

MINUTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BUTLER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HELD ON FEBRUARY 2, 2010.

Meeting called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Chairman Ken Oldenburger with members John Zimmerman and Karl Nelson present.

Also present was Tom Heidenwirth.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as read.

Board met with Mitch Nordmeyer, Emergency Management Coordinator, to review updated Courthouse Emergency Operations Plan. Moved by Zimmerman, second by Nelson to approve same. Motion carried.

Board met with Virgil Goodrich, Parkersburg Economic Development Director, to hear request for release of interest earned on the Park Plaza escrow account, the amount being approximately \$5,500.00. If released he indicated said monies would be used to upgrade Unit A of the Plaza. Moved by Nelson, second by Zimmerman to authorize the release of any interest earned to date on said escrow account. Motion carried. The release of any further monies would have to come back before the Board.

Board met with Treasurer Louise Squires to hear a request for suspension of property taxes. Moved by Nelson, second by Zimmerman to suspend said property taxes. Motion carried.

Board further reviewed proposed County Budget for Fiscal Year 2010/2011. Moved by Nelson, second by Zimmerman to set a Public Hearing on said proposed budget for Tuesday, February 23, 2010 at 10:00 A.M. Motion carried.

Board reviewed proposed amendment to Fiscal Year 2009/2010 County Budget. It was moved by Nelson, second by Zimmerman to set a Public Hearing on said proposed amendment for Tuesday, March 2, 2010 at 10:00 A.M. Motion carried.

Jim Norton was present.

Board met with County Engineer John Riherd to discuss his proposal for secondary roads out shed improvements and possible replacements in upcoming years.

Board discussed the possible change from a part-time county attorney position to a full-time position. Present were County Attorney Greg Lievens, Assistant County Attorney Martin Petersen, Sheriff Jason Johnson, and Magistrate Ron Pepples. Zimmerman began the discussion by stating his reasons for requesting this issue be discussed; one of them being a recent inquiry from law enforcement regarding their opinion that Butler County's criminal justice system has become a "revolving door for criminals." Zimmerman felt that an issue of this importance should be addressed during an open meeting and not behind closed doors. He also inquired as to why the County Attorney was not going after outstanding fines to increase county revenues. Lievens indicated that he was unaware of the issue of changing from part-time to full-time having ever been brought forward by a county Board of Supervisors, but instead indicated it is normally brought by a part-time county attorney requesting to go to full-time. He further indicated that he felt that the appropriate venue for concerns about the effectiveness of his office should be directly with him, as the elected County Attorney, not through the Board of Supervisors. He added that if the Board desired he attempt increased collection of outstanding fines it would require an increase in his budget which he did not believe the Board would support. Pepples stated that as well as serving as a Magistrate, he is also the President of the Butler County Bar Association. He opined that if the county attorney position were to be made full-time, he doubted there would be many attorneys presently in the county that would be willing to run for the office as most of them have already established a sizable practice and would be unwilling to discontinue such private practice. Johnson indicated that law enforcement may not always agree with the system outcomes, but stressed that in his experience both the County Attorney and Assistant have been willing to hear his concerns.

The issue of better communication was discussed, with most in attendance agreeing that increased communication between law enforcement officials and the County Attorney and Assistant could be improved.

Board reviewed and approved claims on file with the County Auditor from January 20, 2010 to February 2, 2010.

