MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CLARK COUNTY, IDAHO

February 11, 2008

The board met this day in regular session. Those present were Commissioners Greg Shenton, Allyn May, and Michael Leonardson, Prosecuting Attorney Craig Simpson and Clerk Lisa Black.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Commissioner May, seconded by Commissioner Leonardson, unanimous, that the minutes for January 14, 2008 be approved.

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EASTERN IDAHO PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Taylor Grazing Trust

TOTAL

7552.29

\$201,424.95

Brenda Bloom representing the Eastern Idaho Public Health Department met with the Board to review the second quarter FY 2008 and report of their activities. Mrs. Bloom reviewed the numbers with the Board. Mrs. Bloom requested to have the furnace serviced annually in conjunction with the courthouse schedule, with Eastern Idaho Public Health paying their portion.

ROAD & BRIDGE UPDATE

Kevin Hathaway, road and bridge supervisor met with the Board to update them on his department. Mr. Hathaway updated the Board on county road snow removal. Mr. Hathaway reported that the trucks have been received from the City of Idaho Falls. Mr. Hathaway notified the Board of the repairs needed on the 1997 Kenworth.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Commissioner Shenton made the motion to enter into executive session pursuant to provisions of Idaho Code 67-2345, subsection 1 (b) to discuss personnel issues, seconded

by Commissioner Leonardson, unanimous. Performed roll call vote, Commissioner Leonardson aye, Commissioner May aye, and Commissioner Shenton aye.

Regular session was resumed.

BUILDING ISSUES

Orvin Jorgensen met with the Board to discuss the ice buildup on the courthouse and annex building. Discussion was held on replacing the courthouse outdoor lighting.

RODEO CLUB

Kelli Hurst, representing the Clark County Rodeo Club met with the Board requesting \$2500 and the use of county equipment if they are awarded a CHC grant that is being applied for to replace holding pens, corrals and the crows nest. Commissioner Leonardson made the motion to grant the request, seconded by Commissioner May, unanimous.

SHERIFF UPDATE

Craig King, sheriff met with the Board to update them on his department and jail status. Commissioner May made the motion to accept the Forest Service Coop Agreement in the amount of \$4000, seconded by Commissioner Leonardson, unanimous.

IDAHO ROADLESS RULE

Commissioner Shenton made the motion to oppose transferring acres from general forest to back country, seconded by Commissioner May, unanimous.

ROAD CONDITION CONCERNS

Frank Sullivan, Jared Sullivan, Dave Ward, Brion Egan, Lynn Tomlinson, Virgil Valantine, Jan Nel, Lewis Newman, and Kate Stromlund met with the Board and Kevin Hathaway, road & bridge supervisor and George Thomas, road and bridge assistant supervisor to discuss snow removal on Clark County roads.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT REQUEST

Bill Fredrickson, representing the Clark Soil Conservation District, met with the Board to request \$7500 in funding for the state fiscal year 2010 (July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2010). Commissioner Leonardson made the motion to put in the County budget \$7500 for Soil Conservation in the state fiscal year 2010, seconded by Commissioner May, unanimous.

USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Sid Curnow, John Riker and Brian Buch representing USDA, Harold Wilson and Mary Grover representing Clark County Development Council and Kerri Ellis, economic development professional met with the Board to review opportunities for Clark County. Discussion was held on the Clark County wind resource assessment project, receiving additional anemometers from the Idaho Office of Energy Resources and utilizing the USDA grant funds. The Western Community Energy proposal for relocating the anemometers was reviewed. Available multi family and single family housing programs were discussed with the Board.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT UPDATE

Kerri Ellis, economic development professional met with the Board to update them on her department. Ms. Ellis reported that GTI Training has chosen not to relocate to Clark County.

WEED GRANT UPDATE

Keith Bramwell, CWMA and Bo Billman, weed supervisor met with the Board to update them on grant money issues. Commissioner Leonardson made the motion to purchase two ATV spray tanks, a GPS unit, an ATV, and boom nozzles with accessories using CWMA grant funds that need to be expended by March 15, 2008, seconded by Commissioner May, unanimous.

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There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Lisa Black, Clerk

2/11/08 Road Condition Meeting Kate Stromburd