

September 9, 2013
Unapproved minutes
Union County Commissioners

The Union County Board of Commissioners met in special session on September 9, 2013, at the Courthouse in Elk Point, SD at 8:30 a.m.

Members present were Jordan, Karpen, Neely, Schempp and Ustad.

The board met in special session for 2014 budget purposes. The board requested the Union county elected officials to join the meeting at 8:30. Chairman Karpen shared what the compensation board reported to the commissioner's for recommendations for the elected official as follows: Auditor, Treasurer, Register of Deeds each \$5,000; Sheriff- \$7,000; States Attorney- \$14,000; no increase for the commissioners. The chairman then explained the process of their decision to recommend the following increases as follows: Auditor, Treasurer, Register of Deeds each 963.48; Sheriff- 1,349.93; States Attorney- \$2,698.85; none for commissioners.

The board then discussed the budgets of the communication center with Sheriff Limoges, and employees Judy Oberg and Tracy Smith present. It was determined at this time to use the amended request of the Sheriff of \$374,530 for the 911 communication center budget, removing the amount for two employees back out of the sheriff's budget.

Other changes were made to the following budgets: jail (move transport from sheriff to Jail), the ambulance (cut \$20,000 to use for 911), nurse (adjust salary), highway (remove office position and building budget will go to Capitol Project, \$50,000 for work to be done in 2013), States Attorney (adjusted hours for PT employee); Public Building (adjusted salary line item) VSO (adjusted salary line item).

Adjournment

Motion by Ustad, second by Schempp to adjourn the meeting until September 19, 2013.

ATTEST: _____
Carol Klumper, Auditor
Union County

Doyle Karpen, Chairman
Union County Board of Commissioners

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