

Minutes of Fergus County Commissioners Business Meeting

June 9, 2023 – 2:00 p.m.

Fergus County Commissioners

712 W. Main St., Suite 210

Lewistown, MT 59457

Present: Commissioner Seilstad, Commissioner Saunders, Commissioner Butcher, and HR Tia Seymanksi. In person public: see attached.

CALL TO ORDER:

Commissioner Butcher called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA & MINUTES:

Commissioner Butcher asked if there were any alterations or corrections to the May 25, 2023 minutes. Hearing none, he stated the minutes stand approved as presented and will be on file with the Clerk and Recorder and on the Fergus County Website.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS: none

PUBLIC HEARING: none

BID OPENINGS: none

PERSONNEL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Road & Bridge Department/Office Clerk-perm/full-time
- Road & Bridge Department/Road, Bridge, & Gravel Crew Member-perm/full-time **FILLED**
- Attorney Legal Assistant-perm/full-time
- Fairgrounds/Grounds (Fair help)-short term
- Fairgrounds Office Clerk – perm/fulltime **FILLED**
- Buildings/Grounds & Building Custodian – perm/full-time
- Family Planning/Nurse Practitioner – perm/full or part-time

ANNOUNCEMENTS / REPORTS:

1. Commissioner Seilstad advised that he had attended District 6 & 7 MACO meeting in Red Lodge yesterday
2. Commissioner Butcher advised the food and consumer program at Snowy Mtn Development got funded this afternoon
3. DES Coordinator Fanning closed Ash & 6th St due to flooding

DISCUSSION / ACTION ITEMS:

1. Commissioner Seilstad moved to approve the June 9, 2023 claims. Commissioner Saunders 2nd; **Motion Passed.**
2. Commissioner Seilstad moved to approve Resolution 16-2023 declaring a severe storm disaster in Fergus County. Commissioner Saunders 2nd; **Motion Passed.**
3. Commissioner Saunders moved to approve the purchase of a new reader board for the Fairgrounds. Commissioner Seilstad 2nd; **Motion Passed.**

APPOINTMENTS:

1. Commissioner Saunders moved to approve Joe Eckhardt to the Council on Aging.
Commissioner Seilstad 2nd; **Motion Passed.**

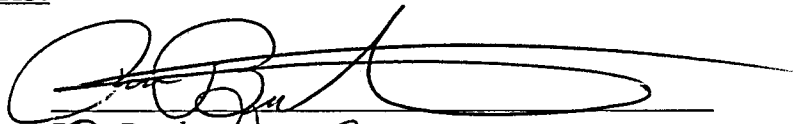
PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS: Alisa Herodes, councilwoman with the Little Shell Chippewa Tribe invited the county to September 1st ribbon cutting at 3 p.m. at the Metis Monument (info flyer attached "Moving the Dead to Calvary Cemetery")

NEXT MEETING DATES:

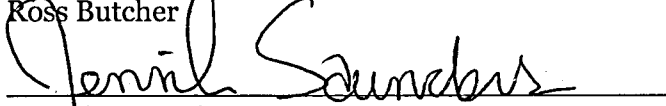
June 21, 2023 Wednesday – 5:15 p.m.	Regular Business Meeting	Fergus County Commissioners 712 W Main St., Suite 210
June 26, 2023 Monday – 11:00 a.m.	Regular Business Meeting	Fergus County Commissioners 712 W Main St., Suite 210
July 10, 2023 Monday – 2:00 p.m.	Regular Business Meeting	Fergus County Commissioners 712 W Main St., Suite 210

Meeting adjourned at 2:35 p.m.

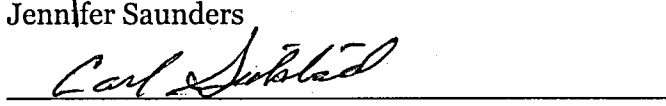
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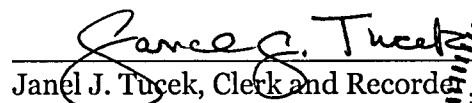


Jennifer Saunders



Carl Seilstad

Attest:



Janel J. Tucek, Clerk and Recorder

