

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MITCHELL COUNTY, IOWA

Tuesday, October 23, 2012

The Board of Supervisors convened at 8:30 a.m. with all members present. Also present were Chuck Pajer, Penney Morse, Mary Dunea, Betty McCarthy, Leo Meitner, Eugene Schrage and Jim Cross (Press News). Motion by Voaklander, second by Walk to delete Valent project update and to approve the amended agenda. All voted aye.

County Attorney Mark Walk stated that he is preparing a notice of public sale for County owned property in the St. Ansgar Industrial Park.

Motion by Walk, second by Voaklander to approve the minutes of the October 16th meeting. Roll call vote: all ayes.

Motion by Voaklander, second by Walk to approve the Recorder's quarterly report ending September 30, 2012 in the amount of \$18,226.57. Roll call vote: all ayes.

Motion by Walk, second by Voaklander to approve a liquor license for the VFW Post 7920. Roll call vote: all ayes.

County Engineer Rich Brumm stated that he has sent out the bids for the tractor/mower and snow equipment is being prepared for winter. The Riceville shop roof was discussed for repairs. The removal of stop signs for the east and westbound lanes of 360th Street at Underwood Avenue and for the north and southbound lanes of March Avenue at 370th Street was discussed. It is the recommendation of the County Engineer to not remove the stop signs for safety reasons. County Engineer will check on having a utility light placed at the intersection of Walnut Avenue and 430th Street.

Items of note: Voaklander reported on the Workforce Development, Heartland Insurance, Juvenile Detention and Economic Development meetings. Walk reported on the Enterprise Zone meeting and the banker's night event that both he and Voaklander attended. Marreel reported on the Wellness, Riceville Community Club and the flood plain meetings.

Supervisor Voaklander reported that the moving process for the Courthouse offices is ongoing. After discussion, motion by Voaklander, second by Walk to purchase a 6'x12' trailer that will be used for moving election equipment and other needs of the courthouse. Cost is \$2,995.00. Roll call vote: all ayes.

Supervisor Walk will contact KIMT TV 3 regarding job ads. Also, discussed visiting the county high school industrial art classes for potential job opportunities in Mitchell County.

Effective October 22, 2012, Tom Meyer was hired as a FT-40 Appraisal Clerk in the Assessor's office. His hourly wage is \$13.00 per hour.

Motion by Voaklander, second by Walk to approve the claims. Roll call vote: all ayes.

Meeting adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Lowell Tesch - Mitchell County Auditor

Bob Marreel – Chair Board of Supervisors