

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MITCHELL COUNTY, IOWA

Tuesday, November 29, 2016

The Board of Supervisors convened at 8:30 a.m. with all members present. Also present were Chuck Pajer, Pat Rourick, Dawn Adams and Jim Cross (Media). Motion by Voaklander, second by Paulus to delete odor control project update and to approve the amended agenda. All voted aye.

County Attorney Mark Walk stated that the overtime rules have been suspended at this time. Motion by Paulus, second by Voaklander to set December 13, 2016 at 8:45 a.m. to hold a public hearing to consider vacating streets in the Village of Brownville and to publish notice. Roll call vote: all ayes.

Sheriff Greg Beaver stated that his department is looking at purchasing a drone.

County Engineer Rich Brumm reported that the candidate for the mechanics position has turned the job down. Rich is going to keep looking. Discussed leasing a loader from Falk Construction, repair on Lime Kiln Road, Hwy 105 and culverts on 440th Street near Addison Avenue. A stop sign was stolen at the intersection of 420th Street.

Bonnie Faas inquired about having an alley that adjoins her property, vacated in the Village of Mona. A public hearing will be set at a later date to consider this matter.

Megan Taets gave an update for the County Care Facility. They have received from IME approval for billing Habilitation Services. The Mission Statement has been changed and was approved by the CSS Board. Census at the facility is down to eight. Looking for two four bedroom homes for the remaining residents.

Conservation Director Adam Shirley reported that the FEMA project for the Halvorson Park has been approved. Paperwork is in place for the Hoffman property at Otranto. Maintenance is being done at the Mitchell Dam. The trail director has left his position with the County.

Motion by Paulus, second by Voaklander to approve the minutes of the November 22nd meeting. Roll call vote: all ayes.

Items of note: Voaklander reported on the Valent, County Social Services, Prairie Ridge and Economic Development meetings. Paulus reported on the EMA meeting and Walk reported on a natural gas line meeting with Black Hills Energy. Board is still looking for a person with business knowledge to serve on the NIACOG Board. Motion by Voaklander, second by Paulus to approve the annual Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Report. Roll call vote: all ayes. Meeting adjourned at 9:52 a.m.

Lowell Tesch - Mitchell County Auditor

Stan Walk - Chair Board of Supervisors