

of-way was designed to remove two ninety-degree turns. Mrs. Dukes stated this request is before the Commission to determine either "that the section of the county road system has for any reason ceased to be used by the public to the extent that no substantial public purpose is served by it" or "that its removal from the county road system is otherwise in the best public interest," or both. Mrs. Dukes stated staff will move forward with advertising, if approved. Commissioner Wisenbaker made a motion to determine "that the highlighted section of the county road system has for any reason ceased to be used by the public to the extent that no substantial public purpose is served by it", Commissioner Marshall second. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.

REPORTS - County Manager

County Manager, Paige Dukes, gave an update on the fuel costs, currently \$3.18 for unleaded and \$3.96 for diesel. Mrs. Dukes stated there are three projects out for bid - the Griner Property Park, LAS maintenance shop, and manhole improvements for the utilities department. Mrs. Dukes mentioned the Fire Marshall and two inspectors will be moving to the third floor of the administration building until the remodeling is complete with the permits and inspections department, at which time they will relocate to the second floor. Mrs. Dukes thanked Public Works Director, Robin Cumbus, and her staff for the 5,175 tires collected for the scrap tire grant. Mrs. Dukes stated since January 2022 Lowndes County Public Works Department has collected 4,514 bags of trash on our roadways. Mrs. Dukes mentioned this morning that Chairman Slaughter and herself met with the Litter Crew at Public Works and distributed new shirts for them. Mrs. Dukes presented Commissioner Wisenbaker with a shirt as a honorary member. Chairman Slaughter thanked Commissioner Wisenbaker for his passion in keeping the roadways clean for the citizens of Lowndes County.

CITIZENS WISHING TO BE HEARD - There were no citizens wishing to be heard.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Griner made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Commissioner Wisenbaker second. Chairman Slaughter adjourned the regular session at 6:10 p.m.