

MINUTES OF SIOUX COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MEETING HELD ON JUNE 1, 2010

10-06 01 1 The Board of Supervisors of Sioux County, Iowa, met pursuant to adjournment at 9:00 o'clock a.m. with Vice-Chairman John Degen presiding. Members present were Al Bloemendaal, John Degen, Arlyn Kleinwolterink, and Dennis Wright. Supervisor Mark Sybesma was not present for this meeting.

10-06 01 2 Minutes of the meeting held on May 25, 2010, were submitted and the Vice-Chairman declared them approved.

10-06 01 3 Coleman McAllister, Sioux County Attorney – nothing to report.

10-06 01 4 Dan Altena, Sioux County Sheriff

- Reported that currently thirty inmates are being held at the jail.
- Informed the Board that the Sioux County Dive team was called to Briarstone Lake near Mason City this morning. A 75 year old man is missing. Altena stated that this request came as a result of assistance provided at Clear Lake last year and that the call was a testament to the quality of the Sioux County Dive Team.
- Noted that the Sheriff's Department shooting range is in the process of being moved to a location west of the Public Safety Building.
- Reviewed a new training program that is being implemented for Sheriff's Deputies. The training will be done in Sioux County and is intended to address issues most often encountered here.
- Reported on a traffic enforcement saturation project that was conducted on Thursday, May 27, 2010, in cooperation with the Iowa Highway Patrol. Sioux County was ranked 16th in the State of Iowa for fatality/personal injury accidents in 2009. Altena expressed the hope that projects like this would encourage safe driving. In response to questions from the Board, Altena stated that most of the fatal accidents involved distracted drivers. Altena reiterated the importance of not texting while driving. County Attorney, Coleman McAllister commended Altena for working well with other law enforcement officers. McAllister advised that Board that this cooperation is something to be noted and appreciated.
- Civil service testing will be done on June 22, 2010, with anticipation that a deputy will be hired in August.

10-06 01 5 Kim Westerholm, Sioux County Public Health Director presented the second quarter Public Health Report. Childhood immunizations are up between 21% and 22% from last year at this time. The agency is looking for a full time replacement for a Tobacco Cessation Advocate. A new policy manual is being written. Community health needs assessment forums will begin soon in various communities in the County. Jackie Covey, Fiscal Director for Community Health Partners was present for this discussion.

10-06 01 6 Shane Walter, Sioux County Community Services Director – Distributed and reviewed the May 2010 Monthly MH/DD Service Area Expenditure Report. Empowerment will be moving to a location at the former Orange City Hospital building. Rent for the month of June will be waived.

10-06 01 7 Degen informed the Board that Stacy Kramer has been contacted and is willing to fill a vacancy for Clerk for the West Sioux Benefited Fire District. Motion by Wright and supported by Kleinwolterink to appoint Stacy Kramer to serve as Clerk for the West Sioux Benefited Fire District. Motion carried, unanimous in favor.

10-06 01 8 As this was the date and 10:00 o'clock a.m. the time set for the hearing and second and final consideration of a proposed amendment to County Ordinance No. 20, the Vice-Chairman opened said hearing according to law. No comments were received or presented orally against said proposed ordinance. The Vice-Chairman closed the hearing.

Motion by Bloemendaal and supported by Wright to approve the second and final consideration of proposed County Ordinance No. 20 and to instruct the County Auditor to proceed with the publication of said Summary of Proposed Changes to County Ordinance No. 20 as follows:

Summary of Proposed Changes to County Ordinance No. 20:

SECTION III – Establishment of Floodplain (Overlay) District

The areas within the jurisdiction of Sioux County having special flood hazards are hereby designated as a Floodplain (Overlay) District and shall be subject to the standards of the Floodplain (Overlay) District (as well as those for the underlying zoning district). The floodplain (overlay) District boundaries shall be as shown on the Flood Hazard Boundary Map (FHBM) for Sioux County, dated October 25, 1977.

SECTION IX – Definitions

FLOOD HAZARD BOUNDARY MAP (FHBM) – The official map of a community, issued by the Federal Insurance Administrator, which delineates the areas having special flood hazards, designated as Zone A.

Roll Call on Vote: Wright, Yes; Bloemendaal, Yes; Kleinwolterink, Yes; and Degen, Yes. Motion carried, unanimous in favor, one member absent.

10-06 01 9 COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- **Kleinwolterink** – attended a Workforce Development meeting.
- **Bloemendaal** – attended a Mid-Sioux meeting.

10-06 01 10 Doug Julius, Sioux County Engineer

- Informed the Board that his department received an award (STAR) from AFSCME for snow removal work done during December of 2009.

- Reported that the Hudson Bridge project is nearly complete. The approaches to the bridge are being re-done.
- Updated the Board on the progress of various road projects in the County.

10-06 01 11 Claims as submitted by the County Auditor were approved.

10-06 01 12 The Vice-Chairman adjourned the meeting at 10:35 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, June 15, 2010.

John Degen, Vice-Chairman
Sioux County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: _____
Lois Huitink
Sioux County Auditor