

OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK

October 1, 2012

The Board of Brown County Commissioners met in regular session with the following members present: Chairman Steve Roberts, Warren Ploeger and Keith Olsen. Also present was County Clerk Debbie Parker and Deputy County Clerk Marla Hathhorn. County Attorney Kevin Hill was present for a portion of the meeting. Steve Roberts opened the meeting at 8:00 a.m.

CDBG RESOLUTION

County Attorney Kevin Hill presented information from Virginia Dienstbier regarding the CDBG Grant Resolution.

LAW ENFORCEMENT CLASS

County Attorney Kevin Hill reported that a Law Enforcement Class for the Hiawatha Law Enforcement, Horton Law Enforcement and Brown County Law Enforcement was held last week. Law Enforcement in Brown County now has a "No Refusal Search Warrant" on DUIs.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Warren Ploeger for a 5 minute Executive Session on non-elected personnel with the three Commissioners, County Attorney Kevin Hill, County Clerk Debbie Parker and Services for the Elderly Lori Gray present. Seconded by Keith Olsen. Motion carried. Closed 8:29 a.m. Opened 8:34 a.m. No binding action was taken.

SHERIFF

Sheriff John Merchant reported there are currently 26 inmates in the county jail. Merchant discussed scams and burglaries.

MINUTES

Motion by Warren Ploeger to approve the September 28, 2012 minutes. Seconded by Keith Olsen. Motion carried.

CDBG GRANT HEARING

Steve Roberts opened the Hearing for the CDBG Grant at 9:30. The Grant is for a CDBG grant to improve Goldfinch Road between 290th and 300th Streets in Hamlin Township. Virginia Dienstbier, CDBG Grant Writer, and Kurt Grimm, Grimm's Garden, was present for the Hearing. The Commissioners questioned the wording of the Resolution that Dienstbier presented. Dienstbier replied that the wording on the form could not be altered as it came from the State. The State has 45 calendar days to approve or reject the grant application.

Motion by Warren Ploeger to approve the CDBG Grant Application. Seconded by Keith Olsen. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #12-14

Motion by Warren Ploeger to approve Resolution #12-14, which approves the CDBG Grant Application submission. Seconded by Keith Olsen. Motion carried.

Motion by Keith Olsen to adjourn. Seconded by Warren Ploeger. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:10 a.m. The next meeting will be held Monday October 8, 2012.