

PULASKI COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The Pulaski County Board of Commissioners met at 6:00pm EDST on June 04, 2018 at the Pulaski County Highway Garage in the Conference room, Winamac, Indiana. Present for the meeting were Commissioners Kenny Becker, Jerry Locke, Mike McClure, Auditor Laura Wheeler, and County Attorney Kevin Tankersley.

Also, present, were Amber Tomlinson, Michael Gallenberger of WKVI, Jeff Richwine, Joe Moyer, Tyler Gutwein, Terry Ruff, Gary Kruger, Kathy Miller, Natalie Federer, Judge Shurn, Lora Redweik, Gene Timm, Brent Smith, Darin Gudeman, Lynn Plummer Studebaker.

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

IN RE: HIGHWAY GARAGE

Terry Ruff presented an invoice from Century Link to prove that a location find does not matter and when lines are cut, we are billed for the fix. This time the invoice is for \$1,057.00 with a \$1,000.00 insurance deductible. After some discussion, the issue was given to Attorney Kevin Tankersley to handle.

IN RE: MAINTENANCE

Jeff Johnston reported on the elevator installation progress and stated that the shaft must be moved over 3" to the South. Although the work is on hold until architectural drafts completed, the project is still on schedule and the change is covered in the price of elevator.

Discussion pursued on animal cleanup around the outside of the Courthouse and Justice Center. Johnston is to talk more with Kevin Tankersley about the probability of an animal ordinance.

The Courthouse Flag pole removed and Johnston plans to have it replaced with one that works. Judge Shurn suggested contacting the Boy Scouts for help.

Johnston has a Company doing a site review on the cost of Courthouse doors.

Johnston finished with a report on the lawn care/snow removal company who has submitted their first bill of \$1,500.00 for one month and the Justice Center's new generator that malfunctioned after one month.

IN RE: JDAI GRANT

Natalie Federer explained the 2019 JDAI Grant program stating that approximately \$41,000.00 into the school systems.

IN RE: JUSTICE CENTER

Sheriff Richwine reported on Justice Center activity and issues with the door system and equipment. Richwine expects to receive approximately \$400,000.00 in additional revenue for housing Federal inmates. REACT rejected one of the offered vehicles from the Sheriff's department.

IN RE: OTHER BUSINESS

Open comments to the public.

Wind turbine issues and Ordinance changes briefly discussed.

Kenny Becker motioned to approve May 21, 2018 minutes and Mike McClure seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Jerry Locke motioned to approve payroll and claims and Mike McClure seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Pulaski Memorial Hospital requested that Charles Hutton be appointed to the Hospital board. Jerry Locke motioned to make the appointment as requested and Mike McClure seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Mike McClure motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:43pm and Jerry Locke second the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

**Approved and Signed July 2, 2018
PULASKI COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

Kenny Becker, President

Jerry Locke, Vice President

Mike McClure

ATTEST: _____
Laura Wheeler, Pulaski County Auditor