

The Gray County Board of Commissioners met in regular session on Friday, January 15, 2010, with Mark E. Busch, Glenn Oyler, David L. Loucks and Bonnie Swartz, County Clerk, attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read, corrected and approved.

Abatements 2009053, Scott & Veronica G. Ridenour for \$104.92; #2009054, Mike & Dee Ann Rosenbaum for \$173.40; #2009055, Ralph Nathan & Ethel I. Massey for \$164.36; #2009056, Claude E. Hale for \$149.90; #2009057, Guillermo & Maria Erives for \$98.88; #2009058, Francis J. & Eileen Goddard for \$205.28 (2008); and #2009059, Francis J. & Eileen Goddard for \$261.34 (2009); were approved.

Building Permit #2010-01, Neal J. Beery for a horse barn on the NW Corner of the NE1/4 of 3-26S-28W, was approved.

Warrants were presented and allowed as follows: Accounts Payable #33650-#33777 and Payroll by direct deposit. Payments by funds were:

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| Payroll                | \$ 74,736.54 |
| General                | 77,331.14    |
| Road and Bridge        | 103,842.83   |
| Landfill               | 25,110.84    |
| Noxious Weed           | 1,062.52     |
| County Health          | 3,083.90     |
| Special Health         | 930.64       |
| Ambulance              | 5,656.90     |
| PSAP 911E              | 637.14       |
| Appraiser              | 2,024.20     |
| Capital Improvements   | 5,128.00     |
| Equipment Reserve Fund | 31,540.82    |
| Payroll Holding        | 106,092.57   |
| CDBG Grant #1          | 1,244.50     |
| Employee Benefit       | 960.00       |
| JJA/Misc.              | 86.80        |
| JJA/Case Mgmt.         | 2,365.21     |
| JJA/Prevention         | 898.58       |
| JJA/JIAS               | 4,238.33     |
| JJA/JISP               | 2,072.84     |
| Rural Fire District    | 4,459.30     |

Rayna Maddox was appointed to represent Gray County on the Southwest Regional Homeland Security Council.

The commissioners discussed using District Court personnel, on unpaid furloughs, to assist county offices. No decision was made at this time.

Jim Kramer, EMS Director, discussed the possibility of hiring an employee to be a paramedic and assistant emergency preparedness director.

Kirk Anderson entered the meeting.

Jim set up a time at the next meeting for all the department heads to meet with the commissioners concerning employee pay raises for 2010.

Jim as Sheriff presented bids on laptop computers from Infnitec, Dell and HP. The bid of \$2,476.00 for a Dell Vostro from Infnitec was accepted. Payment will be \$1,238.00 from the Sheriff's Account in the Equipment Reserve Fund and \$1,238.0 from the Ambulance Account in the Equipment Reserve Fund. The bids are on file.

Jim presented a bid for a demo ambulance from Rocky Mountain Emergency Vehicles. The bid of \$129,253.00 for a 2010 Chevrolet G4500 chassis with a Life Line Superliner modular was accepted. Payment will be from the Ambulance Account in the Equipment Reserve Fund. The bid is on file.

Jim also discussed replacing VHS recorders with digital recorders. There is only one company that makes the type we use. He also discussed replacing light bars on new vehicles. The cost is between \$1,800.00 and \$2,000.00.

John Rohrbaugh entered the meeting.

Jim would like to send a couple of officers to Street Survival Training in Colorado Springs this spring. Permission was given for two officers to attend the training. Kyleen Lacy is retiring and Amanda Bays has been moved to full time. Kyleen will still fill in once in a while for dispatch.

Dennis Rohrbaugh and Sheryl Plotner entered the meeting.

John Rohrbaugh, City of Cimarron Mayor, presented a revised Neighborhood Revitalization Plan to the commissioners. He explained the changes from the original plan. Glen moved to enter into an interlocal agreement to hold a public hearing to consider the Neighborhood Revitalization Plan. Mark seconded the motion. The motion carried. Sheryl mentioned a change to page 14 removing the words "or mill levy" from section 4. Mark moved to enter into an interlocal agreement to hold a public hearing to consider the Neighborhood Revitalization Plan with the change on page 14. Glenn seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Ken Campbell entered the meeting.

Dennis Rohrbaugh, City of Cimarron Superintendent, discussed hiring a building inspector with the commissioners. The city would like to know if the county is interested in sharing the cost. The commissioners would like to discuss the issue before making a decision.

Jeanne Loewen, Chet Wiswell, Matthew Axtell and Dwight Watson entered the meeting.

Chet Wiswell, Matthew Axtell and Dwight Watson, City of Montezuma, discussed their concerns about CC Road. They felt they were left out when the commissioners made their decision at the last meeting and they wanted clarification on what "Minimal Maintenance" means as to the upkeep of CC Road. The county has every intention of maintaining CC Road as it does any other county road. The signs are a warning to non-local residents. It also means that the road is not as wide as a county road should be. They also discussed the possibility of assistance from the county to seal the cart paths at the Montezuma golf course.

Ken Campbell, District County Engineer, informed the commissioners that the entrance at Montezuma airport has been completed. They have been hauling gyp to R Road and will continue to improve the road as weather permits. The excess asphalt has been removed from Y Road north of Copeland and work will be completed as soon as the weather warms sufficiently. It will be rough until spring time. Ken requested the purchase of an additional front end loader to be kept at the county shop. At present, when a loader is needed to load gyp or unload material at the shop, it must be pulled off the job at the sandpit. No decision was made at this time.

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Chairman

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
County Clerk