

LAW & LEGAL COMMITTEE
May 2, 2016

The Law & Legal Committee held its monthly meeting on Monday, May 2, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was held at the McDonough County Courthouse in the Law Library. Committee members present included Chairman Travis Hiel, George Dixon, Alice Henry, Clarke Kelso, Rod McGrew, Charles Neblock, Digger Oster, Marcia Twaddle and County Board Chairman Scott Schwerer. Other persons in attendance were Dave Schaab, Chief Deputy Nick Petitgout and Assessor Tammy Camp. Beth Crossett was present as committee secretary.

Chairman Hiel called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Review & Approve April 4, 2016 Minutes

Member Oster moved with second by Member Dixon to approve the April 4, 2016 minutes as submitted. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Waste Management Update

Dave Schaab presented the monthly report. The host fee did not change this year. Discussion was held on where other haulers (not Waste Management) take loads. Mr. Schaab stated he thought that Jackson Disposal took their loads to Milan. At current rates the capacity at the McDonough County landfill will last decades.

Tri-County R & WM Report

Tim Lobdell was unable to attend due to illness. The committee reviewed his report containing: facility totals, Township cleanups and Tri-County May 23rd meeting to review truck bids.

Veteran's Assistance and Van Report

Veteran's Superintendent Ric Smart had an emergency at home and was unable to attend. The monthly report was reviewed: twelve veterans were given assistance in April amounting to \$ 2,224.92. The transportation van made 16 trips to Iowa City transporting 42 Veterans.

Sheriff's Report

Chief Deputy Nick Petitgout presented the monthly report. The average jail population was 37 last month. The work crew is up and running. Assistance in the Walnut Grove area, Good Hope cemetery and road patching are some of the items the crew will be doing.

Assessor's Office Update

Assessor Tammy Camp reported that Township Assessor books are coming in. Tax bill should be mailed this week in the Treasurer's office. She inquired on the status of replacing the staff position in her office. At this time there has not been a decision to fill the position.

Claims Review and Approval

Member Dixon moved with second by Member McGrew to approve the claims as submitted. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Other

With no further business to discuss, Chairman Hiel called for a motion to adjourn. Member Oster moved with second by Member Neblock to adjourn the meeting at 7:26 p.m.