

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MITCHELL COUNTY, IOWA

Tuesday, February 2, 2016

The Board of Supervisors convened at 8:30 a.m. with all members present. Also present was Chrystal Berche (Media). Motion by Paulus, second by Voaklander to approve the agenda. All voted aye.

EMA Director Ray Huftalin gave an update on the ALICE training that was conducted at the courthouse on January 21st. Ray stated that he had received good comments about the training. Also discussed an informational meeting scheduled for February 23rd from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at the Osage Safety Center regarding the Avian Flu.

County Attorney Mark Walk was directed to prepare an ad to sell the Mitchell County Annex building. Also discussed an ad to sell the Mitchell County maintenance shop building in St. Ansgar.

County Engineer Rich Brumm reported that two rural bridges have been closed. One is on Primrose Ave. south of 440th Street and the other is on 440th St. east of Timber Ave. A bridge on Balsam Ave. south of the intersection of 390th St. is going to be posted for reduced loads. The St. Ansgar shop building is progressing.

Sheriff Greg Beaver stated that when his office posts real estate sales that sometimes attorneys, who are involved with the owners of real estate, will postpone the date of the sale. Greg's office prepares the notice and then has to redo the paper work. He would like to charge the attorneys \$100.00 for the extra work involved. After discussion, motion by Voaklander, second by Paulus to approve the Sheriff charging \$100.00 for the postponements of real estate sales subject to the approval of the County Attorney. Roll call vote: all ayes.

Motion by Voaklander, second by Paulus to approve the minutes of the January 26th meeting. Roll call vote: all ayes.

Motion by Paulus, second by Voaklander to appoint Brenda Dryer and Stan Walk to the Port Authority Commission. Roll call vote: all ayes.

Discussed a proposal from the Globe Gazette to publish a flyer promoting Mitchell County. Conservation and Economic Development departments will be invited to the February 9th meeting to discuss further.

Items of note: Paulus reported on the Substance Abuse Coalition meeting, Voaklander on the County Social Services meeting and Walk on the Legislative Forum.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

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Lowell Tesch - Mitchell County Auditor

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Stan Walk – Chair Board of Supervisors