Claims paid from December 29, 2009 to February 2, 2010:

Access Inc.,Mh Exp	5581.91
Accord Architecture,Perm Improv-Cthse/Sr	833.75
Aces,Equip Cont-It	18449.00
Adams, Diane Kay,Mlge-Ph	213.40
Adventure Lighting,Maint-Cthse	754.81
Agility Recovery Solutions,Disaster Rec-It	500.00
Agvantage Fs,Fuel-Sr	18772.25
Airgas North Central,Suply-Sr	223.11
Alliant Energy,Util-Sr/Cc	119.75
Allied Manatts Group Llc,Rock-Sr	130.32
Allison Farmers Feed & Grain,Envir Educ-Cc	32.00
Allison Pharmacy,Sup-Jail/Sr/Jntr/Ph/Mh	481.77
Allison Public Library,Qtrly Approp -Fy10	1895.31
Allison, City Of,Util -Cthse/Jail/Dhs/Jail/Gr/Sr	332.99
Allison-Bristow Amb. Service,Amb Svc	225.00
Aplington Library,Qtrly Approp -Fy10	1895.31

Arenholz, Candace,Misc-Ph	16.21
At&T,Tele -Shf Comm	66.46
Auto Glass Center,Prts/Lbr-Sr	454.55
Black Hawk Cnty Sheriff,Svc Not	45.30
Black Hawk County Auditor,Med Exmr	175.00
Black Hawk-Grundy,Mh Exp	738.00
Black Hills Energy,Util-Sr	363.93
Bluhm Electric, Inc.,Prts-Sr	203.00
Bremer County Sheriff,Mh Exp	684.95
Briggs Corporation,Med Sup-Ph	1071.16
Brinkman, Clarence,Twp Exp	80.00
Brown Supply Co. Inc.,Suply-Sr	311.55
Business Card,Exp-Shf Admin/Ph/Eh	1352.83
Butler Bremer Communications,Tele -Cc	143.70
Butler Center Cemetery,Grave Maint-Va	24.00
Butler County Emergency,Qtrly Approp -Fy10	6761.50
Butler County Engineer,Lights/Snow Rmvl	3224.44
Butler County Fair Board,Approp -Fy10	20000.00
Butler County Public,Admin Fee-Eh & Sup-Jntr	214.61
Butler County R.E.C.,Util-Sr/Cc/Gr	1563.51
Butler County Solid,Disp	17469.25
Calhoun-Burns & Assoc.,Inspct-Sr	2655.95
California Contractors,Suply-Sr	119.70
Campbell, Chad,Misc-Ph	11.21
Care Facts,Sch Of Instr-Ph	250.00
Ccp Industries Inc.,Suply-Sr	340.45
Cdw-G,Comp Equip-It	319.18
Cedar Valley Community,Mh Exp	340.00
Central Iowa Distr.,Sup-Jntr/Jail	289.29
Cerro Gordo County Sheriff,Bd&Care-Jail	3000.00
Cerro Gordo County Treas,Juv Svcs Exp	3030.41
Certified Laboratories,Suply-Sr	157.32
Christie Door Company,Shp Prts-Sr	37.78
Christopherson & Sons Llc,Prts-Sr	64.10
Clarksville Library,Qtrly Approp -Fy10	1895.31
Clarksville Lumber Co,Suply-Sr	22.10
Clarksville, City Of,Util -Gr	256.97
Continental Research Corp,Suply-Sr	715.31
Cooper Motor Company,Car Exp-Unif Ptrl	439.23
Coster Cemetery Association,Grave Maint-Va	24.00
Covenant Clinic,Mh Exp & Phys-Sr	727.00
Covenant Health Medical Center,Mh Exp	5156.00
Craig's Vac Shop,Sup-Jail	27.90
Crescent Moon, A-1 Septic Solutions,Suply-Sr	81.00
Day, Ellen,Misc-Ph	22.50
Debner, Lonna,Mlge - Ph	296.10
Debner, Will F.,Twp Exp	60.00
Dell Marketing L.P.,Comp Equip-It	69.99
Dept. Of Human Services,Mh Exp	180267.21
Dewitt, Cindy,Mlge-Ph	373.72
Dick's Petroleum Co.,Suply-Sr	310.24
Dillon Law Office,Lgl Repr	500.60
Don's Truck Sales,Prts-Sr	8449.66
Doug's Htg & Cooling And,Well Plug	340.00
Dowden, Dawson,Va Driver	25.00
Dralle Plumbing & Heating,Suply-Sr/Rprs-Dhs	63.15
Dralle, Sarah,Mlge-Ph	191.60
Drenkow & Co, Rd,Self Fund/Admin Fee-Flex	7761.93
Duane's Repair Shop,Car Exp-Shf Invgtn	32.95
Dumont Library,Qrtly Approp -Fy10	1895.31
Dumont Telephone Company,Tele	2173.77
Eagle Point,Comp Srv-Sr	1550.00
Eclipse News Review,Public	345.73
Edeker, Roy,Mlge-Cc	104.16
Electronic Engineering Co.,Equip Cont-Ph/Dhs	139.00
Evans, Kent,Mh Exp	255.48
Exceptional Persons Inc.,Mh Exp	1322.91
Faber, Elizabeth,Phep Rca-Ph	6666.66
Farm & Home Publishers,Plt Bks-Sr	48.20
Farm Plan,Prts-Sr	201.70
Farmers Cooperatvie Co.,Rd Clrg	1170.00
Fastenal Company,Suply-Sr	531.91
Fechts Sinclair Station,Car Exp-Unif Ptrl	136.85

