

**MINUTES
FOUNTAIN COUNTY COUNCIL
NOVEMBER 17, 2014
9:00 A.M.**

The following Council members were present at the meeting: Richard Klage, Dale Clawson, Dudley Cruea, Tom Booe, Joe Whittington, Jim McKee and Jim Hershberger.

MINUTES

A motion was made by Dudley Cruea and seconded by Tom Booe to approve the minutes of the October 20, 2014 meeting as presented. Vote: 7-0

**DataPitStop Inc. – Darren Bates
Excise Tax Software**

His software would cut down on the amount of time spent on excise. It would also simplify it and leave no room for error. The cost of the program is a one-time fee of \$4,000. There is no maintenance or additional fees.

VETERAN SERVICE OFFICER

\$75.00 From 1000-0012-33500 Telephone
 To 1000-0012-33800 Training & Education

\$54.40 From 1000-0012-33930 Flags
 To 1000-0012-33800 Training & Education

\$ 8.32 From 1000-0012-33400 Printing & Advertising
 To 1000-0012-33800 Training & Education

A motion was made by Joe Whittington and seconded by Dale Clawson to approve the transfers. Vote: 7-0

\$ 30.00 From 1000-0012-33400 Printing & Advertising
 To 1000-0012-22020 Operating Supplies

\$ 60.00 From 1000-0012-33400 Printing & Advertising
 To 1000-0012-33800 Training & Education

A motion was made by Jim McKee and seconded by Tom Booe to approve the transfers. Vote: 7-0

HEALTH

\$520.00 From 1159-0000-33304 Transportation
 To 1159-0000-33680 Rent

\$230.00 From 1159-0000-33304 Transportation
 To 1159-0000-33710 Cell Phones

A motion was made by Jim McKee and seconded by Tom Booe to approve the \$750.00 transfers. Vote: 7-0

The transfers for the advertising were tabled until after Melissa Waterworth goes to the Commissioner's meeting tonight and explains the amounts that are needed to transfer.

Transfers – AMBULANCE

\$1,000 From 1000-0301-22410 Medical Supplies
 To 1000-0301-22041 Garage Supplies

A motion was made by Jim McKee and seconded by Joe Whittington to approve the transfer. Vote: 7-0

ELECTION BOARD

\$450.00 From 1000-0062-33300 Travel & Mileage
 To 1000-0062-33810 Seminars & Conference

A motion was made by Tom Booe and seconded by Dudley Cruea to approve the transfers. Vote: 7-0

\$1,015.23 From

To 2400~0000~33740 Prosecutor Equipment

Vote: 7~0

COUNTY GENERAL ~ CORONER

\$3,600.00

COUNTY GENERAL ~ CORONER

\$ 400.00

Vote: 7~0

INFRACTION DEFERRAL

\$ 1,932.00

Vote: 7~0

The Council requested that Brenda Hardy ask for approval of any transfers within the 100's.

A motion was made by Jim Hershberger and seconded by Joe Whittington to NOT plan a levy freeze for Fountain County for 2015.

Don Hesler ~ Solid Waste will have 2 employees cut from the 2015 budget, the commissioners are proposing that they change the employees from salary to hourly and work 40 hours a week and not hire a part-time person. Currently Solid Waste has 1 Director, 2 Full time employees and 1 part time employee.

Courthouse ~ Wendall Haga is not coming back. He submitted his letter of resignation. They would like to hire a part-time person (Rick Beck) on a trial basis.

Assessor ~ Sandy Whitaker reported that the Assessor's Office is going to need a new server. It is 5 years old and that is old for a server. The cost would be approximately \$7,000 but, we're waiting on some more information and should have that information before the next meeting. The council would like to know if they could combine servers to save money.

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE DECEMBER 22, 2014
AT 9:00 A.M.

Vote: 7~0
