

# REDWOOD COUNTY, MINNESOTA

January 10, 2012

The Board of County Commissioners met for a regular work session at 8:30 a.m. in the Commissioners' Room in the Government Center, Redwood Falls, Minnesota.

Present for all or portions of the meeting were Commissioners Lon Walling, Priscilla Klabunde, John Schueller, Al Kokesch, and Sharon Hollatz; Administrator Vicki Knobloch; RADC Economic Development Specialist Julie Rath; Representing the RADC Economic Development Pat Dingles; Attorney Steve Collins; Legal Assistant/Office Coordinator Jenifer Manthei; Public Health Director Genie Simon; Public Health Nursing Supervisor Marie Meyers; KLGR News Director Laura Olson; Redwood Gazette Editor Troy Krause; Director of Environmental Services Jon Mitchell; Sheriff Randy Hanson; Assessor Kathy Hillmer; Highway Engineer Willy Rabenberg

## **EDA DISCUSSION**

- Rath and Dingles updated the Board on EDA activities. Discussion was held, and it was agreed upon to hold a future meeting with the RADC/EDA Board for reviewing the current EDA structure.

## **COUNTY ATTORNEY DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW/RECAP**

- Collins and Manthei presented an overview of County Attorney Department activities.

## **PUBLIC HEALTH**

- Simon and Meyers updated the Board on the Emergency Preparedness Grant, and activities in the Public Health Department.

## **MEDIA DISCUSSION**

- Olson and Krause discussed various methods of delivering updates to the public on county activities. It was agreed to appoint a commissioner to deliver the meeting updates on-air on Thursdays following the regular meeting

## **ENVIRONMENTAL**

- Mitchell discussed the Burn/Burial Program with the Board.

## **COUNTY DEPARTMENT UPDATE**

- Hillmer updated the Board on the activities in the Assessor's Office, and informed the Board of the sales study ratios used.

## **ROAD & BRIDGE**

- Rabenberg reviewed the replacement of 1985 Caterpillar Pay Loader and will submit quotes to the Board at an upcoming meeting. Information was also presented on the potential CSAH No. 6 and CSAH No. 106 improvements in Lamberton.

## **ADJOURN**

- There being no further business, Chair Walling declared the meeting adjourned at 12:22 p.m.

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Lon Walling, Chair  
Board of County Commissioners

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Vicki Knobloch  
County Administrator