

**LAW & LEGAL COMMITTEE**  
**November 7, 2016**

The Law & Legal Committee held its monthly meeting on Monday, November 7, 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, Alice Henry, Clarke Kelso, Charles Neblock, Digger Oster, Marcia Twaddle and County Board Chairman Scott Schwerer. Members George Dixon and Rod McGrew were absent. Other persons in attendance were Tim Lobdell and Chief Deputy Nick Petitgout. Beth Crossett was present as committee secretary.

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

**Review & Approve October 3, 2016 Minutes**

Member Oster moved with second by Member Twaddle to approve the October 3, 2016 minutes as submitted. Motion carried on a voice vote.

**Sheriff's Report**

Chief Deputy Nick Petitgout presented the monthly report. The average jail population was 41 last month. The body of Michael Mason that was missing since July was found. They have not had a lot of theft or burglary. They have purchased most of the digital radios. The department seized a 2010 Tundra truck that they have equipped as a squad for Nick to drive.

**Tri-County R & WM Report**

Tim Lobdell distributed the facility totals. His report contained: facility totals, Township cleanups and negotiations for the 2017 processing program with Dynamic Recycling.

**Waste Management Update**

In the absence of Dave Schaab, the committee reviewed the September and October monthly reports.

**Veteran's Assistance and Van Report**

In the absence of Veteran's Superintendent Ric Smart, Office Administrator Crossett reviewed the monthly report. Eleven veterans were given assistance in October amounting to \$ 2,470.98. The transportation van made 15 trips to Iowa City transporting 25 Veterans.

**Assessor's Office Update**

The appeals are due in Tammy's office on the 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Claims Review and Approval**

Member Oster moved with second by Member Neblock 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 Henry to adjourn the meeting at 7:12 p.m.