

COMMISSIONER MEETING OF JUNE 9, 2014

The Caribou County Commissioners met in regular session on June 9, 2014 at 9:00 a.m. Those in attendance for the first hour were Earl Somsen, Commissioner Chairman, Phil Christensen, Commissioner, and Mark Mathews, Commissioners. Also in attendance were Deputy Clerk Denise Horsley, Caribou County Road and Bridge Supervisor Kim Spencer, Caribou County Sheriff Rick Anderson, Landfill Supervisor Jason Lower, County Assessor Aaron Cook, Weed Supervisor Scott Shuler, Sharon Koller, L. Archibald, Ted Bassett, David Goings DEQ, Pauline Bassett, Alan Skinner, LoriAnn Lau, Justin Patten,

The meeting opened with the pledge of allegiance and prayer.

Kim Spencer, Road and Bridge:

- They are staying within their budget but they are getting into the reserves the reason they are running short due to lack of revenue from the Federal and State not coming in. He will not hire a full time employee, oil the roads that are scheduled to be done. Fuel and Tires will be taken out of Mineral Leasing Fund for the rest of this year budget. Will start doing a lot of in house mechanic work.
- A new crusher will be purchased with an estimated cost with trade-in of \$350,000 to \$400,000. This could be purchased through the Mineral Leasing Fund in 2015 budget. Byrant wants us to buy his crusher and to move it would cost \$1,800.00, and to hire him to do the work would cost about \$5.00 a yard estimated cost of \$250,000 a year.
- Chip the South Hatch Loop Road start with the south half and do as much as the budget will allow about 2 miles. Reservoir Road try doing with rap and water then chip seal the top the following year, will have to do after July.
- Paint the Bancroft shop this coming week.
- Pick up political signs when you are out driving around.

Scott Shuler, Weed Control

- **Started roadside spraying finished Grace, Bancroft, are working North Soda. Sprayed Old Hwy 30, EMS, Veterans, Senior Citizens, Old Horsley out buildings, hospital grounds, fair grounds and camp area, Sheriff grounds, County Fire Dept. & Soda Springs, Shooting Range and Caribou County furnished truck and 4-wheeler and labor, Monsanto will furnish roundup.**

- **Simpon Air Sprayed Landfill, Weed Dept. supplied chemical landfill will blade runway for fight time.**
- **Had Spring Highland Meeting Gray's Lake Refuge, final projects Thatcher white top is done at a cost of \$2700.00. In August Diamond Creek will spray for Toad Flax. Received a donation of \$5,000.00**
- **Start bag woad program with 200 bags, Caribou County share is \$1,000.00, and the Soil Conservation will also pay a \$1,000.00. The program will run 9th thru-26 of June.**
- **Check on Terry Rindlisbaker crops east of Lloyd Road for over spray.**

Aaron Cook, County Assessor:

- **Start reappraisal for the 5 years. Will use contract for some of the reappraisal, but does not know how long his outside appraiser will be working. So he will do in house appraisals he will need to get a vehicle for around 16-20 thousand. Mark made the motion for him to purchase a vehicle, and was second by Christensen and passed unanimously.**

Jason Lower, Landfill Supervisor:

- **New Part time employee hired he had CDL.**
- **Replaced Tires on the dump truck.**

David Goings DEQ:

- **Water Issues, Test well and public water systems for Grace Nitrate Priority Area.**
- **Nitrate is the most common chemical in water. It is easy to test for nitrates in the water with a test strip. The most common cause of nitrates in the water is agricultural chemicals and animals waste.**
- **Grace Nitrate Priority Area public water systems are required to do the test on their systems. They take data from the different agencies and put the information on a map. If the nitrates contaminated 25% of the wells in this area have 5% concentrations there is a concern. They do not do testing to see what causes the nitrate problems; they do not show public well on the maps. LoriAnn Lau Farm Bureau President wanted to bring this up with the commissioner so if there is a problem the Soil Conservation and Farm Bureau would like to notify the public.**

