commission appointed Merle Hesson the Committee for Mary Ellen Harding. A corporate surety bond was set at \$39,000.00.


At 11:15 A.M. the Commission held an Alleged Incompetency Hearing for Thelma H. Rosser. Those present were: Gerald Townsend, Attorney; Merle Hesson, Mrs. Rosser's brother; and Darren Tallman, Guardian Ad Litem. Merle Hesson was sworn in. Thelma H. Rosser, 86 years old, resides at Care Inn in Ripley, West Virginia. She suffers from arthritis and is disoriented most of the time. She is unable to care for her business, financial or physical needs. There is an Affidavit from Ignacio D. Bernardo, M.D. Darren Tallman, Guardian Ad Litem, stated he had talked to Nora Groves, Social Worker at Care Inn, and she stated that Mrs. Rosser has been a patient at Care Inn since November 10, 1988, and she requires twenty four hour care. Steven A. Grimm made the motion, Holmes R. Shaver seconded and Lewis E. Guinn made it unanimous to declare Thelma H. Rosser incompetent.

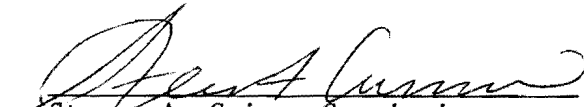
Thelma H. Rosser has no real estate. She has a bank account with approximately \$32,000.00 at Wood County Bank, and receives \$419.00 a month from Social Security. Hearing no objections, the Commission appointed Merle Hesson the Committee for Thelma H. Rosser. A corporate surety bond was set at \$36,000.00.

Having no further business or scheduled appointments, the Commission adjourned at 12:10 p.m.

Approved:

COUNTY COMMISSION OF WOOD COUNTY


Lewis E. Guinn, President


Steven A. Grimm, Commissioner


Holmes R. Shaver, Commissioner