



MINIDOKA COUNTY COMMISSIONER MEETING MINUTES

April 13, 2020

The teleconference phone line 208-434-9101 was opened at 8:20 AM.
The meeting was opened at 8:30 AM with **The Pledge of Allegiance** and a prayer.

Present for this meeting were: Commissioner McClellan, Commissioner Schenk, Commissioner Koyle, Prosecuting Attorney Stevenson, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Goodman, Clerk Page and Clerk McCall by phone.

No applications for county aid were presented today.

Assessor West presented information about a new MLS contract for her office. It is less expensive than the local subscription. Prosecutor Stevenson did not see a need for the commissioners' signatures as it falls under her license and job duties.

No Certificates of Residency were presented today.

Minutes were not available for today's meeting.

I.T. Admin. Jones presented before the Board by phone to give his weekly update. Email has been down and he is working on fixing the problem on servers, working with Computer Arts on problems with servers, and working on his next year's budget.

Commissioner Schenk moved to **approve claims and payroll** excluding the Webb Nursery bill in the amount of \$9,300.00 pending an explanation of the overage with a second voiced by Commissioner Koyle. Motion carried.

COVID-19 discussion took place. Commissioner Schenk reported that the waste district will be having a special meeting this week. They are busier than ever and are trying to come up with options to keep exposure from the public at a minimum. Commissioner Koyle reported on health district statistics around the area. Governor Little will be addressing the state on Wednesday.

Board reviewed monthly Veteran Service Officer report.

Board reviewed correspondence; letter from State Tax Commission regarding City of Rupert annexation that was denied due to lack of information.

Clerk Page voiced her report on request to upgrade fencing at landfill farm; May 6th South Central Public Health budget conference call; draft budget for museum; urgent survey for COVID-19 expenses; coroner's suburban in the repair shop; reviewed joint powers juvenile detention and juvenile probation budgets.

Commissioner reports:

Commissioner Schenk reported that his meetings have been cancelled; will have waste district special meeting this week on Wednesday; also inquired on special proclamations such as Crime Victims Week and does the county

have to make these proclamations. Prosecutor Stevenson said county did not have to unless they were applying for a grant where it was a requirement. Clerk Page agreed.
Commissioner McClellan reported on ICRMP conference call. We will be getting a rate increase of a minimum of 3 percent.
Commissioner Koyle reported her meetings have all been cancelled.
Board discussed upcoming budgets, next week's department head meeting and Detective Lowder's upcoming retirement.
Meeting adjourned at 10:33 a.m.



Kent McClellan, Chairman

ATTEST:


Tonya Page, Clerk