Sharon Koller Wood Canyon Gravel Pit:

- **Talked about their concerns with the conditional use permit with gravel pit.**

- Talked about the safety issues with children blind corners and hills would like to have a center line painted on asphalt. Would like to have work done on the shoulder of the roads, before we could do anything with the integrity of the road we would have to talk with the R&B supervisor.
- Would like to have the speed reduced to 35 mph for regular traffic and 25 mph for loaded trucks over 26,000 lbs. Doug will draw up an ordinance for the speed limit on wood canyon and change the stop sign to a yield sign in Bailey Creek Nounan Road intersection.
- Would like to have law enforcements have periodic presence in Wood Canyon due to the speed of razors, ATV's, motorbikes. Earl stated that the commission will talk to the Sheriff office, but they have no control over the sheriff's office. It was up to them to contact the sheriff and voice their concerns.

Leslie Talbot, Jesse Angsley and Cheryl Rasmussen: from Southeastern District Health Department report on the third quarter of physical year 2014.

Rick Anderson, Caribou County Sheriff:


- Juvenile Housing bill for 2 quarters. State Statutes stated Sheriff is responsible for all housing.

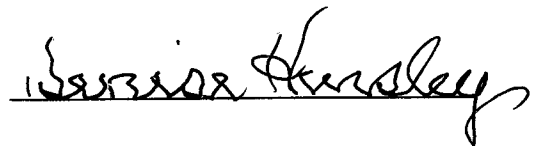
Other:

- Commissioner Christensen moved to pay the claims in the amount of \$227,935.38 and payroll claims in the amount of \$136,447.02, and to approve the minutes of May 27, 2014, as amended. Commissioner Mathews seconded the motion. The vote was Somsen-yes, Christensen-yes and Mathews-yes.
- The meeting adjourned at 12:25 p.m. The Caribou County Board of Commissioners will meet June 23, 2014, at 9:00 a.m. for regular meeting.

Signed: Earl Somsen, Commissioner Chairman

Attested: Denise Horsley





Approved Payment of Bills

	9-Jun-14	Claims	Payroll
Current Expense		\$ 30,197.27	
Indigent		\$ 35.42	
Road & Bridge		\$ 37,406.12	
Special Highway		\$ 50,064.93	
Justice		\$ 55,425.48	
Consolidated Election		\$ 176.00	
Weed Control		\$ 35.42	
Solid Waste		\$ 2,566.52	
Reappraisal		\$ 1,625.00	
Health		\$ 505.82	
Hospital M&O			
Ambulance		\$ 4,358.10	
Parks & Recreation			
County Fair			
County Court Facility			
District Court		\$ 1,519.55	
Court Services			
Juvenile Justice		\$ 672.06	
Veteran's Memorial			
Mineral Leasing			
PILT		\$ 382.95	
City of Soda Springs			
City of Bancroft			
City of Grace			
Bancroft Cemetery			
Central Cemetery			
Fairview Cemetery			
Freedom Cemetery			
Grace Cemetery			
Lago Cemetery			
Lava Cemetery			
Lund Cemetery			
Thatcher Cemetery			
Turner Cemetery			
School District #148			
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School District #21			
Grace Free Library			
Waterways		\$ 1,491.93	
TV Translator			
Landfill			
Bailey Creek Fire District			
Freedom Fire District			
Auditor's Trust			
Adult Probation Fee		\$ 98.00	
Diversion Education Trust			
Juvenile Housing Trust			
Range Improvement Trust			
Court Trust		\$ 1,922.15	
Centennial Trust			
College Trust			
Treasurer's Trust		\$ 1,341.63	
ID Trust			
Concealed Weapon's Trust		\$ 118.89	
Motor Vehicle Trust		\$ 34,895.25	
911 Trust		\$ 2,214.35	
Public Safety Trust		\$ 882.54	
Weed Control Trust			
Drug Court Trust			
Farmers Land & Irrigation LID			
Vessel Account			
Grand Total		\$ 227,935.38	\$ 136,447.02