Deer Lodge, Montana

November 7, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Presiding Officer Ralph E. Mannix, Jr. and Member Daniel G. Sager

Jody Walker, Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

Claims against the County were examined, approved and ordered paid by the Board of Commissioners for the month of October 2022, warrant #68742 - #68825 were issued and a record of such is on file in the office of the Clerk and Recorder.

Conducted Commissioner Interviews.

After further discussion, it was unanimous to appoint Ruth Koehler to be the District 3 Commissioner.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk

Deer Lodge, Montana

November 9, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Member Daniel G. Sager; Available by phone: Presiding Officer Ralph E. Mannix, Jr.

Jody Walker, Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

County Attorney Kathryn McEnery was in to discuss Knight-Hogan agreement for land in Avon. There is no County ownership. Land will be taxed in the future. Attorney McEnery will sign papers for the County. Commissioner Mannix approved by phone.

County Attorney McEnery and Planner Amanda Cooley were in for confidential session on litigations.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk

Deer Lodge, Montana

November 21, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Presiding Officer Ralph E. Mannix, Jr. and Member Daniel G. Sager

Swearing in of newly appointed Commissioner Ruth Koehler.

Jody Walker, Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

The Commissioners asked for a recount based on Audit findings. Canvass of General Election will be postponed until Wednesday Nov. 23, 2022.

Jim Stone was in with an update on Blackfoot Valley Lincoln Prosperity Proposal. Present were Bill Cyr, Jordan Reeves, Zach Angstead, Russ Ehnes, and Jim Stone.

Commissioner Sager attended the City Planning Board meeting at 10:00 am. Commissioner Sager also attended the Airport Board meeting at noon.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk

Deer Lodge, Montana

November 22, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Members Daniel G. Sager and Ruth E. Koehler

Jody Walker, Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

Claims against the County were examined, approved and ordered paid by the Board of Commissioners for the month of November 2022, warrant #68826 - #68902 were issued and a record of such is on file in the office of the Clerk and Recorder.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk

Deer Lodge, Montana

November 23, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Member Daniel G. Sager; Available by phone: Presiding Officer Ralph E. Mannix, Jr.

Jody Walker, Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

Commissioner Sager, Charlene Shaul, and Pam Reighard were the Canvass Board as Jody Walker, Election Administrator canvassed the Federal General Election.

Heather Gregory, County Coroner stopped in to inquire about the DES/Safety position.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk

Deer Lodge, Montana

November 28, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Presiding Officer Ralph E. Mannix, Jr. and Members Daniel G. Sager and Ruth E. Koehler

Kelley Knight, Deputy Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

Heather Gregory, County Coroner, was in to discuss DES/Safety position. It was moved by Commissioner Sager and seconded by Commissioner Koehler to hire Heather as DES/Safety Coordinator at base elected salary. Motion carried.

Confidential session with County Attorney McEnery.

Commissioner Sager attended Council on Aging meeting at noon.

Ann O'Toole and Amanda Cooley from Planning Department were in with plats that needed signed for Yoder Subdivision to create a cemetery plat.

The drawing of salary warrants #23824 - #23846 for Officers, Deputies, Foremen, Clerks and Appointees from various accounts for the month of November 2022, were approved and a record of such is on file in the office of the Clerk and Recorder.

The Commissioners appointed Tennison Miller to the Garrison Fire Department and Kelley Knight to the Rural Disposal District (PRDD) Board. The motion was moved by Commissioner Koehler and seconded by Commissioner Sager to approve the board appointments.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk

Deer Lodge, Montana

November 29, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Presiding Officer Ralph E. Mannix, Jr. and Members Daniel G. Sager and Ruth E. Koehler

Kelley Knight, Deputy Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

Commissioner McCormick from Lewis & Clark County called to discuss appointing a replacement for Senator Terry Gauthier who resigned. Lewis & Clark County will host a meeting once the candidates are presented either live or by zoom. Commissioners have fifteen days after receiving the list of prospected appointees to make and confirm an appointment.

Officer Micu was in to let us know that he is still trying to get a Lenco Bear Cat with the aide of Montana DES Grant.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk

Deer Lodge, Montana

November 30, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Members Daniel G. Sager and Ruth E. Koehler, Available by phone: Presiding Officer Ralph E. Mannix, Jr.

Kelley Knight, Deputy Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

Claims against the County were examined, approved and ordered paid by the Board of Commissioners for the month of November 2022, warrant #68903 - #68953 were issued and a record of such is on file in the office of the Clerk and Recorder.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk

Deer Lodge, Montana

October 25, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Presiding Officer Ralph E. Mannix, Jr. and Members Daniel G. Sager and Doug Crachy

Jody Walker, Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

County Planner Amanda Cooley and Ann O'Toole were in to discuss which budget items to pay the \$67,476.28 final payment to P3M on the Old Yellowstone trail contract. The decision is to take it from Parks Outlay and Planning Outlay.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk

Deer Lodge, Montana

October 26, 2022

The Board of Commissioners for Powell County, Montana, met in regular session at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Present: Presiding Officer Ralph E. Mannix, Jr. and Members Daniel G. Sager and Doug Crachy

Kelley Knight, Deputy Clerk and Recorder, presented the correspondence.

The drawing of salary warrants #23798 - #23823 for Officers, Deputies, Foremen, Clerks and Appointees from various accounts for the month of October 2022, were approved and a record of such is on file in the office of the Clerk and Recorder.

Ryan Zinke and Sonny Capeck were in to discuss issues concerning Powell County that Ryan is interested in and what he may be able to assist us with if he is reelected to the House of Representatives.

Rody Holman and Brody Loushin were in the office to update on insurance.

Barney Hedges, Chad Walker, and Elmer McGhee with Racetrack Volunteer Fire Department were in to inquire into financing for a new fire hall. Planner Amanda Cooley also attended and will be inquiring about grants. Financing may be available through the Board of Investments.

On motion, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

APPROVED:

RALPH E. MANNIX, JR., Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

JODY WALKER, Clerk