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Madison County Commissioners

Department Head and Elected Official Meeting
Meeting Minutes

APRIL 4, 2011 9:00 AM
COMMISSIONERS ROOM

ATTENDEES Commissioners: Chairman Kimber Ricks, Jon Weber and Todd Smith
Deputy Prosecuting Attorney: Troy Evans
County Clerk: Kim Muir

AGENDA TOPICS

Wage and Salary Deliberations:

The wage study Commissioner Weber compiled was reviewed by Commissioners and decisions were made regarding raises. Positions were compared to neighboring Counties and consideration given to the wage study conducted last year for Madison County.

Commissioner Weber made a motion to implement raises for Juvenile Probation. Commissioner Smith seconded and voting was unanimous to implement the raises proposed by Commissioner Weber.

Commissioner Ricks made a motion to approve raises for Building and Grounds, Mosquito and Weeds, Fairgrounds and Extension Department. Commissioner Weber seconded and voting was unanimous.

Commissioner Ricks made a motion to approve raises for the IT Department. Commissioner Smith seconded and voting was unanimous.

Hospital Board Appointments: Commissioner Weber made a motion to approve names as discussed. Commissioner Ricks seconded and voting was unanimous.

Department Head and Elected Official Meeting: At 10:20 a.m. Commissioner Ricks welcomed department heads and elected officials.

Wage & Salary Project Status: Commissioner Weber explained the wage study and increases that will be implemented.

County Organization Matters: Commissioner Smith reported that Brent McFadden has accepted the

General Services Director position and will now supervise Buildings, Grounds, Weeds, Mosquitos, Fleet Management, Parks as well as Planning and Zoning. He will continue as Flood Plain Administrator.

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On May 3rd there will be an IAC legislative webinar update from 9:00 a.m – noon. Those wanting to attend need to contact the clerk for registration.

Commission Weber announced that the first hurdle in a Community Development block grant has been cleared for the Coop property. This will provide much needed parking in Rexburg.

Shadowhawk Enterprises - Grant Opportunities: Steve and Dorothy Bowen gave a presentation on grant opportunities.

Reed Sommer

 Reported on Veteran Services.

Sheriff Klingler

 Discussed inmate needs.

 Discussed how they rely heavily on grants.

IT Department

 This department is planning to hire an intern. The intern will be visiting departments and conducting surveys.

Brent McFadden, Planning and Zoning

 Planning and Zoning will be creating an ordinance regarding burial on private property.

 Leases are being signed on ordinances for windmills.

 Decertification of levees by FEMA was discussed.

Rodney Lusk, Fairgrounds

 The Fairgrounds has been busy preparing for high school rodeos.

 There is a calendar on the County website.

Dave Walrath, Public Works

 Solid Waste no longer taking parts of animals.

 They will begin patching the roads and crack sealing.

 Would like to expand summer hours on the C & D site.

 Reported on the East Parkway Corridor plan.

Sid Brown, Prosecuting Attorney

 Reported that his office is staying busy.

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Sherry Arnold, Treasurer

 They are working on clearing three year delinquent taxes.

 Asked about 5-C.

 Would like a new map in the entry of the Administration Building.

Craig Rindlisbaher, GIS

 Reported that the U.S. Constitution Decennial Census is complete. The City intends to challenge the current city count as they feel the student population was miscounted. Tax revenue would be decreased as we are paid per resident. .

Ryan Brown, Tri County Probation

 Clair and Dee's Tire Shop will be putting a paved alleyway to the side of the transition house. Legal issues and concerns will be looked at.

 The courthouse has been well maintained by those on probation.

Kirk Mace, Juvenile Probation

 He is giving interns a small stipend and using two interns instead of one county employee. BYU-I is hand picking the very best for juvenile probation.

Commissioner Weber commented on an article in the Standard Journal regarding Eastern Idaho Solid Waste District for Bonneville, Fremont, Madison and Clark Counties.

Department Heads and Elected Officials were encouraged to be involved in all summer activities sponsored by the City and County.

Commissioner Ricks adjourned the meeting at 2:20 p.m.

Approved:

Kimber Ricks, Chairman

Jon Weber, Commissioner

Todd Smith, Commissioner