

**Kankakee County
Community Services Committee
July 19, 2022**

The meeting of the Kankakee County Community Services Committee was held on July 19, 2022 and was called to order by Committee Chairman, Mrs. Webber at 9:00am. The following members were present:

Mrs. Webber, Ms. Parker, Mrs. Polk, Mr. Snipes, Mr. Carrico, Ms. Hudson, Mr. Kenneth Smith, Mr. Rayman, Ms. Peters, Ms. Bryan, Mr. Alexander-Hildebrand and Mr. Wheeler

Members Absent – Mr. Tholen, Mr. Kerkstra, Mr. Ekhoﬀ and Mr. Sirois

Quorum – Present

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

Media Present – None

Public Commentary - None.

Presentations - None

Minutes of the Last Meeting

The minutes of May 17, 2022 and June 21, 2022 were submitted to the committee.

Ms. Hudson made a motion to combine and approve, and Mr. Hildebrand seconded it. Motion carried with a voice vote.

County Clerk

Monthly Report

No report for this meeting, but will be ready for the full board meeting.

Lottery for Party Placement for the 2022 General Election

Mr. Hendrickson reviewed the process with the committee stating that this is for the party placement on the ballot.

Kyle Evans was present for the Libertarian party, Tinker Parker for the Republican party and Kimberly Hudson for the Democratic Party.

Each party member chose a blank envelope and opened the envelope to reveal the party's placement.

Libertarian party – placement#1

Republican Party – Placement #2

Democratic Party – Placement #3

Assessor

Monthly Report

Mr. Blair reviewed the report with the committee.

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

Recorder

Monthly Report

Ms. Gadbois reviewed the report with the committee.

Ms. Gadbois noted an error on the report and confirmed the deposit amount to be \$1,052,475.66

Mr. Smith made a motion to approve with the correction, and Mr. Carrico seconded it. Motion carried with a voice vote.

Ms. Gadbois provided the committee with an update, stating that she would have another book update in September.

Animal Control

Monthly Report

Ms. Laird, Animal Control Director, reviewed the monthly report with the committee, highlighting areas of the report. Discussions were held.

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

Monthly Statistical Data

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

Ms. Laird provided the committee with an update on the new Animal Control Building. Discussions were held.

Animal Welfare Advisory Committee

Monthly Update

Mrs. Parker provided a brief update to the committee.

New/Old Business

Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship, Dr. Patricia Polk

Ms. Polk provided the committee with an update on the success of the Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship and thanked everyone for their help.

Jasmyne Humble provided an update to the committee on the community needs assessment survey that is currently live.

Adjournment

Ms. Polk made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:47 a.m. Ms. Hudson seconded the motion. Motion carried by a voice vote.

Carol Webber, Committee Chairperson

Kelly Bylak, Executive Coordinator

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