

**Kankakee County
Community Services Committee
February 21, 2023**

The meeting of the Kankakee County Community Services Committee was held on February 21, 2023 and was called to order by Committee Vice-Chairman, Mr. Smith at 9:00am. The following members were present:

Mrs. Webber, Ms. Parker, Ms. Polk, Mr. Smith, Mr. Kerkstra, Mr. Tholen, Ms. Andrade, Ms. Munday, Ms. Rittmanic-Emme

Members Absent –Mr. Foster, Mr. Swanson, Mr. Wheeler and Mr. Alexander-Hildebrand

Quorum – Present

Department Heads Present – John Coghlan, Erich Blair, Kari Liard, Dan Hendrickson, Anita Speckman and Lori Gadbois

Media Present – None

Ms. Polk made a motion to allow Ms. Webber to attend meeting by zoom, and Ms. Parker seconded it. Motion Carried with a voice vote.

Public Commentary

None

Minutes of the Last Meeting

The minutes of January 17, 2023 were submitted to the committee.

Ms. Munday made a motion to approve, and Mr. Tholen seconded it. Motion carried with a voice vote.

County Clerk

Monthly Report

Mr. Hendrickson reviewed the reports. There were no questions from the committee.

Ms. Polk made a motion to approve, and Mr. Kerkstra seconded it. Motion carried with a voice vote.

Assessor

Monthly Report

Mr. Blair reviewed the report with the committee

Ms. Polk made a motion to approve, and Mr. Tholen seconded it. Motion carried with a voice vote.

Recorder

Monthly Report

Ms. Gadbois reviewed the report with the committee.

Ms. Parker made a motion to approve, and Ms. Munday seconded it. Motion carried with a voice vote.

Ms. Gadbois provided an annual review of 2022.

Animal Control

Monthly Report

Ms. Laird, Animal Control Director, reviewed the report with the committee.

Mr. Kerkstra made a motion to approve, and Ms. Polk seconded it. Motion carried with a voice vote.

Ms. Laird provided the committee with an update on the new Animal Control building.

Monthly Statistical Data

Ms. Laird, Animal Control Director, reviewed the monthly statistical data with the committee.

Animal Welfare Advisory Committee

Monthly Update

Ms. Parker provided a brief update to the committee. Ms. Parker stated the next meeting will be in March

New/Old Business

None

Adjournment

Mr. Kerkstra made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:29 a.m. Ms. Munday seconded the motion. Motion carried by a voice vote.

Ken Smith, Committee Vice-Chairperson

Kelly Bylak, Executive Coordinator

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E6AkNyyg40s&list=PLuh0IeyRukQQ5oHzSoHgPWyn68YMYbhDu>