

JEROME COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Tuesday, April 12, 2016

PRESENT: Catherine Roemer, Vice Chairman
Roger Morley, Commissioner
Michelle Emerson, Clerk

Meeting convened at 9:05 A.M.

Commissioner Howell was not present.

KATHLEEN HITE—FAIR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT REQUEST

Fair Manager Kathleen Hite was present.

The Commissioners discussed with Hite the excavation being done at the Fairgrounds by the City of Jerome. Hite said she had bids for rebuilding the wall at the racetrack but was expecting two more. She recommended proceeding with the project to avoid price increases in the future.

➤ It was determined to continue the matter until April 18 in order to research funding, obtain additional quotes, and review a survey.

RUSS MOORHEAD—JAIL UPDATE AND COST PROJECTIONS

Present were Sheriff Doug McFall, Jail Administrator Marisela Ibarra, Prosecutor John Horgan, Deputy Prosecutor Mike Seib, and Emergency Management Coordinator Clint Blackwood. Also present was Russ Moorhead of LCA Architects.

Moorhead advised the Board that the new jail and sheriff administration facility would be turned over to the County very soon, at which time the County would be responsible for such things as security, power, and insurance. He said he and an engineer were planning a walk-through of the building that day, to which the Commissioners were invited.

Moorhead also updated the Board on the progress of installing a telephone system and a generator. He said the cost of four outlets for block heaters had not been included in the original price of the jail.

❖ A Motion was made by Commissioner Roemer to approve payment of \$7,308.14 for an extra four outlets for parking lot block heaters. It was seconded and carried with unanimous ayes.

Further discussion was held regarding an open house, tours for the public, and a dedication ceremony.

Meeting adjourned at 10:51 A.M.

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Respectfully submitted:

Michelle Emerson, Clerk

Charles M. Howell, Chairman

Catherine M. Roemer, Vice Chairman

Roger M. Morley, Commissioner