**MINUTES OF A BUDGET MEETING OF THE COUNTY OF HANCOCK, STATE OF ILLINOIS, HELD AT THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE IN THE CITY OF CARTHAGE ON OCTOBER 17, 2024**

The meeting was called to order by chairman Wayne Bollin at 7:25 p.m. Members in attendance include Harry Douglas, Alex Blythe, and Patsy Davis. Absent was Mark Menn, Mark Hanson, Steve Lucie, Dennis Castlebury, and Tom Bergmeier.

There was discussion regarding how to write in the sheriff department salaries on the budget. Everyone else will be at 4% for the budget’s sake.

Transfers should be $115,950. The salary transfer from GIS is estimated at $36,690.

Liability $115,950, health insurance $318,950, tort $70,000. Total revenue $751,330, total expenses $749,151 with a balance of $2179.

The highway and ambulance budget were gone through. The animal control budget was discussed.

The levy numbers are finished. Motion to recess until October 22 at 7 p.m. was made by Mr. Douglas, seconded by Mr. Blythe. All members present voted aye. Meeting adjourned at 9:11 p.m.

 Respectfully submitted,

 Wayne Bollin, Committee Chair