

JANUARY 13 – 17, 2020
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)).

Monday, January 13, 2020

All Commissioners are in today.

Commissioner Moody went to the high school for a civic center committee meeting.

Sheriff Ronneberg was in to discuss COPS grant, new patrol vehicle and his department.

DES/911 Coordinator Brophy was in to discuss DES and grant submissions.

Planner Dringman stopped in to discuss the Faw Subdivision and Greycliff road issues.

Public Works Director Conner was in to inform us of the change over of the DEQ permits from Fisher to the County.

The Commissioners attended a Weed Board meeting.

Amber Blake stopped in to talk about the Community Mental Health program.

Tuesday, January 14, 2020

All Commissioners are in today.

A personnel policy meeting was held, present were Catherine McKenzie, Stephanie Heinemann, Clerk of Court Swanson, Clerk and Recorder Pederson, Public Works Director Conner and County Attorney Dringman.

County Attorney Dringman stayed and gave an update on his office.

Derek Fagone and Barb Beck with Fish Wildlife and Parks were in to give an update on hunting regulations, CWD, bison management and the Greybear fishing access.

Superintendent of Schools Metcalf gave an update regarding her office.

Commissioner Roe made motion to approve resolution #01-14-2020 to change the airport board county appointments to 5 instead of 3. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes. (see attached)

Wednesday, January 15, 2020

All Commissioners are in today. Commissioner Wallace went to Billings for a South Central Mental Health Personnel Committee meeting.

Ryan with Great West Engineering was in to discuss the Old Boulder Road bridge project.

Dan Rostad with the Sweet Grass Conservation District stopped in to invite the Commissioners to a meeting with SSMC on February 6, 2020.

Thursday, January 16, 2020

All Commissioners are in today.

Clerk and Recorder Pederson was in to go over agenda items and read minutes. Commissioner Roe made a motion to approve the minutes from December 23 – 27, 2019; December 30, 2019 – January 3, 2020 and January 6 – 10, 2020 with corrections. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

Bids for the county equipment were opened. There were 3 bids submitted for the 1982 International truck.

Ky Hanson was the highest bidder with a bid of \$2150.00

Claims for the week were reviewed and signed.

Commissioner Wallace went to Billings with Public Works Director Conner to pick up the new road truck.

Commissioner Roe went to Billings for a Beartooth R C & D meeting.

Friday, January 17, 2020

All Commissioners are in today.

Bob Bryan and Cliff Brophy were in to brief us on the airplane crash at the airport.

Ky Hanson was in to pay for the 1982 International truck he purchased.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Vera Pederson

Board of County Commissioners

William Wallace, Chairman

Date Approved: January 31, 2020

Attest:

Vera Pederson, Clerk