

## **March 19, 2007**

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

### **PAYROLL**

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| General                   | \$43,386.38 |
| Road & Bridge             | 11,698.69   |
| Election                  | 1,207.30    |
| Appraiser                 | 2,832.00    |
| Noxious Weed              | 1,078.26    |
| JCAB                      | 4,879.45    |
| Diversion                 | 210.00      |
| JJ Prevention             | 1,037.22    |
| ACC                       | 5,475.62    |
| Services for Elderly      | 2,822.83    |
| Solid Waste               | 2,455.34    |
| Court Trustee             | 7,163.92    |
| Employer Ben FICA         | 4,713.51    |
| Employer Ben KPERS        | 3,041.61    |
| County Share Insurance    | -2,950.65   |
| Work Comp/St Unemployment | -230.32     |
| TOTAL                     | \$88,821.16 |

The March 14, 2007 payroll was approved as follows:

### **SHERIFF**

Sheriff Lamar Shoemaker discussed problems with trains blocking railroad crossings for extended periods of time. A ticket was issued to the Railroad when a train blocked the track in Willis for three days. A court case is pending by the railroad to get the ticket dismissed. Shoemaker also reported that he is looking at updating the phone system at the Sheriff's Office.

### **ROAD FOREMEN**

Road Foremen Richard Geiger and Mel Werner reported that the new oil distributor is scheduled to be delivered to the Fairview road shop sometime this week.

### **CHEMICAL BID OPENING**

Noxious Weed Director George Bruning was present for the bid opening for 2-4D: Bids were as follows: White Cloud Grain with a bid of \$20,300.22 and Ag Partners with a bid of \$19,980.00. Motion by Warren Ploeger to accept the bid of Ag Partners for \$19,980.00. Seconded by Glen Leitch. Motion carried.

### **JCAB/ACC**

JCAB/ACC Director Venice Sloan requested signatures on the annual comprehensive report.

### **EXTENSION**

Extension Agent Stephen Brown introduced Jennifer Ploeger, who was hired to fill the new agent position in the Brown County Extension Office.

**MINUTES**

Motion by Glen Leitch to approve the March 12, 2007 minutes. Seconded by Warren Ploeger. Motion carried.

**TAX CHANGE ORDERS**

Tax change orders #06-70, 06-71 and 06-73 were approved and signed.

**COMPUTER DEPARTMENT**

Computer Department Director Sandy Carter has contacted parties who are interested in purchasing Brown County's old AS400. The Commissioners approved the sale of the AS400 to Phillip Martin of Georgia for \$1,300.00, with Martin responsible for the moving of the system.

**TOWNSHIP REPORTS**

Each Commissioner reviewed the Township Reports in their district.

Motion by Steve Roberts to adjourn. Seconded by Warren Ploeger. Motion carried. Adjourned 11:40 a.m.

The next meeting will be Monday March 26, 2007.