

**DECATUR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

**March 16, 2009**

The Decatur County Commissioners opened their March 16th, 2009 meeting with the following present: Jerome Buening, President, John Richards, Rick Nobbe and Bridgett Weber – Auditor

The March 2nd 2009 meeting minutes were approved as read.

Chris Proffitt – Family Heritage Insurance Company requested permission to offer supplemental insurance benefits to employees of Decatur County. Commissioners granted permission to speak with department heads to set up a time to talk to employees.

ARC of Decatur County – Members of this board were present to discuss current operations Decatur Industries facility. The board is not currently asking for funding and thanked Decatur County for allowing the board to be part of the tax rate. Commissioners thanked Board members for all their hard work.

Mr. Richards moved to appoint Robyn Smith to the Animal Control Board to fulfill the remainder of Tina Keith’s term, Mr. Nobbe seconded and Mr. Buening concurred.

Mr. Richards moved to appoint Mary McCullough to the health board to fulfill the remainder of Noel Mungcal’s term, Mr. Nobbe seconded and Mr. Buening concurred.

Mark Cripe – Home Detention Director requested a fax line be placed in the office he is now occupying on the first floor. Commissioners granted permission for Mr. Cripe has the line installed and the monthly cost paid by Home Detention.

Mr. Nobbe moved to hire Indiana Wire Products to build a cage to protect the clerks private records located in the basement, Mr. Richards seconded and Mr. Buening concurred.

Tony Blodgett – Courthouse Security Officer is currently working on grant monies to purchase deliberators for the 1st and 2nd floor. Mr. Blodgett also provided information from the Indiana Code protecting the Commissioners from any liability the have them located in county departments. Mr. Blodgett also requested guidance on building evacuation plans for the courthouse. Mr. Nobbe moved to implement the building evacuation plan, Mr. Richards seconded and Mr. Buening concurred.

Mr. Richards moved to approve the bid from John Knecht’s Lawn Care for 2009, Mr. Nobbe seconded and Mr. Buening concurred.

Accounts payable claims/payroll claims are approved.

With nothing else to come before the Commissioners Mr. Nobbe moved to recess, Mr. Richards seconded and Mr. Buening concurred.

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Jerome Buening, President

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