

October 8, 2019

Meeting of the Clayton County Board of Supervisors at their office, 600 Gunder Road, Elkader, Iowa.

Present: Steve Doepcke, Sharon Keehner, and Ray Peterson

Guests: Mike Tschirgi, Linda Zuercher, Amyra Millard, Audrey Ostrander, Randy Sarazua, Colton Hoeger, Alivya Goerd, Christopher Gebhardt, Lynette Pritchard, Tracy Yelden, Julie Doepcke, Angela Bergan, Aylee Pope, Sarah Pech, Maddy Henry, Kylee Anfinson, Kenna Meisgeier, Anna Hamlett, Rachael Hach, Milly Stewart, Zoe Barker, Riley Schroeder, Kiera Beck, Maci Kluesner, Baylee Blanchard, Alyssa Coble-Nuss, Rafe Koopman, Tony Puelz

Doepcke moved, Keehner seconded to approve the minutes of the October 1, 2019, meeting. Ayes: Doepcke, Keehner, Peterson. Motion carried.

Keehner moved, Doepcke seconded to approve the semi-annual report of funds for the county as of June 30, 2019, as presented by Treasurer Linda Zuercher. Ayes: Doepcke, Keehner, Peterson. Motion carried.

Bids were received to redo the curb and gutter in front of the office building and add an accessibility ramp from Swales Construction (\$8,580.00) and Chris Funk Construction (\$6,245.00). Doepcke moved, Keehner seconded to accept the bid from Chris Funk Construction in the amount of \$6,245.00. Ayes: Doepcke, Keehner, Peterson. Motion carried.

Students from Central, Clayton Ridge, and Starmont schools made presentations of the events they are planning for Red Ribbon Week. Keehner moved, Doepcke seconded to approve Resolution #22-2019, a proclamation stating October 23, 2019 through October 31, 2019 as Red Ribbon Week. Roll Call Vote: Doepcke-aye, Keehner-aye, Peterson-aye. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION # 22-2019

RED RIBBON WEEK PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Alcohol and other drug abuse in this nation has reached epidemic stages; and

WHEREAS, It is imperative that visible, unified prevention education efforts by community members be launched to eliminate the demand for drugs; and

WHEREAS, The National Family Partnership is sponsoring the National Red Ribbon Campaign® offering citizens the opportunity to demonstrate their commitment to drug-free lifestyles (no use of illegal drugs, no illegal use of legal drugs); and

WHEREAS, The National Red Ribbon Campaign® will be celebrated in every community in America during “Red Ribbon Week®”, October 23-31; and

WHEREAS, Business, government, parents, law enforcement, media, medical, religious institutions, schools, senior citizens, service organizations and youth will demonstrate their commitment to healthy, drug-free lifestyles by wearing and displaying Red Ribbons during this week long campaign:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Clayton County Board of Supervisors do hereby proclaim October 23-31, 2019, as RED RIBBON WEEK® and encourages its citizens to participate in drug prevention education activities, making a visible statement that we are strongly committed to a drug-free lifestyle.

Auditor Jennifer Garms provided an update on Clayton County Historic Preservation Commission display requests, insurance claims for lighting and power surge, and landscaping issues for the courthouse.

Keehner moved, Doepcke seconded to authorize the chair to sign a letter of support for Clayton County Conservation for an Aureon Charity Grant to supplement a remodel of the aquarium wall at Osborne Nature Center. Ayes: Doepcke, Keehner, Peterson. Motion carried.

Keehner moved, Doepcke seconded to approve and place on file the report of fees for July through September 2019 for the following: Auditor, \$2,598.05; Recorder, \$27,995.01; Sheriff, \$54,240.70. Ayes: Doepcke, Keehner, Peterson. Motion carried.

Attest:

Ray Peterson
Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

Jennifer Garms
Clayton County Auditor