Fenneman, Bruce L.,Twp Exp	100.00
Fillenwarth Beach,Sch Of Instr - Atty	318.00
Fleshner, Tamara L.,Mlge - Ph	40.53
Force America Inc.,Prts-Sr	117.93
Forry, Bonnie Kay,Mlge - Ph	585.06
Frey, Joyce,Mlge - Ph	495.72
Gierke-Robinson Co.,Sfty-Sr	95.52
Global Industrial Equipment,Mnr Equip-Jntr	1617.95
Goldstar Products Inc.,Suply-Sr	233.71
Goodwill Industries,Mh Exp	1409.00
Grainger,Maint-Cc	394.75
Greene Ambulance Service,Amb Svc	450.00
Greene Library,Qtrly Approp -Fy10	1895.31
Greene Recorder, The,Public	367.81
Greene, City Of,Burial Exp-Gr/Util	849.52
Harken, Kelly,Mlge-Cc	258.72
Hauser Funeral Home,Burial Exp-Gen Rel	1500.00
Heckman, John,Va Driver	50.00
Hedican, Kathryn,Mh Exp	650.00
Hinders, Mary Ann,Mlge - Ph	639.16
Hopkins Medical Products,Hopes/Hhc-Ph	40.95
Hotsy Equipment Company,Lbr/Prts-Sr	509.63
Ieha,Dues-Eh	20.00
Ikon Office Solutions,Equip Cont -It/Elctn/Dhs	6856.23
Imwca,Work Comp	8353.00
Inrcog,Prof Fees-Haz Mit	8883.08
Interstate All Battery Center,Suply-Sr/Shf	510.18
Iowa County Recorders Assoc.,Dues - Rec	200.00
Iowa Dept. Of Natural Resource,Dnr Fees-Eh	50.00
Iowa Diesel Injection,Prts/Lbr-Sr	53.03
Iowa Dot,Inspct-Sr	3676.43
Iowa Prison Industries,Signs-Sr	3236.00
Iowa State Bank,E911 Lease Pmt	9735.35
Iowa State University,Reg Fee-Sr	300.00
Iowa Workforce Development,Unemp	309.00
Isac,Sch Of Instr-Sr/Aud/Supv	440.00
Isaca, District Ii Treas,Dues-Aud	10.00
J & C Grocery,Bd&Care-Jail	2182.92
J.D. Francis Painting,Maint-Cthse	600.00
Jacobs, Janice,Dues-Rec	105.00
Johnson & Son Tiling,Suply-Sr	279.20
Johnson Plumbing & Htg.,Lbr-Sr	200.00
Johnson, Diane,Mlge - Ph	33.18
Johnson, Mary J.,Mlge - Ph	795.65
Johnstone Supply Waterloo,Mnr Equip-Maint	1601.71
Julien Care Facility,Mh Exp	3004.80
Kampman, Dorothea,Mlge - Ph	311.22
Kelm, Robert,Va Driver	125.00
Ken's Repair,Prts-Sr	7.28
Klobassa, Betty,Misc-Ph	45.00
Kluiter Auto Repair,Prts/Lbr-Sr	138.64
Kmart Pharmacy #4485,Mh Exp	2642.88
Kothe Memorial Library,Qtrly Approp -Fy10	1895.31
Larrabee Center Inc.,Mh Exp	3697.50
Lawler & Swanson P.L.C.,Lgl Repr	616.25
Lebeck, Shawna,Mlge-Comm Coord	149.40
Liberty Square Care Center,Mh Exp	1979.66
Life Skills Training Center In,Mh Exp	711.20
Lincoln Savings Bank,Mnr Equip-Rec	35.13
Lubben, Curt,Tob Buy-Shf Invgtn	200.00
Lutheran Services In Iowa,Yth Shltr	4665.00
Magnall, Nancy,Misc-Comm Coord	76.38
Mail Services, Llc,Sup/Pstge	466.53
Majewski, Mike,Mlge-Cc	45.36
Majewski's Tire Service,Car Exp-Shf/Cc/Sr	3337.58
Mccarter Csr, John L.,Depos - Atty	560.38
McClean, Sahn & Tami,Rent-Gen Rel	240.00
Meck, Donna,Mh Exp	92.32
Mercy Clinics,Phys-Sr	129.00
Mercy Medical Center- N. Iowa,Mh Exp	4725.00
Metropolitan Transit Authority,Mh Exp	181.44
Mid-America Publishing Corp.,Public	633.08
Midamerican Energy,Util	10024.35

