

MORTON COUNTY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING  
July 9, 2020

The Morton County Commission Regular Meeting was called to order on July 9, 2020 at 5:30 PM by Chairman Schulz at the Morton County Courthouse, 210 Second Avenue NW, Mandan, North Dakota. Others present were Commissioners Zachmeier, Leingang and Buckley, Auditor Rhone and States Attorney Kopyy. Commissioner Strinden was present virtually.

Buckley moved and Leingang seconded to approve the agenda with a change. All voting aye, motion carried.

Leingang moved and Buckley seconded to approve the minutes of the June 23, 2020 regular meeting. All voting aye, motion carried.

Leingang moved and Buckley seconded to approve bills and payroll. All voting aye, motion carried.

Brian Ritter presented an update on the Bismarck Mandan Chamber EDC.

Erin Ourada presented the 2021 Custer Health budget.

Buckley moved and Leingang seconded to approve the final plat of a short-form subdivision known as Fristad Subdivision, and a zoning map amendment from Agricultural District to Residential District, as the subdivision conforms to the regulations established in Article 7 of the Morton County Land Use Code and as the subdivision is not in violation of policy 1.1.2 of the 2045 Comprehensive Plan. All voting aye, motion carried.

Leingang moved and Buckley seconded to approve gravel pit lease located in the NW ¼ Section 1, Township 137, Range 85 for \$2.00 per yard. All voting aye, motion carried.

Engineer Saiki presented the 2021 Highway Department budget.

Sheriff Kirchmeier presented the 2021 Corrections, Sheriff, Coroner and Communications budgets.

Leingang moved and Buckley seconded to approve abatement #5348. All voting aye, motion carried.

Zachmeier moved and Leingang seconded to readdress abatement #5343. All voting aye, motion carried.

Buckley moved and Zachmeier seconded to approve abatement #5343 with a value of \$2,968,050. All voting aye, motion carried.

The total of all county funds expended from June 24, 2020 through July 9, 2020 equals \$1,298,778.16.

A detailed list of funds expended by check is available for public inspection anytime during regular business hours at the Morton County Auditor's Office.

Leingang moved and Buckley seconded to adjourn at 7:34PM. All voting aye, motion carried.

Cody Schulz, Chairman, Morton County Commission \_\_\_\_\_

Dawn R Rhone, County Auditor \_\_\_\_\_