

GRANT COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
DISASTER SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING
GRANT COUNTY COMMUNITY SERVICES BUILDING
Lancaster, WI 53813
September 12, 2022

The Grant County Law Enforcement/Emergency Management Disaster Services Committee Meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Chairman Adam Day. The following members and personnel were present:

LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DISASTER SERVICES COMMITTEE: Porter Wagner, John Beinborn, Brian Lucey, Adam Day, Gary Northouse, Brandon Snyder and Bob Keeney.

GUESTS: Sheriff Nate Dreckman; Chief Deputy Travis Klaas; Steve Braun, Emergency Management Director; Shane Drinkwater, Information Technology; Amanda Degenhardt, Finance Director and Kelly Bird, Recording Secretary.

Kelly verified the agenda had been posted at the County Clerk's Office, Community Services Building, courthouse and on the county website. Gary Northouse second by Porter Wagner approved the agenda. John Beinborn second by Brian Lucey approved the minutes from the August 8 meeting with one correction. All above motions carried.

There was no Public Forum to discuss.

Coroner:

Coroner Phyllis Fuerstenberg submitted her 2023 Budget for review. Coroner Fuerstenberg included up to \$50,000.00 for the purchase of a new vehicle along with a radio. It is requested that the old van go to Deputy Coroner Doug Bartow. It was motioned by Porter Wagner and seconded by John Beinborn to send the Coroner's 2023 Budget to the Full County Board. Motion carried.

It was motioned by Bob Keeney and second by Gary Northouse to approve the Coroner's Financials and Invoices. Motion carried.

Sheriff's Briefing:

The monthly activity report was reviewed for August. Inmate population was at 48 this morning. There were 39 inmates in house. There were 31 male and eight female. Four inmates are on the Electronic Monitoring Program and one has been transferred to another county for Huber Work Release. Four inmates are serving their sentence in another county. There are 10 sentenced inmates, seven waiting to be sentenced and nine on Probation Holds. The new Therapy Dog Zelda was present to meet the committee members. She is 13 weeks old and is a Mini Golden Doodle. There has been some discussion from the Grant County Health Department to pull their Nurses from Jail Duties to perform duties at the Health Department due to staff shortages. The Dunk Tank at the Grant County Fair and Shop with a Cop Back to School events were both successful.

The 2023 Budget for the Sheriff's Office was presented with no significant changes other than wages. It was motioned by John Beinborn and seconded by Brian Lucey to send the Sheriff's Office 2023 Budget on to the Full County Board. Motion carried.

Sheriff Dreckman passed out the Resolution for Designated Public Safety Answering Point for Grant County for signatures. It was motioned by John Beinborn and seconded by Gary Northouse to send this to the Full County Board. Motion carried.

Under the Radio Project Update, things are moving forward with work being done on getting all the tower sites lined up.

Under Personnel, there are currently two Female Jailers that have been hired and are in training. There is one Male Jailer position open.

There is no Training to discuss.

Under Grants, Sergeant Todd Miller applied for a grant through WLECHA for the K9 Program with no match. It was motioned by Porter Wagner and seconded by Brian Lucey to send this to the Full County Board. Motion carried.

The Sheriff's Office Invoices and Financials were presented. John Beinborn second by Gary Northouse made a motion to accept the Invoices and Financials. Motion carried.

Emergency Management:

Emergency Management Director Steve presented the Director's Report. The Assistance to Firefighters Grants were passed out for review and discussed. These are updated every three months.

Emergency Management Director Steve Braun presented the 2023 Budget with only minor changes. There is some increase in the Health Insurance and the Grants have decreased some. It was motioned by Gary Northouse and seconded by Porter Wagner to send the Emergency Government 2023 Budget on to the Full County Board. Motion carried.

Emergency Management's Invoices and Financials were presented. Gary Northouse second by Bob Keeney made a motion to accept the Invoices and Financials. Motion carried.

It was motioned by Porter Wagner and seconded by Brian Lucey to adjourn to Monday, October 10 2022 at 9:00am. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Beinborn, Secretary

Kelly Bird, Recording Secretary