Midwest Answering Service,Equip Cont-Ph	66.00
Miller Building Supplies,Rprs/Sup-Sr/Cc/Cthse	5745.68
Miller-Clark, Betty,Mlge-Ph	315.84
Murphy Tractor Mxa 80-9100,Equip-Sr	110925.00
Myers-Cox Co.,Bd&Care-Jail	500.81
Napa Auto Parts (P'burg),Prts-Sr/Shf	1314.58
Nelsen, Dorothy,Mlge - Ph	298.24
New Hartford Library,Qrtly Approp -Fy10	1895.31
Niehaus Welding Works,Prts-Sr	99.80
Niemann Const. Co., Paul,Maint-Sr/Cc	3776.19
North Iowa Vocational Center I,Mh Exp	110.47
North Star Community Services,Mh Exp	1400.35
Oak Hill Cemetery Assn.,Care Of Grvs - Va	138.00
O'brien Service & Towing,Car Exp-Unif Ptrl	258.18
Office Depot Inc,Ofc Sup-Ph/Aud/Dhs	250.93
Office Elements,Ofc Sup -Shf/lt/Sr	362.72
Oldenburger, Ken,Mlge-Supv	199.50
Olmstead, James,Misc-Ph	16.21
Paetec,Tele	1707.35
Parkersburg True Value,Sfty-Sr	5.98
Pathways DbA Cedar Valley,Mh&Prof Fees	12741.21
Pdr Distribution, Llc,Books-Ph	59.95
Peterson, Eldon,Va Driver	25.00
Petroblend Corp.,Suply-Sr	2752.40
Phelps Implement Corp.,Grnds Maint-Cthse	282.14
Pioneer Telephone,Tele -Atty	11.91
Pitney Bowes Inc.,Pstge -Dhs/Cthse	1017.00
Pothast, Dale,Mlge-Cc	60.48
Powerplan,Prts-Sr	4890.38
Prairie Land Coop,Shp Prts-Sr	89.50
Prairie View,Mh Exp	1539.30
Print Place, The,Ofc Sup-Ph	289.20
Qwest,Tele -Atty/Pat	162.53
Radio Communication Systems,Maint-Cthse/Shf	209.87
Regional Transit Commission,Mh Exp	267.00
Rileys Inc.,Sup-Cthse/Va/Sr/Shf	499.37
Rockmount Research &,Suply-Sr	1588.82
Rodenbeck, Ed,Rent-Gen Rel	430.00
Roose, Holly,Mlge-Ph	81.48
Roose, John,Rent-Gen Rel	140.00
Roose, Karolyn,Mlge - Ph	533.02
Sadler Power Train,Prts-Sr	123.51
Schmidt, Larry & Karla,Rent-Gen Rel	140.00
Schmidt, Robert,Twp Exp	80.00
Schoneman, Shane,Sfty-Sr	300.00
Schrage, Shari,Mlge - Pat	71.38
Schrages Cleaners,Lndry - Jail	14.90
Schumacher Elev. Co.,Maint-Cthse/Dhs	656.36
Schunk, Gerald,Rent-Gen Rel	215.00
Scroggin, Deborah,Mlge-Ph	406.56
Secretary Of State,Misc-Aud	30.00
Secretary Of State,Dues-Atty	30.00
Shell Rock Family Health,Med Exmr	35.00
Shell Rock Library,Qtrly Approp -Fy10	1895.31
Shell Rock, City Of,Util-Sr	21.30
Siechs Pharmacy,Mh Exp	1200.00
Siems, Maria,Mlge - Pat	118.11
Snap-On Tools Corp.,Tool-Sr	723.53
Society Of Land,Reg Fee-Sr	545.00
Star Graphics,Rec Mgmt Fund	388.25
Stirling, Deb,Misc-Ph	16.21
Superior Lamp & Supply,Suply-Sr	435.00
Superior Lamp & Supply,Maint-Cthse	469.52
Taylor Construction Inc.,Matrl-Sr	2711.47
Taylor Physical Therapy,Cont Svc - Ph	1920.00
Terracon,Inspct-Sr	8925.00
The Pride Group,Mh Exp	1596.91
Thorne Metal Works,Suply-Sr	203.45
Timmer, Tyanne,Mlge - Pat	306.91
Tjabring, Thola,Mlge - Ph	469.94
Todd's Repair,Car Exp-Cont Law	33.60
Toner Place,Ofc Sup-Dhs	154.00
Tony's Tire & Exhaust,Car Exp-Shf	162.35

