

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES

August 9, 2021

OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, MURPHY
OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO

Present during the meeting were Commissioner Hoagland, Commissioner Merrick, Commissioner Aberasturi, Deputy Clerk Yoshikane, Deputy Appraiser Monahan, Deputy Treasurer Dygert, Natural Resources Director Desmond, Prosecutor Phillips, Chief Deputy Sheriff Bowman. Via Zoom – Todd Kleppinger with the Owyhee Avalanche.

Old Business – Chairman Merrick initialed a corrected Letter to Vicki Russell, U of I Re Extension of Time on Grant Project NS2136. The correction was to the beginning date, from August 15, 2021 to July 1, 2021.

Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to set the agenda as presented. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Aberasturi. Motion carried.

Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to approve the 08-02-2021 minutes. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Aberasturi. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the Idaho Public Safety Communications Commission FY2022 Dedicated Enhanced Emergency Communications Grant Fee Fund Application for a total of \$350,000. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the agreement with McLaughlins' Owyhee Heating and Air Conditioning for Fall 2021 and Spring 2022 HVAC maintenance on the County Buildings in Murphy, Idaho for a total of \$4,250.00. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to approve the Property Use Lease Agreement with John and Catherine Romero for the use of their well and water for the construction on Reynolds Creek Road. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Aberasturi. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve Resolution 2021-16: Authorize the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office to sell the referenced watercraft to Snake River Yamaha and use proceeds as credit towards the purchase of two (2) new watercraft. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the Xerox Copier Contract for the Clerk's Office with the signature of the Chairman for the Board. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the lateral transfer of Kevin Bowen from Deed Draftsmen (Step 5) to Deed Processor (Step 7) to begin September 1, 2021 and will remain at \$16.00 per hour. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the 2021 Owyhee County Fair temporary new hires: Ashley Loucks and Brandie Campbell as fair grounds gopher at \$10.00 per hour; and Bridgette Newell as fair office help at \$14.00 per hour. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the Sheriff's Office new hire of Chris Rowe for Waterways/Idaho Power/Court Security beginning on August 10, 2021 at the pay rate of \$17.22 per hour. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the pay increase for Travis Leedom, from \$18.15 to \$18.70 per hour, beginning August 9, 2021. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

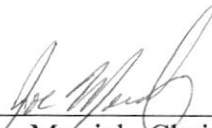
Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to approve the lien on Indigent & Charity case 21-13. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Aberasturi. Motion carried.

Commissioner Hoagland made a motion to approve the withdrawal of Indigent & Charity case 20-21. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

Commissioner Aberasturi made a motion to approve the Sheriff's Office purchase of three (3) AED packs from Coro Medical for \$7,150.00. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Hoagland. Motion carried.

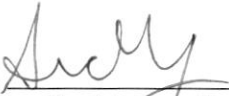
There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Dated this 16th day of August, 2021.



Joe Merrick, Chairman

Attest: Angela Barkell, Clerk

By: 

Audra Yoshikane, Deputy Clerk