
FOR THE YEAR 2009
BOARD OF SUPERVISOR'S MINUTE BOOK
CHEROKEE COUNTY, IOWA
OCTOBER 20, 2009

The Cherokee County Board of Supervisors met in regular session on Tuesday, October 20, 2009, with Larry Prunty, Dean Schmidt, Jeff Simonsen, Terry Graybill, and Mark Leeds present. Mike Leckband, *Chronicle Times*, represented the press. Unless otherwise indicated, all votes were offered as follows: Ayes – Schmidt, Graybill, Prunty, Leeds, Simonsen; Nays – none; Abstentions – none.

Motion by Prunty, seconded by Schmidt to approve the agenda and minutes of the previous meeting. Motion carried.

Motion by Leeds, seconded by Schmidt to approve a tax suspension for Eldon and Connie Sorbe per DHS property tax relief regulations. Motion carried. County Treasurer will be notified to suspend taxes on this property.

Mark Buschkamp, CAEDC Director, requested the county's support of pursuing an overnight stop in Cherokee for the 2010 RAGBRAI route. The supervisors expressed support of the idea and will check with the county's insurance company for guidance.

Jim Thompson and Barb Smith, DHS, requested permission to advertise to fill a part-time position in the Cherokee office. The supervisors verified their support of the 20 hour per week position in the DHS office as budgeted for the 2009/2010 year.

Dave Shanahan, County Engineer, reviewed progress on local construction projects.

Motion by Graybill, seconded by Prunty to approve a \$31,540 contract with the Iowa Department of Public Health for Phase 2 & 3 of the Public Health Emergency Response to the H1N1 virus. Motion carried.

There being no further business, Chairman Simonsen adjourned the meeting at 10:15 a.m. All board agendas and minutes are available online at www.cherokeecountyiowa.com.

Attest: _____

Jeff Simonsen, Chairman

Kris Glienke, County Auditor