## MARCH 28 – APRIL 1, 2022 COMMISSIONER MEETINGS

Sweet Grass County Commissioner meetings are held in the office of the county commissioners in the Sweet Grass County Annex in Big Timber, Montana, unless otherwise noted in the minutes. The first Monday of each month a department head staff meeting will be held at 9:30 a.m. Claims will be reviewed and approved for payment every Thursday unless a conflict arises. At least one commissioner will be in the office from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily unless they are at a conference or a meeting requiring them to be out of the office.

NOTICE: These minutes reflect the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners. The official minutes are on file with the Clerk and Recorder (MCA 7-4-2611(2)(b).

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#### Monday, March 28, 2022

All Commissioners are in today.

The bid opening for the motor grader was held with Public Works Director Conner, Matthew Eaton with RDO and Truman Neprul with Tractor and Equipment present.

The bids were:

RDO – 2023 772GP (Joystick) \$352,000.00 less trade \$53,000.00 = \$299,000.00 Government fixed interest rate 4.55% 2023 772G (Antler) \$342,000.00 less trade \$53,000.00 = \$289,000.00 Government fixed interest rate 4.55%

Tractor & Equipment

2023/newer CAT 150 - \$367,309.00 less trade \$74,500.00 = \$292,809.00 Government fixed interest rate 4.74%

DES/911 Coordinator Brophy was in to talk about the generator fence at the Civic Center.

Dan Tronrud was in to ask about the application for a grant through the Sweet Grass Community Foundation.

## Tuesday, March 29, 2022

Commissioner Roe is in today, Commissioner Wallace is at MACRS in Great Falls and Commissioner Moody is out.

Dan Tronrud stopped by with updated intake forms to review.

Jessica with South-Central Mental Health stopped by to discuss May as Mental Health Awareness month and the BBQ they will be collaborating with the Community Health and PMC on.

DES/911 Coordinator Brophy stopped in to discuss the pros and cons of a .gov email.

Elizabeth Johnston dropped off a letter of support for the current court house cleaning contract.

A taxpayer stopped by with concerns about the Main Boulder Road.

## Wednesday, March 30, 2022

Commissioner Moody and Roe are in today and Commissioner Wallace is in Great Falls for MACRS.

Finance Officer Uehling was in to talk about the gas tax allocation.

Randy Weimer with Sibanye-Stillwater Mine called to talk about the bridges on the East Boulder Road.

Planner Dringman stopped in to discuss the Deerfield Subdivision.

Commissioner Moody attended a health forum meeting at the extension conference room.

# Thursday, March 31, 2022

Commissioner Moody and Roe are in today.

Clerk and Recorder Pederson was in to go over agenda items.

Claims for the week were reviewed and signed.

Nate with KLJ Engineering was in to talk about grant opportunities and the additional \$110,000 available annually for airport projects.

County Attorney Dringman was in to give an update.

## Friday, April 1, 2022

Commissioner Moody and Wallace are in today and Commissioner Roe is out.

Samantha Kieffer with South-Central Regional Health Center was in to talk about the health coalition and alcohol tax.

Claims for the month of March totaled: \$ 281,088.61 Payroll for the month of March totaled: \$ 244,258.02

District Court claims for the month of March totaled: \$2,814.66

Respectfully submitted, /s/ Vera Pederson

**Board of County Commissioners** 

Melanie Roe, Chairman

Date Approved: April 28, 2022

Attest: Vera Pederson, Clerk