Treasurer, State Of Iowa,Yth Shltr	18146.97
Trepp, Sara R.,Tele-It	79.90
Tripoli Extinguisher,Misc-Jail	35.00
U.S. Cellular,Tele	3011.88
Ubber Oil Co.,Fuel	3120.77
United Healthcare Plan Of,Ins	3762.07
Veridian Credit Union,Exp-Sr	1355.08
Vickers Law Office,Lgl Repr-Chem Dep	229.00
Viet, Carole,Mlge-Ph	494.63
Visionshare, Inc.,Equip Cont-Ph	1200.00
Wal Mart Community,Exp-Cthse/Cc	244.19
Walton, Jennifer,Misc-Comm Coord	77.94
Waste Management Of,Disp Fee -Cc/Dhs	103.73
Weber, Paul,Va Driver	100.00
Wedeking Sr., Joe,Rent-Gen Rel	190.00
Weinberg, Mike,Mlge-Eh	233.06
Wellsburg Ag,Fuel	11080.09
Wilson, Richard,Va Driver	175.00
Wingfoot Commercial Tire,Prts-Sr	1005.00
Wix Water Works,Grnds Maint-Cthse	245.00
Zee Medical Services,Suply-Sr	145.75
Ziegler Inc.,Prts-Sr	475.53
Zurbriggen, Ryan,Misc-Comm Coord	70.14

Motion carried.

Moved by Zimmerman, second by Nelson to adjourn to Tuesday, February 16, 2010 at 9:00 A.M. Motion carried.

The above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes and proceedings of a regular adjourned meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Butler County, Iowa on February 2, 2010.