

**Commissioners Teleconference Meeting
April 6, 2020 8:00 a m**

Those dialing in for the meeting: Rick Nobbe, Jerome Buening and Mark Koors, Mark Mohr, Ken Bass, Brad Speer, Blair Land, Christy Smiley and Janet Chadwell

President Nobbe called the April 6th, 2020 Decatur County Commissioners meeting in session. The March 16th meeting minutes were not available, Commissioners will review and approve those at their April 20th meeting. The claims docket was emailed to the Commissioners on April 3rd for their review and the physical claims were available in the Auditor's office for the Commissioners to come in and review should they have any questions. Mr Buening moved to approve the claims as presented, Mr Koors seconded and Mr Nobbe concurred.

Mr Koors asked about needed funds to purchase PPE for the Health Department's Sean Durbin. Mr Nobbe stated funds may be used from the EDIT or Rainy Day Funds or the P & I appropriation in the Commissioners' budget. Mr Speer does have, on hand, PPE for 5-6 days; he told Sean Durbin to run the order through EMA which should qualify 75% reimbursement. Mr Durbin's funding comes through the Health Care Coalition; so whichever way he files for reimbursement, documentation would still be required. Mr Speer will talk to Mr Durbin today to make sure he understands and to go ahead and order what he needs.

Mark Mohr will be picking up vendors' stone and fuel bids which were due to be submitted by 8:59 am, April 6th due to the Courthouse being closed to the public. He will deliver those sealed bids to the Auditor's office for the Commissioners' April 20th meeting.

Mr Nobbe asked that today's meeting minutes reflect on March 23rd the Commissioners made a "declaration that employees over sixty years of age, pregnant or have underlying health conditions would use their own PTO time and possibly reimbursing that PTO out of the accrued time donated by employees; also the Courthouse was closed to the public. On March 31st, 2020, Commissioners adopted Ordinance 2020-3 to be effective 8:00 am on April 2nd, 2020 which stated a 'local disaster emergency'" continues to exist in Decatur County, Indiana, due to the COVID-19 and a local travel warning advisory was issued to restrict travel per Governor Holcomb's Executive Orders. Commissioners then adopted an amended Ordinance 2020-3 adding some exceptions to permitted travel In and out of Decatur County. Mr Koors moved to extend/continue the amended Ordinance for one more week (week of April 6th), Mr Buening seconded and Mr Nobbe concurred. Each Commissioner thanked our folks- First Responders, Hospital personnel, EMA, everyone for doing a good job and for their patience as there isn't a manual for this emergency.

With nothing else to come before the Commissioners, Mr KoorsKoors moved to recess, Mr Buening seconded, Mr Buening secon and Mr Nobbe concurred.Nobbe concurred Meeting recessed.

Attest: _____

Date: _____