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Meeting of January 8, 2013

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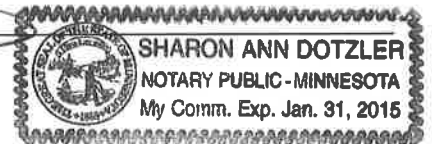
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SYNOPSIS OF BOARD MINUTES

Synopsis of the Aitkin Board of Commissioners meeting of January 8, 2013

In pursuance of MN Statute 375.12, Subd. 1.

The meeting was called to order at 9:03 a.m.

Present at the meeting were Chairperson J. Mark Wedel, Commissioners Laurie Westerlund, Don Niemi, Brian Napstad, Anne Marcotte, County Administrator Patrick Wussow, and Administrative Assistant Sue Bingham

Motion carried, Marcotte/Napstad, to approve the January 8, 2013 agenda.

Motion carried, Westerlund/Niemi, to approve the consent agenda.

To approve December 18, 2012 County Board minutes

The 2012 Board adjourned at 9:05 a.m.

Newly Elected Officials were sworn into office: Commissioners Laurie Westerlund, and Brian Napstad

The 2013 Board meeting was called to order at 9:07 a.m.

Present at the meeting were Commissioners J. Mark Wedel, Laurie Westerlund, Donald Niemi, Brian Napstad, Anne Marcotte, County Administrator Patrick Wussow, and Administrative Assistant Sue Bingham

Motion carried, Napstad/Niemi, to nominate Commissioner Wedel as Chairperson

Motion carried, Napstad/Niemi, to cast a unanimous ballot.

Motion carried, Westerlund/Niemi to nominate Commissioner Marcotte as Vice Chairperson.

Motion carried, Napstad/Westerlund, to cast a unanimous ballot

Motion carried, Napstad/Marcotte, to authorize donation of excess radio equipment to other governmental units, and to auction excess radio equipment

Mike Dangers, County Assessor was sworn into office for an additional four years

Motion carried, Westerlund/Niemi, to approve the consent agenda.

To reaffirm Annual Code of Ethics
To reaffirm Out of State Travel Policy

To approve MCIS Joint Powers Agreement and By-laws Updates

To approve FSC Recertification Proposal - RA/SmartWood at a cost of \$47,223.00 over five years

To approve Fire Protection Contract with City of McGrath

To adopt Resolution - Tamarack Sno-Flyers Form LG214

To accept \$500 Donation to STS - Tamarack Sno-Flyers, \$100 Donation to Aitkin County Posse - Granite Electronics, and \$100 Donation to STS - Veterans of Foreign Wars Roberts-Glad Post #1727

Resolution adopted, Napstad/Marcotte, - MnDot Master Partnership Agreement

Motion carried, Napstad/Marcotte, to approve budgeted purchase of two Caterpillar 120M2 AWD motor graders at a cost of \$301,820.00 from Zeigler, Inc. and to approve two rear compaction attachment options at a cost of \$60,740.00, for a total purchase price of \$362,560.00

Resolution adopted, Westerlund/Niemi, to designate the *Aitkin Independent Age/Voyageur Press* as the official newspaper and *Voyageur Press* is named second publication of Financial Statement.

Resolution adopted, Westerlund/Marcotte, - Aitkin County Board of Commissioners Rules of Business and Meeting Procedures

Resolution adopted, Westerlund/Niemi, - 2012 Committee Appointments

Resolution adopted, Marcotte/Westerlund, - 2012 Committee Appointments

Resolution adopted, Napstad/Marcotte (3-2 Niemi/Westerlund) - 2013 County Auditor Salary

Resolution adopted, Marcotte/Napstad (3-2 Niemi/Westerlund) - 2013 County Attorney Salary

Resolution adopted, Napstad/Marcotte (3-2 Niemi/Westerlund) - 2013 County Recorder Salary

Resolution adopted, Napstad/Marcotte (3-2 Niemi/Westerlund) - 2013 County Treasurer Salary

Resolution adopted, Westerlund/Niemi (4-1 Wedel) - 2013 County Sheriff Salary

Motion carried, Westerlund/Marcotte, to adjourn the meeting at 12:00 p.m.

Sue Bingham

From: Sue Bingham [sue.bingham@co.aitkin.mn.us]
Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2013 1:38 PM
To: 'Connie Yunker'
Subject: RE: Jan. 8 synopsis

Connie ~

Yes, please publish it in the March 6th edition, and we will need a copy of it as usual after publication.

Thank you.

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From: Connie Yunker [mailto:cyunker@aitkinage.com]
Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2013 11:20 AM
To: sue.bingham@co.aitkin.mn.us
Subject: Jan. 8 synopsis

Hi Sue

We received the synopsis for Jan. 8 and forwarded it to McGregor, but failed to print it in our paper. Do you want me to get it into the March 6 edition? (We've already gone to press for this week.) I'm sorry for the inconvenience.

Connie Yunker

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From: Sue Bingham [sue.bingham@co.aitkin.mn.us]
Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2013 8:57 AM
To: Aitkin Independent Age (news@aitkinage.com)
Subject: Synopsis
Attachments: 1-8-13 Synopsis.doc

I just received a copy of the January 22, 2013 synopsis you published. I have not yet received a copy of the January 8, 2013 synopsis. My original request is below.

Thank you.

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From: Sue Bingham [mailto:sue.bingham@co.aitkin.mn.us]
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2013 2:53 PM
To: Aitkin Independent Age (news@aitkinage.com)
Subject: Synopsis

Please publish the January 8, 2013 Aitkin County Board synopsis.

Thank you.

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