

## **August 20,2007**

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 were County Clerk Debbie Parker and Deputy County Clerk Marla Hathhorn. Steve Roberts opened the meeting at 8:00 a.m.

### **PAYROLL**

The August 20, 2007 payroll was approved as follows:

General	\$43,407.22
Road & Bridge	12,173.13
Election	1,149.77
Appraiser	3,285.10
Noxious Weed	1,560.83
JCAB	6,353.11
Diversion	1,220.00
JJ Prevention	1,526.07
ACC	6,593.36
Services for Elderly	2,864.08
Solid Waste	2,799.41
Court Trustee	5,079.08
Special MVT	944.00
Employee Ben FICA	5,032.64
Employee Ben KPERS	3,120.90
State Unemploy/Work Comp	-245.82
Insurance	-5,928.05
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$90,934.83</b>

### **DEAN HIGLEY**

Brown County resident Dean Higley questioned when the next county tax sale would be held. Higley would like to purchase property on the tax sale which adjoins property he currently owns. Higley was instructed to contact County Attorney Kevin Hill in regards to date of the tax sale.

### **SHERIFF**

Sheriff Lamar Shoemaker reported on the preparation of the recently purchased Mobile Command Center. Shoemaker also discussed a bank robbery in St Joseph, Missouri, in which a Brown County resident is possibly involved. Shoemaker reported on a gun program in which guns confiscated by the Sheriff's Department can be traded in for guns which can actually be used by the Department.

### **ROAD DEPARTMENT**

Road Foreman Darrin Matthias discussed tube and road projects.

### **MINUTES**

Motion by Glen Leitch to approve the August 13, 2007 minutes. Seconded by Warren Ploeger. Motion carried.

### **BROWN COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM**

Motion by Warren Ploeger to approve a maintenance agreement with ThyssenKrupp Elevator for the elevator in the Brown County Historical Society Museum, at a cost of approximately \$800 per year to be paid by Brown County. Seconded by Glen Leitch. Motion carried.

**TAX CHANGE ORDER**

Tax change order #06-87 was approved and signed.

**BROWN COUNTY JAIL INCOME ACCOUNT**

County Clerk Debbie Parker reported that she had reviewed the Brown County Jail Income Account and found the account in order. Parker is required by the County Auditor to review the account quarterly.

**UNEMPLOYMENT FILING**

County Attorney Kevin Hill was contacted in regards to an unemployment filing by a former Road & Bridge employee. No action will be taken to prevent this claim.

**CENSUS BUREAU REQUEST**

An informational request from the Census Bureau in regards to the 2010 Federal Census was discussed.

**BUDGET HEARING**

CPA Jim Scherer was present for the 2008 Brown County Budget Hearing. No one from the public was present. Motion by Steve Roberts to adopt the 2008 Brown County Budget. Seconded by Glen Leitch. Motion carried.

**DISTRICT COURT CLERK**

District Court Clerk Lela Smith presented the 4-County and District Court Brown County 2008 Budgets for signatures.

**CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

Conservation District Secretary Margaret Kanel presented the 2008 Budget for signatures.

Motion by Steve Roberts to adjourn. Seconded by Glen Leitch. Motion carried. Adjourned 11:20 p.m. The next meeting will be Monday August 27, 2007.