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County of Montmorency Board of Commissioners

Special Meeting

Agenda

March 29, 2023

9:00 a.m.

Boardroom/Courtroom B

CALL TO ORDER

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call
- Approval of Agenda

PUBLIC COMMENT (Agenda Items Only)

OLD BUSINESS

- School Resource Officer (SRO)

PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURN SUBJECT TO CHAIRMAN

NEXT REGULAR BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD ON Thursday, April 6, 2023

THIS MEETING IS OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC UNDER OPEN MEETINGS ACT OF MICHIGAN, PURSUANT TO PUBLIC ACT 267 OF 1976 PLEASE SILENCE ALL CELL PHONES

**MONTMORENCY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
SPECIAL MEETING HELD MARCH 29, 2023**

PRESENT: Don Edwards, Gary Girardin, Lloyd Peltier, Mary Hardies, Del Bolser

ABSENT/EXC.: None

ROLL CALL/ PLEDGE

AGENDA:

Motion Girardin, seconded by Bolser approving the agenda. Yeas: 5 Nays: 0 Motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Tony Suszek, Superintendent of Atlanta Schools (Atlanta and Hillman each received grant for \$124,000 to be used over 3 years for SRO. Estimated cost to County \$25,000.00. Need to accept and have in place by August 1, 2023. Money covers Salary, Fringe and Training.

Ramey Girardin, Doug Morrison, Mellissa O'Neil, in favor of SRO position.

OLD BUSINESS:

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER: Comments as well as questions from board members and sheriff. The Sheriff indicates he wants to hire two SRO's. Other items that would be needed but have available include radios and weapons. Patrol vehicles discussed, what happens during the summer when there is no school, what happens if that officer is off sick, etc. who would cover. Training for this position usually takes place in the summer months. Discussed where money could come from (Contingency, General Fund, ARPA).

Motion by Edwards, seconded by Bolser approving one School Resource Officer for the program and to review annually. Yeas: 5 (Roll call: Bolser, Girardin, Edwards, Hardies, Peltier) Nays: 0 Motion carried.

10:01 A.M. Break

10:09 A.M. Back in session

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Commissioner Bolser, Commissioner Peltier, Melissa O'Neil, Treasurer Eggett, Zac Morrison, Doug Morrison, Tony Suszek, Ramey Girardin, Trisha Moore, Sheriff Brown,

10:34 A.M. Motion by Hardies, seconded Peltier to adjourn. All in favor.

Minutes submitted by:



Cheryl A. Neilsen, County Clerk