

MINUTES OF SIOUX COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MEETING HELD ON JUNE 24, 2008

08-06-24 1 The Board of Supervisors of Sioux County, Iowa, met pursuant to adjournment at 9:30 o'clock a.m. with Chairman Mark Sybesma presiding. Members present were Dennis Wright, Vernon Beernink, Mark Sybesma, and Arlyn Kleinwolterink. Member, John Degen was absent.

08-06-24 2 Minutes of the meeting held on June 10, 2008, were submitted and the Chairman declared them approved.

08-06-24 3 Dan Altena, County Sheriff

- Presented a Certificate of Appointment naming Jason Bergsma to the position of Chief Deputy effective July 1, 2008. Motion by Wright and supported by Beernink to approve certificate of appointment naming Jason Bergsma as Chief Deputy. Roll call on Vote: Wright, Yes; Beernink, Yes; Kleinwolterink, Yes; and Sybesma, Yes. Motion carried, unanimous in favor.
- General Matters- the smoking ban regulation for the Public Safety Building will be “no smoking” for the entire campus with signs posted at the entrance of the property and entrance of building. Sprinkler system repair costs were discussed. Costs of mileage rate were discussed with questions on fuel consumption of patrol cars. Cities contracting with the Sheriff for law enforcement have all signed their contracts for the next fiscal year.

08-06-24 4 Decide on request for support from NCC for a recreation building – Vision Iowa Grant. Motion made by Wright and supported Beernink to give \$5000 each year for three years starting with the next fiscal year (2008/2009). Motion passed unanimously.

08-06-24 5 Motion by Kleinwolterink and supported by Wright to approve and authorize the Chairman to sign a Fiscal Agent Agreement and a Healthy Families Agreement subject to review and approval by the County Attorney. Motion passed unanimously.

08-06-24 6 Committee Reports:

- Beernink – Attended and reported on RTA committee meeting.
- Wright – Attended and reported on a YES meeting. Also mentioned the first FOCUS group was attended by Sybesma and Wright. Next meeting will be on June 25, 2008.
- Kleinwolterink – Attended Land Fill meeting.

08-06-24 7 As this was the date and 10:00 a.m. the time set for a Public Hearing on an Iowa Department of Natural Resources Construction Permit Application for Rigid Pork LLP for a the proposed construction of a confinement building with a deep concrete manure pit in Section 1 of Reading Township said hearing was held according to law. Rob Hofmeyer, co-owner was present with comments. The Master Matrix score was 450 points. Aaron Haverdink, Assistant Zoning Administrator noted that no comments either written or oral were received. The Chairman closed the hearing. Motion by Beernink and supported by Kleinwolterink to forward a letter of approval as received by the Department of Natural Resources. Motion carried, unanimous in favor.

08-06-24 8 Motion made by Kleinwolterink and supported by Beernink to sign Cost Allocation Agreement. Motion passed unanimously.

08-06-24 9 Discussed the present mileage reimbursement rate and decided not to change the rate at this time.

08-06-24 10 Doug Julius, County Engineer

- Reported on road side mowing, blading roads, and paving in progress. Reported on his fuel budget stating he was over his budget because of the high cost of fuel. Reported on ongoing road projects.
- Motion made by Kleinwolterink and supported by Wright to approve the Annual Road Closure Resolution. Roll Call on Vote: Kleinwolterink, Yes; Beernink, Yes; Wright, Yes; and Sybesma, Yes. Motion carried, unanimous in favor.

Road Closure Resolution 2008-14

-CONSTRUCTION-

We hereby authorize the following roads to be closed for Construction during the 2006-2007 season. The actual date of closure to be determined by the County Engineer and shall be so noted in his office copy of the Resolution.

