

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES
April 8, 2019
OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, MURPHY
OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO

Present during the meeting were Commissioners Aberasturi, Merrick and Hoagland, Clerk Barkell, Deputy Clerk Russell, Treasurer Dygert, Assessor Gruenwald, Sheriff Grant, Jail Commander Vincent, Planning and Zoning Supervisor Huff, Phil Rittenhouse and JC Fuquay with Road and Bridge #1, Travis Jewett with Road and Bridge #3, Probation Supervisor Cardenas, Building Inspector King, Natural Resources Director Desmond, Dewey Crane with Snake River Rubbish and Todd Kleppinger with the Owyhee Avalanche.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to set the agenda as presented, with the correction of “Homedale Community Center Bleacher Quote” to “Owyhee County Fairgrounds Bleacher Quote”. Seconded by Commissioner Aberasturi. Motion carried.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to approve the minutes from the April 1, 2019 meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Aberasturi. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to appoint Doug Rutan of South Mountain to the Owyhee County Fair Board. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the quote for bleachers for the Owyhee County Fairgrounds in the amount of \$47,805.00. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the termination of TelMate Inmate Phone Services. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve a certificate of residency to the College of Western Idaho for student 19-8, and for North Idaho College for student 19-1 (same student). Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

At 10:00 a.m. Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to go into executive session pursuant to Idaho Code 74-206 (d) & (f) records that are exempt from public record and communicate with legal counsel regarding possible litigation. Commissioner Merrick seconded the motion. Merrick – aye, Aberasturi – aye, Hoagland - aye. Motion was unanimous. No action was taken.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to place a lien on Indigent and Charity case 19-19. Seconded by Commissioner Aberasturi. Motion carried.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to approve Indigent and Charity case 19-19. Seconded by Commissioner Aberasturi. Motion carried.

Commissioner Merrick made a motion to deny Indigent and Charity case 19-15. Seconded by Commissioner Aberasturi. Motion carried.

At 10:15 a.m. the 1st quarter 2019 departmental reports were submitted.

At 11:00 a.m. the 1st quarter 2019 jail inspection was conducted.

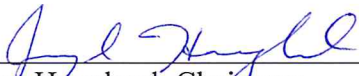
At 11:30 a.m. Dewey Crane with Snake River Rubbish met with the Board. He suggested signs be placed at the Oreana, Grand View and Bruneau collection sites with what acceptable garbage is allowed and what is not allowed. He also asked if the Board would purchase cameras to be placed at Grand View and Bruneau collection sites to help identify those who are in violation of dumping garbage that is not allowed. Grand View City will possibly be converting to mandatory garbage pickup within city limits which should help eliminate excess garbage at the Grand View site.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve a letter to Jeremy Bluma, National Project Manager Section 368 Energy Corridor Reviews, regarding the West Wind Energy Corridor. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve a letter to Donn Christiansen, Owyhee Field Office Manager, regarding the proposed wild horse turnout. Seconded by Commissioner Merrick.


There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Dated this 15th day of April.



Jerry Hoagland, Chairman

Attest: Angela Barkell, Clerk

By: 

Brook Russell, Deputy Clerk