

November 30, 2015

Chairman Helgevold called the regular meeting of the Wright County Board of Supervisors to order at 9:00 a.m. Members present were Watne, Helgevold, and Rasmussen.

Minutes of the previous regular meeting of November 23, 2015 were read and approved.

Approved claims for payment.

Adam Clemons, Wright County Engineer, presented the Federal Aid Agreement for Project BROS-CO99(80)-8J-99 bridge #77 located on 250th Street in Section 21 of Dayton Twp. This will be 20% local money and 80% BR money. Motion by Rasmussen and seconded by Watne to approve the Federal Aid Agreement and have the Chairman sign. Motion carries.

Motion by Rasmussen and seconded by Watne to approve the interdepartmental transfer of Steve Krueger from Building and Grounds to Secondary Roads. Motion carries. His wage will follow new hire Union Contract.

Shari Plagge, Wright County Assessor, presented the new Family Farm credit applications. Motion by Watne and seconded by Rasmussen to approve the Family Farm applications and to deny those that do not meet the state code requirements. Motion carries.

Motion by Rasmussen and seconded by Watne to approve the Debt Levy Authority Summary for Wright County and have the Auditor file with the state. Motion carries.

Held a continued hearing on the vacating of Buchanan Ave. from October 26, 2015. The county has been reviewing ideas on different levels of classification on this road such as level A, B, or C. By vacating the road, the local farmers would be inconvenienced by having to drive around the section, and there is a restricted weight bridge that they cannot drive over with heavy equipment. Also, it was discussed about the safety issue of entering HWY 17, taking into consideration of the curves, with heavy farm equipment. There is no decision made today on vacating the road. Postponed hearing to December 28, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.

Andy Yackle with the Buildings and Grounds department presented new pricing and drafts of the courtroom remodel and pointed out the changes from prior drafts. Some of the items pointed out were the Physical Building Security Upgrades, Mechanical upgrades, floor plan revision, and finish upgrades. Motion by Watne and seconded by Rasmussen to approve moving forward with the proposed budget on the courtroom security remodel of the courthouse 2nd floor. Motion carries unanimously.

Motion by Rasmussen and seconded by Watne to adjourn the meeting. Motion carries.

Karl Helgevold, Chairman
Wright County Board of Supervisors

Betty Ellis, Wright County Auditor