

LEGALS

MINUTES Butler County

MINUTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF A SPECIAL TOWNHALL MEETING OF THE BUTLER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HELD ON MARCH 14, 2022.

Meeting called to order at 6:00 P.M. by Board member Greg Barnett with Tom Heidenwirth present. Rusty Eddy joined the meeting at 6:20 P.M.

Barnett reviewed Iowa Code Chapter 422D regarding the timeline involved for public hearings, establishing an advisory council, and the council providing a plan to the Board in order to approve and place funding on a ballot. Barnett

also reviewed tax funding options, provided a few property tax examples and explained it would be difficult to have a plan ready to put on the November 2022 ballot. He also explained a new web page has been setup dedicated to EMS Essential Service information.

Eddy opened the floor to public questions and comments. Several Butler County community EMT services were in attendance and questions included Butler County call volumes, current Butler County community EMT crew numbers and paid paramedic examples were shared from surrounding counties. Kip Ladage, Bremer County Emer-

gency Management Coordinator, spoke of Bremer County's progress and vision to establish a regional EMS service or agreement.

Additional discussions included who should make-up the advisory council, considerations regarding no county hospital, yet area hospitals located on each Butler County border, and current, inaccurate public perceptions that additional EMS options are not needed.

Barnett reiterated more information will be added to the EMS webpage as it becomes available. Public comments included thanking the Board for the evening meeting and that open communication is the best

option to get things accomplished. Eddy thanked everyone for coming and made a motion, seconded by Heidenwirth to adjourn the special townhall meeting at 7:26 P.M.

The above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes and proceedings of a special adjourned meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Butler County, Iowa on March 14, 2022.

Attest:
Butler County Auditor
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors

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MINUTES New Hartford

NEW HARTFORD BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES MARCH 23, 2022

Present Dennis Canfield, Tim Woods, Cindy Brewer, Abbie Perez, Barb Harper, Randy Johnson
No others were present.

Mayor Canfield requests a motion to approve agenda and open public hearing at 5:30pm. It was then moved by Brewer 2nd by Perez to approve agenda and open the hearing with all being Ayes motion carries.

RECORD OF PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION OF BUDGET FYE

23 On March 23rd, 2022, the Council of the City of New Hartford met for the purpose of conducting a public hearing on the proposed 2023 Fiscal Year Budget as published. A quorum was present. Notice of time and place of hearing had been published on March 9th, 2022 in the Eclipse-News-Review and the affidavit of publication was available. The FY 23 budget was considered and taxpayers and citizens heard for and against said budget. No written or oral objections received.

After giving opportunity for all desiring to be heard, Woods made a motion to close public hearing 2nd

by Johnson with all being ayes motion carries.

Harper motioned to adopt RESOLUTION #778AF2022 BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2023 second by Perez with roll call being Ayes: Woods, Brewer, Perez, Harper and Johnson the supermajority carries.

Mayor Canfield declares that RESOLUTION #778AF2022 is duly adopted for FYE23 and as set forth in the budget hearing notice certificate, the clerk is directed to make the filings required by law and to set up the books in accordance with the summary and details as adopted.

Johnson also discussed road quote received and drainage and challenged the council to paint the west pump house when weather permits. He also discussed employee goals and deadlines.

Clerk brought up the complaints regarding animals running at large needing a solution. Will be on next regular meeting agenda.

Motion to adjourn at 6:30p moved by Brewer 2nd by Perez with all be ayes motion carries.

Attest: Shawna Hagen, City Clerk
Signed: Mayor Dennis L. Canfield

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MINUTES City of Aplington

SPECIAL MEETING APLINGTON CITY COUNCIL APLINGTON CITY HALL 6:00 P.M. MARCH 23, 2022

Mayor Jason Mehmen called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. Council members present: Lage, Schipper, Meyer, and Uhlenhopp. Council member Jacobs was absent.

Mayor Mehmen opened the public hearing approving the sale of unused property. There being no comments the hearing was closed.

A motion by Lage, seconded by Meyer, to approve Resolution no 517-22 approving the sale of Unused Property, carried with a roll call

vote of all ayes.

Mayor Mayor addressed the Council with concerns regarding the ambulance service needs. As with many departments, it is getting increasingly harder to have volunteers staffed for all hours of the day. There is also a concern about one of our EMT's being able to get in the back of the Parkersburg ambulance. Mayor Mehmen has a meeting set with Parkersburg Mayor and ambulance members of both departments to discuss some of these issues.

