

**MINUTES OF SIOUX COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
**MEETING HELD ON FEBRUARY 1, 2011**

**11-02-01 1** The Board of Supervisors of Sioux County, Iowa, met pursuant to adjournment at 9:00 o'clock a.m. with Chairman Mark Sybesma presiding. Members present were Al Bloemendaal, John Degen, Arlyn Kleinwolterink, Mark Sybesma and Dennis Wright.

**11-02-01 2** Minutes of the meeting held on January 25, 2011, were submitted and the Chairman declared them approved.

**11-02-01 3** Coleman McAllister, Sioux County Attorney

- Informed the Board that Sioux County won its case vs. Allan Kramer. The Supreme Court denied hearing the appeal. Therefore, the order of Judge Ackerman is the final order. When the case file is returned, the fine imposed can be pursued. Money from the bond that was filed will be used to pay penalties and court costs. Waste can no longer be dumped in the lagoon any longer and penalties can be enforced. If dumping occurs the owner would be held in contempt of court.
- Updated the Board on his search for an Assistant County Attorney. Final interviews are set for February 21 and 22.

**11-02-01 4** Dan Altena, Sioux County Sheriff

- Noted that the weather has made it very busy at the Sheriff's department. Frequent accidents have occurred in the past day.
- Informed the Board that new repeater equipment needs to be secured, and that a chain link fence will be installed to surround it.
- An increase of 4.34% is reflected in the Sheriff's proposed budget for FY 2012. Altena explained that some one time expenditures occurred this current fiscal year. Video and radio equipment have been replaced. Reported that Reserve Officers are used to help keep the cost of overtime down.

**11-02-01 5** Rob Klocke, Sioux County Conservation Director presented the FY 2012 proposed Conservation budget to the Board. Klocke updated the Board on several grants that have been applied for and received. The Big Sioux Recreation Area has seen an increase in usage. The overall increase to the proposed Conservation budget is .03%. Gordon Pottebaum, Conservation Board Member was present for this discussion.

**11-02-01 6** Shane Walter, Sioux County Community Services Director distributed the January MH/DD Expenditure Report. Walter reported that there are three clients remaining at the Glenwood Training Center. At one time, 13 clients were housed at that facility.

**11-02-01 7** Micah Van Maanen, Sioux County Information Technology Director presented the IT budget request for Fiscal Year 2012. The request is 8.28% lower than last year's request.

**11-02-01 8** Doug Julius, Sioux County Engineer updated the Board on snow removal. Gravel stockpiling is complete in Sioux Center, Alton and Boyden. The new motor grader is at the Rock Valley shop.

**11-02-01 9** COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- **Degen** – reported that he and **Bloemendaal** attended an Emergency Management, Communications and E-911 meeting.
- **Bloemendaal** – attended a Greater Siouxland Health Center meeting.
- **Wright** – reported that he and **Sybesma** attended the Iowa State Association of Counties new county officer training school. He encouraged participation by the Board in that training in the future.
- **Kleinwolverink** – Reported that at a Workforce Development in Spencer it was noted that about 500-600 jobs are currently listed by that agency. Kleinwolverink also attended a Cherokee Mental Health advisory board meeting. The staffing level at that mental health facility is extremely low. Some workers are required to work double shifts.

**11-02-01 10** The Chairman adjourned the meeting at 11:00 p.m. until 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, February 8, 2011.

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Mark Sybesma, Chairman  
Sioux County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Lois Huitink  
Sioux County Auditor