

March 24, 2020

Union County Commissioners

The Union County Board of Commissioners met in regular session March 24, 2020, at the Courthouse in Elk Point, SD at 8:30 a.m.

Members present Dailey, Headid, Joffer, Kimmel and Ustad.

Motion by Headid, second by Dailey to approve the agenda with the addition of discussion on closing the courthouse. Carried.

Motion by Joffer, second by Kimmel to approve the minutes from March 17, 2020. Carried.

Sheriff

Sheriff Limoges met with the board to talk about surplusing 3 vehicles and the purchase of 3 new vehicles.

Motion by Dailey, second by Kimmel to surplus a 2014 Ram 1500 pick-up Vin#1C6RR7XT1ES203780, 2015 Ram 1500 pick-up Vin#1C6RR7XT8FS691630 and a 2015 Ram 1500 pick-up Vin#1C6RR7XT1FS691629. Carried.

Motion by Dailey, second by Headid to approve the purchase of three (3) 2020 Dodge Ram 1500 SSV for \$85,002 less the trade-in value of the 3 surplus vehicles for \$16,000 for the total price of \$69,002. Carried.

Wellmark

Motion by Headid, second by Joffer to stay with the same plan with the increase of 5.48%. Carried.

Wages

Motion by Dailey, second by Joffer to approve the following wages for the weed dept.: Dustin Carter – Field Supervisor = \$18.23, Alex Acheson – Assistant Field Supervisor = \$16.59, Mariah Miller – Sprayer = \$15.72 and Emma Noteboom – Sprayer = \$14.97. Carried. Based on the current county salaries.

New Hire

Motion by Headid, second by Dailey to approve the following: Easton Keuck 3-19-2020 and Rian Quam 3-18-2020 P-T Temporary Courthouse door monitor @ \$16.37. Carried. Based on the current county salaries.

SD Dept of Health

Motion by Kimmel, second by Joffer to authorize Auditor Sieverding to sign the SD Dept. of Health agreement. Carried.

Travel

Motion by Headid, second by Dailey to approve travel to Deadwood for Lori Boulware May 7 & 8 for Victim Witness Agenda. Carried.

Recess

Chairman declared a recess from 8:45 to 8:59.

Executive Session

Motion by Headid, second by Dailey to enter into executive session for personnel matters per SDCL 1-25-2 at 9:05 a.m. Carried. Chairman declared the board out of executive session at 9:22 a.m.

Claims

Motion by Kimmel, second by Headid to approve claims. Carried. The Following Claims Have Been Audited, Approved, And Warrants Drawn On The Same: BW Payroll for 3-24-2020: Treasurer \$1369.70; States Attorney \$1386.06; Care of Poor \$328.69; Public Building \$161.92; Register of Deeds \$1042.38; Sheriff \$16,879.58; Jail \$18,341.27; Communications \$12,028.36; Nurse \$239.98; WIC \$405.48; Highway \$30,002.46; Jurors \$578.52. ABRA Auto Body & Glass (Repairs) \$1,000.00; Andy Minihan (Supp) \$28.50, Bierschbach Equipment (Maint) \$364.00; Bomgaars (Supp) \$540.54; Brian's Repair (Maint) \$3,321.42; Butler Machinery Co (Rep & Supp) \$2,786.62; Campbell Grading (Lewison Ditch) \$13,380.64; Carlson Body Shop (Maint) \$56.92; Century Business Products (Maint) \$281.06; Century Link (Util) \$1,580.10; Centurylink Asset Acctng (Util) \$1,262.26; Childrens Inn (Allotment) \$562.50;

