

REGULAR MEETING OF HETTINGER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
April 2, 2020

Regular meeting of April 2, 2020, 8:30 a.m., all voting in favor and motions carried unless noted otherwise. Members present were Ron Friedt, Angela Carlson and John Plaggemeyer. Carlson motioned to approve the minutes as presented, seconded by Plaggemeyer.

Plaggemeyer motioned to approve bills as presented: General 51,686.19; Road & Bridge 20,570.65; County Agent 536.40; Senior Citizens 24,030.00; Sheriff 6,033.37. Carlson seconded the motion to approve bills.

A building permit was requested of David & Kari Donner for a 30x30 cabin in 34-133-91. Plaggemeyer motioned to approve, seconded by Carlson.

Elliott Finck gave the road supervisor report. He will be offering a position for the road crew to an applicant that has applied. Finck will be looking at what can be done with someone driving in the Koppinger gravel pit and what signage we could utilize to prevent this.

Plaggemeyer made the motion to approve the following resolution: **Hettinger County Resolution**

Regarding June 9th 2020 Primary Election Process: The Hettinger County Commission operating under their authority provided by NDCC § 16.1-04-02 & 16.1-11.1-01 and in consideration of the Governor's declared emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic hereby declares by resolution that all previous County polling locations shall be eliminated for the June 9, 2020 primary election as allowed by the Governor's executive order on March 26, 2020.

The County Commission further declares under their authority provided by NDCC § 16.1-11.1-01 to conduct the June 9th 2020 primary election by way of mail in ballot. The Commission encourages all qualified citizens to take every opportunity to vote by mail ballot prior to the June 9th 2020 Election. Carlson seconded the motion. Duaine Marxen, County Agent, presented his monthly report. He also presented the Fair Board and Weed Board reports.

Sheriff Warner met with the board to give her monthly report.

Tracy Kruger, Emergency Manager, 911 Coordinator, met with the board. She presented the Burn Ban for this year. Plaggemeyer motioned to put the Burn Ban in place, seconded by Carlson. Kruger has been asking for bids for three generators for critical infrastructure in Hettinger County and also mentioned she's been working on getting a siren put in a location that is closer to the Fair Grounds.

Billy Doerr, Brosz. Engineering, called in to update the board on the Bentley Bridge project. He also asked the commissioners of what projects they would like to get on the list should new funding become available.

Projects mentioned were the main street in Regent, Kouba Bridge, Alden Township road and the Watrous Road. Amber Hoheisel, Tax Director, met with the board. She presented a marketing contract with Sidwell for those that want parcel information, in which Sidwell will then take care of it with a percentage coming back to the County. Plaggemeyer motioned to sign contract with Sidwell, seconded by Carlson.

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Jeri G. Schmidt, AUDITOR

Ron Friedt, CHAIRMAN