

Cole County Commission Minutes

July Term 8th Day
9:05 a.m.

August 16, 2010

CALL TO ORDER

The Cole County Commission met with Presiding Commissioner Marc Ellinger, Eastern District Commissioner Jeff Hoelscher, Western District Commissioner Chris Wrigley, Maintenance Director Dale Rackers, Capitol Plaza Hotel Korey Christgen and Jenne Parker, Harold G. Butzer Inc. Jeremy Wilhelm, Circuit Marshall Donny Schulte, Judge Patricia Joyce, Public Works Shannon Kliethermes, Cliff Lepper and Larry Benz, Captain John Wheeler, Deputy Sheriff Russ Bemboom, Sheriff Greg White, Gordon H. Butler, Castle Rock Rd. Mike & Sherry Rackers, Eric Brown, Regina Schepers and Albert Toebben, Purchasing Agent Jennifer Hoelscher, Auditor James LePage, Deputy Auditor Kristen Berhorst, Recorder of Deeds Larry Rademan, County Collector Larry Vincent, County Counselor Jill LaHue, Finance Director Debbie Malzner, News Tribune Reporter Bob Watson and Deputy Clerk Betty Moeckli present.

REPORTS

- A. County Collectors fees for July 2010, were filed.
- B. County Circuit Clerks fees for July 2010, were filed.

DISCUSSION

Discussion was held regarding Castle Rock Road. Individual drain problems, turn around for the school bus, snow drifts and bank erosion. County Commission suggested home owners to get an easement or deed and to work with Public Works on these issues.

NEW BUSINESS

Judge Pat Joyce came before the commission to hold a public hearing and present Circuit Court Budget for 2011.

MOTION -

Commissioner Wrigley made a motion to approve to vacate a portion of East Swanson Drive. Commissioner Hoelscher seconded the motion. The motion passed by a roll call vote of Commissioner Ellinger (Yes), Commissioner Hoelscher (Yes), Commissioner Wrigley (Yes).

MOTION -

Commissioner Hoelscher made a motion to approve Bid No. 2010-16 Uniform Service Contract to Clean Uniform Company for Public Works. Commissioner Wrigley seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of: Commissioner Hoelscher (Yes), Commissioner Wrigley (Yes).

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NEW BUSINESS

- A. Discussion was held regarding the Annex Chiller.

- B. Discussion was held regarding Staff in the jail. County Auditor Jim LePage presented a report that contains the data and analysis to calculate the total staffing needs of the Cole County Jail. The calculation is based upon a methodology recommended by the National Institute of Correction (NIC) and is considered applicable to jails of all sizes including Cole County.

- C. Purchasing Agent Jennifer Hoelscher came before the commission to discuss concerns regarding the Food Service RFB for the new Law Enforcement.

OTHER ISSUES THAT HAVE COME BEFORE THE COMMISSION THIS DAY

Commission discussed setting a date to approve the Tax Levy for Cole County.

Commission will stand in recess until 4:30 p.m.

Commission adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

Presiding Commissioner

Eastern District Comm.

Western District Comm.