City of Elk Point (Util) \$4,869.91; Clay Rural Water System (Util) \$32.00; Clay-Union Electric Corp (Util) \$122.67; Convergint Technologies (Maint) \$1,685.72; Counsel (Maint) \$182.74; Dean Schaefer (Transcripts) \$156.00; Department of Health (Labs) \$335.00; Dykstra Excavating Inc. (Lewison Ditch) \$2,908.17; Election Systems & Software (Conference) \$881.99; Elk Point Ace Hardware (Rep & Supp) \$450.30; Fastenal Company (Supp) \$59.90; Hanson Commodities, LLC (Equip) \$55,000.00; Honeywell International Inc (Maint) \$8,322.57; Horizon Health (Med) \$573.95; Hydraulic Sales (Repairs) \$132.02; Jones Food Center (Maint) \$5.19; Kone Inc (Maint) \$5,929.73; Lawson Products (Supp) \$142.02; Leslie Reifke (Mileage) \$14.28; Lewis & Clark Bhs (Allot) \$12,952.53; Lewis Family Drug (Supp) \$582.76; Loffler Companies, Inc. (Maint) \$109.00; Lori Boulware (Travel) \$46.00; Lyle Signs (Supp) \$286.29; Michael Dailey (Mileage) \$63.00; Michael McGill (Services) \$285.18; MidAmerican Energy Co (Util) \$798.48; Midwest Wheel Companies (Rep & Supp) \$190.52; Milton Ustad (Mileage) \$92.40; Missouri Valley Steel (Supp) \$606.52; MSC Industrial (Supp) \$231.43; Muller Auto Parts (Rep & Supp) \$399.90; O'Reilly (Repairs) \$26.13; Ollies Drive Inn (Meals) \$10,776.84; Olson's Ace Hardware (Repairs) \$54.96; One Office Solution (Supp) \$266.73; Pitney Bowes (Lease) \$365.76; Pomp's Tire Service (Supp) \$1,412.80; Ramkota Hotel - Pierre (Travel) \$104.00; Red Wing Shoe Store (Allowance) \$186.99; Redwood Toxicology Laborat (Supp) \$208.02; Richard Green (Mileage) \$31.08; Richard Headid (Mileage) \$26.88; Riverside Technologies Inc. (Supp) \$199.00; Safe Options Services (Allotment) \$562.50; SDACES (Dues) \$60.00; Sioux Equipment (Repairs) \$320.92; Sturdevant's Auto Parts (Rep & Supp) \$859.35; The Home Depot Pro (Supp) \$144.85; Thomson Reuters - West (Supp) \$662.75; Tom Kimmel (Mileage) \$35.28; Total Stop Food Store (Supp) \$107.62; Transunion (Supp) \$50.00; Two Way Solutions, Inc (Rep&Supp) \$1,191.45; US Bank (Us Bank) \$2,370.80; Varidesk (3 Varidesks) \$1,610.00; Vast Broadband (Util) \$161.37; Verizon (Util) \$901.83; Woodbury County Starcomm (Maint) \$2,928.87; Woodhouse (2020 Dodge Ram) \$69,002.00; Ziegler Inc. (Rep) \$96.12.

Treasurer

Treasurer Hertel updated the Commissioners on how they are handling licenses renewals.

Highway

Hwy Supt Buum met with the board to discuss various matters.

Motion by Dailey, second by Headid to authorize Chairman Ustad and Auditor Sieverding to sign the contracts for chip & sealing and gravel crushing. Carried.

Motion by Headid, second by Dailey to approve travel for Supt. Buum, Assistant Supt. and the Road Foreman to a one-day class on "Dealing with Difficult People" the course is \$99 per person. Dates and locations are May 14th in Sioux City or May 15th in Sioux Falls. Carried.

Recess

Chairman declared a recess from 10:07 to 10:16.

Closing

Discussion on the closing of the courthouse and the family's first coronavirus response act. Sheriff Limoges and States Attorney Miller were present. Auditor Sieverding will contact Alternatives HRD to set up a special meeting with the Dept. Heads.

Computers

Motion by Headid, second by Joffer to order up to 10 laptops at \$758.25 for various dept. to utilize. Carried.

Old Business

Discussion on Independence Waste and Tielke property.

Adjournment

Motion by Kimmel, second by Headid to adjourn at 11:50 a.m. until April 7, 2020. Carried.

ATTEST: _____
Jackie Sieverding, Auditor
Union County

Milton Ustad, Chairman
Union County Board of Commissioners

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