

REGULAR MEETING - MONDAY AT 5:00 P.M.

The Switzerland County Board of Commissioners met in regular session pursuant to law and by being duly advertised.

Those present: commissioners: Mark Lohide, Steve Lyons, and Josh South, the county attorney, Wil Goering, the sheriff, Nathan Hughes, the auditor, Gayle Rayles, and the commissioners' assistant, Bruce Williams.

The meeting was opened by Nathan who also led the pledge of allegiance.

The minutes of the previous meetings of May 16th and June 1st were approved as presented on a motion by Mark, seconded by Josh and all agreed.

The claims were approved as presented on a motion by Josh, seconded by Mark and all agreed.

#1 Sheriff Nathan Hughes & Chief Deputy Brian Morton - Courthouse Security

Nathan had called Sheriff Potts at Ohio County and discussed their security policy. The commissioners, Nathan, and Judge Coy discussed their ideas on courthouse security. The topics discussed were as follows: 1. Which courthouse doors to close, 2. Where to locate the equipment, 3. The number of officers needed, 4. Wil suggested that Nathan contact the Jefferson County sheriff, 5. Nathan is to contact other counties, and 6. Josh asked for an approximate cost.

#2 Highway Department

Darrell Keith, highway supervisor, reported that the chip and seal work was going well. He has been notifying the local radio and newspapers of the roads to be sealed. Glenn Scott, of SCER, asked that he let dispatch know what roads they are working on.

The 3 summer mowers are doing a good job.

#3 DOL Exempt Employees

Wil explained that the salary amount had increased for exempt employees. Most of the county employees work less than 40 hours so this would not create a problem. For government employees working 40 hours making less than the minimum they will earn comp time for any hours worked over 40 hours. Gayle stated that the elected officials are exempt from this new ruling.

#4 Other Business

- A. JSSCSCC door quotes: Bruce had 2 quotes: Your Automatic Door Company \$4,164.27 plus \$1,600.00 for the ADA operation (total \$5,764.27), Central Indiana Hardware \$7,736.81 plus \$3,282.07 for the ADA operation for a total of \$11,018.88. Josh made a motion to accept Your Automatic Door Company's quote with the ADA operation at a total of \$5,764.27, seconded by Mark and all agreed.

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Bob Stivers had questions about the tech building: How much money is owed, what county fund is used to pay for the building, and who maintains the building? Josh explained that approximately 2.4 million is owed to Keystone. The money paid is from the boat revenue, the county maintains the building and part of the building is leased to EC015.

With no further business to come before the board, Josh made the motion to adjourn, seconded by Mark and all agreed. The meeting adjourned at 5:25 p.m.

Attest: _____
Gayle A. Rayles, Auditor
Switzerland County, Indiana