

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

July 25, 2016

The Jewell County Commissioners met July 25, 2016 at 8:30 a.m. with Commissioners, Steve Greene, Dwight S. Frost and Mark Fleming present. Carla J. Waugh, County Clerk was also present.

The minutes of the July 18, 2016 and July 21, 2016 County Commissioners meetings were approved.

The following were present for office head meeting: Chris Petet, Custodian; Joel Elkins, General Superintendent; Anna Standley, Register of Deeds; Angela Murray, Health Nurse; Don Jacobs, Sheriff; Marilou Becker, Deputy County Appraiser; Jenae Ryan, District Extension Agent; Gail Bartley, Noxious Weed Director, Emergency Preparedness Director and 911 Coordinator. The following were absent: Travis Garst, Solid Waste Director; Shannon Meier, Ambulance Director; and Brenda Eakins, Treasurer.

Joel Elkins said they have been busy hauling rock and also working on dirt projects.

Gail Bartley said he plans to attend the Regional Homeland Security Council meeting in Beloit on Tuesday. He attended the Local Emergency Planning Conference last week. Gail has been spraying road sides weather permitting.

Marilou Becker said they have been working on new construction and ag review. She said that Darla has been working on 1/6 reinspection.

Angela Murray said she has been working on the year end grants. She said next week the immunization state survey will be here.

Jenae Ryan said that July is Fair month for the district. She has been helping with other county fairs and several horticulture questions. The Extension Office will have some short hours this week because staff will be assisting with other county fairs.

Don Jacobs said they started installing the new 911 this week. Don said they will test the security alert system at 8:35 on Wednesday.

Carla Waugh said that next Tuesday, August 2nd is the Primary Election and requested that the Courthouse back parking lot be reserved for voter parking. She said her office has been busy preparing for the election and working on budgets.

The Commissioners said they worked with the auditor last week on the 2017 County Budget.

Steve Greene said he went to the Economic Development Committee meeting, Juvenile Detention Center meeting and provided a welcome at the Area on Aging meeting at Mankato. This concluded office head meeting.

Angela Murray, Health Nurse, had Dr. Andy Walker's agreement as Health Officer.

Dwight S. Frost moved and Mark Fleming seconded that the proper officers sign the Jewell County Health Department County Health Officer Agreement with Andy Walker, M.D. Motion passed unanimously.

Marilou Becker, Deputy County Appraiser, discussed ag review mailers to update the Orion system. Marilou said that Anna Porter, Department of Revenue was here one day to go over things that need to be done.

Don Jacobs, Sheriff, said he plans to attend the Regional Homeland Security Council meeting. He requested permission to get a sign made to place outside the Sheriff's office with their information. He discussed operations.

Casey Fraser, Foley Equipment, stopped by to visit with the Commissioners and Joel Elkins.

Joel Elkins, General Superintendent, reported on road & bridge maintenance. The Commissioners reported road concerns.

The Commissioners received a letter from David Harper, Director of Property Valuation, stating that the final results of the 2015 Real Estate Appraisal/Sales Ratio Study for Jewell County Appraiser has met the statistical performance standards established for both the commercial/industrial and residential classes of property.

Steve Greene moved and Mark Fleming seconded to adopt Resolution 16-04 voiding certain outdated checks drawn on the accounts of Jewell County dated from December 10, 2007 through May 19, 2014. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

Mark Fleming, Member

Steve Greene, Chairman

Carla J. Waugh, County Clerk

Dwight S. Frost, Member