Road	Date Closed	County Engineer's Signature
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/s/ Mark Sybesma, Chairman
Sioux County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: /s/ Lois Huitink
Sioux County Auditor

- Discussed the moisture problem on the lower level of the Courthouse and possible solutions.
- Submitted the following permit agreements for Board approval:
 1. **Gary Van Skike** – 2” water line between Sections 11 and 14 of Reading Township.
 2. **Mid American Energy** – Install poles ¼ miles south on west side of road from intersection of Hayes Avenue and 310th Street in Section 27 of Lincoln Township.
 3. **Mid American Energy** – Install electric lines in Section 6 of Plato Township.
 4. **City of Hull** – Roadway approach and culvert in Section 23 of Lincoln Township (entrance to wastewater treatment facility).
 5. **Southern Sioux County Rural Water** – Install 1.5” water line between Sections 13 and 24 of Buncombe Township.

Motion by Wright and supported by Beernink to approve permit agreements as submitted by the County Engineer. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion to sign the Weed Control Resolution made by Kleinwolterink and supported by Wright. Roll call on Vote: Wright, Yes; Beernink, Yes; Kleinwolterink, Yes; and Sybesma, Yes. Motion carried, unanimous in favor.

RESOLUTION No. 2008-13

WEED CONTROL RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SIOUX COUNTY, IOWA:

That pursuant to provisions of Chapter 317, Code of Iowa, it is hereby ordered

- 1) That each owner and each person in the possession or control of any land shall cut, burn or otherwise destroy all noxious weeds thereon, as defined in this Chapter, at such times in each year and in such manner as shall prevent said weeds from blooming bearing seeds or coming to maturity, and shall keep said lands free from such growth of any other weeds as shall render the streets or highways adjoining said land unsafe for public travel. Noxious weeds shall be cut, burned or otherwise destroyed on or before the following dates and as often thereafter as necessary to prevent seed production:

Group 1: July 1 for Leafy Spurge; Marijuana Plants; Perennial Pepper-grass; Buckthorn (Rhamnus, not to include Rhamnus Frangula); Sour Dock Perennial, Smooth Dock Perennial and Sheep Sorrel Perennial.

Group 2: July 1, for Canada Thistle; Russian Knapweed; Buckhorn; Perennial and Wild Mustard Annual.

Group 3: July 15 for European Morning Glory or Field Bindweed; Wild Carrot Biennial, also known as Queen Anne's Lace; Poison Hemlock and Multiflora Rose.

Group 4: July 15 for Horse Nettle; Perennial Sow Thistle; Quack Gras; Butterprint Annual; Cocklebur; Bull Thistle; Wild Sunflower Annual; Teasel Biennial; Puncture Vine Annual; Shattercane Annual and all other species of thistles belonging in genera of Cirsium and Carduus.

- 2) That each owner and each person in the possession or control of land including right of way in Sioux County infested with any noxious weeds listed above shall adopt a program of weed destruction described by the Weed Commissioner which in five years may be expected to destroy and will immediately keep under control such infestations of said noxious weeds.
- 3) That if the owners or persons in possession or control of any land including right of way in Sioux County fail to comply with the foregoing orders, the Weed Commissioner shall cause this to be done and the expense of said work, including cost of serving notice and other costs, if any, to be assessed against the real estate.
- 4) Sioux County has discontinued the Annual Spot Spraying Program of noxious weeds and other weed types growing in Sioux County Secondary Road ditches. It will be the responsibility of each owner and each person in the possession or control of land to destroy said weeds in Sioux County Secondary Road Ditches.
- 5) That the County Auditor be and is hereby directed to cause notice of the making and entering the foregoing order by one publication in each of the official newspapers of the County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Sioux County be designated as a weed control unit.

BY ORDER OF THE SIOUX COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Signed and dated this 24th day of June, 2008.

/s/ Mark Sybesma, Chairman
Sioux County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: /s/ Lois Huitink
Sioux County Auditor

08-06-24 11 Claims as submitted by the County Auditor were approved.

08-06-24 12 The Chairman adjourned the meeting at 11:05 a.m. until Tuesday, July 8, 2008.

Mark Sybesma, Chairman
Sioux County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: _____
Linda Feikema
Sioux County Deputy Auditor