

Aitkin County Board of Commissioners  
Request for County Board Action/Agenda Item Cover Sheet



To: Chairperson, Aitkin County Board of Commissioners Date: 10-3-12

Via: Patrick Wussow, County Administrator

From: Patrick Wussow, County Administrator

Title of Item:

Schedule Closed Session for Union Negotiations

Requested Meeting Date: 10-9-12 Estimated Presentation Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Presenter: Patrick Wussow, County Administrator

**Type of Action Requested** (check all that apply)

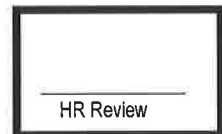
- For info only, no action requested
- For discussion only with possible future action
- Let/Award Bid or Quote (attach copy of basic bid/quote specs or summary of complex specs, each bid/quote received & bid/quote comparison)
- Approve/adopt proposal by motion
- Authorize filling vacant staff position
- Request to schedule public hearing or sale
- Request by member of the public to be heard
- Item should be addressed in closed session under MN Statute \_\_\_\_\_
- Approve under Consent Agenda
- Adopt Ordinance Revision
- Approve/adopt proposal by resolution (attach draft resolution)
- Other (please list) \_\_\_\_\_

**Fiscal Impact** (check all that apply)

- Is this item in the current approved budget? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ (attach explanation)
- What type of expenditure is this?  Operating  Capital  Other (attach explanation)
- Revenue line account # that funds this item is: \_\_\_\_\_
- Expenditure line account # for this item is: \_\_\_\_\_

**Staffing Impact** (Any yes answer requires a review by Human Resources Manager before going to the board)

- Duties of a department employee(s) may be materially affected.  Yes  No
- Applicable job description(s) may require revision.  Yes  No
- Item may impact a bargaining unit agreement or county work policy.  Yes  No
- Item may change the department's authorized staffing level.  Yes  No



**Supporting Attachment(s)**

- Memorandum Summary of Item
- Copy of applicable county policy and/or ordinance (excerpts acceptable)
- Copy of applicable state/federal statute/regulation (excerpts acceptable)
- Copy of applicable contract and/or agreement
- Original bid spec or quote request (excluding complex construction projects)
- Bids/quotes received (excluding complex construction projects, provide comparison worksheet)
- Bid/quote comparison worksheet
- Draft County Board resolution
- Plat approval check-list and supporting documents
- Copy of previous minutes related to this issue
- Other supporting document(s) (please list) \_\_\_\_\_

**Provide (1) copy of supporting documentation NO LATER THAN Wednesday at Noon to make the Board's agenda for the following Tuesday. (If your packet contains colored copies, please provide (4) paper copies of supporting documentation as we do not have a color printer or copier.) Items WILL NOT be placed on the Board agenda unless complete documentation is provided for the Board packets.**

# AITKIN COUNTY ADMINISTRATION

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**TO: Aitkin County Board of Commissioners**

**FROM: Patrick Wussow, Aitkin County Administrator**

**RE: Schedule Closed Session for Union Negotiations**

**DATE: October 3, 2012**

During the regular Board meeting date of October 23, 2012 staff would like to hold a closed session to discuss/update union negotiations and the County's strategy.

The last time the County Board met with the labor attorney was in February 2012. Since then a variety of meetings have been held with the unions and meet and confer groups. Staff feels it is appropriate to provide an update to the County Board at this time.

We are proposing a scheduled time of 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Please contact me if you have any questions.