Members of the Aplington Fire Department were in attendance to continue discussing a new station. Some detailed information received

from Maggie Burger, Speer Financial Advisor, was discussed. A tentative offer of land purchase was reviewed by the Council. However, since this is a major building and financial project, the Council will look into more possibilities and options. They will also need to determine a maximum amount of debt that can be incurred.

Discussion and communication will continue between the Council and department members.

An advertisement will be placed in the local newspaper for an Assistant/Deputy City Clerk. This position likely will begin with 32 hours. The candidate of chose will transition in

the next year or two to the City Clerk position.

In other business, the tornado siren was discussed. The siren was tested Wednesday afternoon and could only be set off either directly under the siren or by entering in City Hall and setting it off from there. The clerk and Police Chief will look into repairs needed or different mechanics/receivers inside siren.

There being no further business, a motion by Meyer, seconded by Schipper, to adjourn, carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:48 p.m.

Deb Prier, City Clerk
Jason Mehmen, Mayor

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MINUTES City of Aplington

BUTLER COUNTY SOLID WASTE COMMISSION FARM BUREAU OFFICE 9:00A.M. MARCH 21, 2022

PRESENT: Rusty Eddy, Butler County Supervisor
Deb Prier, Aplington
Ed Willert, Shell Rock
Mardee Johnson, Aredale
Matt Ramker, Director
Rusty Eddy called the meeting to order at 9 a.m. A motion by Johnson, seconded by Willert, to approve the minutes of the January 24 and February 21 meeting, carried unanimously.

A motion by Johnson, seconded by Prier, to approve the financial report and claims as presented, carried unanimously.

TRANSFER STATION: DEF & filters were purchased.

8 hour Household Hazardous training will be held in Grimes on March 23. Matt, Ben, and Dan will be attending.

Tires for the semi will be purchased.

A motion by Prier, seconded by Willert, to purchase needed shop-tools from Campbell Supply Company during their annual promotion, carried unanimously.

Recycling markets were up \$5.

LANDFILL: DNR Covenant for the Closed landfill was presented. A motion by Eddy, seconded by Willert, to have HLW Engineering firm review, carried unanimously.

RIMWA: Interviews will be conducted Tuesday, March 22.

Date for the next meeting will be April 18 at 9 am at the Butler County Supervisors Office.

There being no further business, a motion by Prier, seconded by Johnson, to adjourn, carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 9:38 a.m.

Deb Prier, Executive Secretary
CHECKS WRITTEN in February, 2022
Ernest Ramige, Contract Labor.....\$350.00

Jendro Sanitation, ace Hauling.....\$1,839.76
Wellsburg Ag., Truck Fuel....\$4,546.97
City Sanitary Service, ace Hauling.....\$2,200.00
Dumont Telephone, Telephone\$95.22
RIWMA, Landfill Fees.....\$28,750.37
IPERS, Retirement Program\$2,315.78
Quick Books, Payroll\$5,031.29
Quick Books, Payroll\$5,031.25
Doug's Heating, Transfer Station Repair\$701.64
Metro waste Authority, HHW Training\$150.00
Aureon Communication, Internet.....\$8.99
United States Treasury, Taxes.....\$3,286.60
Butler Co. R.E.C., Utilities.....\$984.69
Butler County Auditor, Insurance\$6,854.21
Ernie Ramige, Contract Labor.....\$350.00
U.S. Cellular, Cell Phones.....\$109.15
Dan Hameister, Cell Phone.....\$10.00
NAPA, DEF & Filters.....\$1,124.16
Sadler Power Train, Semi Parts.....\$159.44
Crawford-Miller Lumber, Transfer Station Repair.....\$46.65
Holtz Industries, Container Parts.....\$639.91
Mutual Wheel Company, Semi Parts.....\$251.26
City of Shell Rock, Recycling Rebate\$2,400.00
Moler Sanitation, Recycle Hauling.....\$2,593.50
Mid-America Publishing, Publication\$113.24
Campbell Supply, Transfer Station Supplies\$76.28
Ed Willert, Board Per Diem/Mileage.....\$730.00
VISA, Transfer Station Supplies\$611.48
Jack Cordes, Cell Phone & Mileage\$289.00
Ben White, Cell Phone\$10.00
Midwest Electronic Recovery, E-Waste Recycling.....\$1,233.50*

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