

The Adams County Council met June 11, 2024, 8:30 a.m., in the Adams County Service Complex. Those present were Council Members, Dennis Bluhm, John Summers, Cathy Mitchel, Bob Rhoades Cory Sprunger, Rex Moore. Fred Velez, Adams County Auditor, Tony Mellencamp, County Council Attorney, Julie-Marie Brown, Chief Deputy Auditor, Brianna Rash, and HR Coordinator Shannon Greene. Commissioners, Steve Bailey, Stan Stoppenhagen, Steve Kuhn, were also in attendance.

IN RE: MINUTES

Upon a motion by Cory Sprunger and second by Bob Rhoades the May 14, 2024 Adams County Council Minutes were approved. Motion Carried.

DECATUR DIAMOND ABATEMENT

Upon a motion by Fred Velez and second by Rex Moore to approve a Decatur Diamond abatement for real property. Motion Carried.

Upon a motion by Fred Velez and second by Cathy Mitchel to approve a personal property tax abatement for Decatur Diamond. Motion Carried.

COUNCIL ATTORNEY

There was no report.

Upon a motion by Cory Sprunger and second by Cathy Mitchel to approve the amended salary ordinance. Motion Carried.

IN RE: AUDITOR

Salary Ordinance

<u>FUND</u> <u>#/DEPT.</u>	<u>REQUESTED</u> <u>HOURLY/BI-</u> <u>WEEKLY</u>	<u>APPROVED</u>
Jail (0380)		
Jailer – Thomas Murphy (effective 6/8/2024)	\$20.58/hr	\$20.58/hr
Sheriff		
Detective-Ty Hanni (retro 6/8/2024)	\$35.04/hr	\$35.04/hr

IN RE: OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY PRESENTED

Upon a motion by Cory Sprunger and second by John Summers to approve the grant request for a PHEP grant in the amount of \$25,000.00 for the Health Department Motion Carried.

Upon a motion by Fred Velez and second by John Summer to approve the Council on Aging annual financial request of \$42,000.00. Motion Carried. Director, Michelle Lengerich, presented a five-month activity report also.

Upon a motion by Fred Velez and second by Bob Rhoades to approve additional grant revenues and a transit bus to be received early via INDOT. Motion Carried.

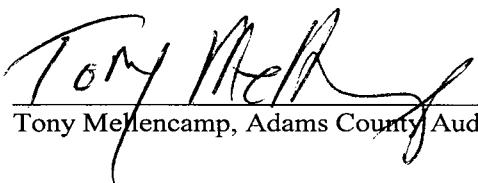
Upon a motion by John Summers and second by Fred Velez to approve a grant application for County Engineer Nate Rumschlag, for a Community Crossings Matching Grant for bridge work. Motion Carried.

Stan Stoppenhagen, Commissioner Chairman, reported on several topics to Council, including that Golden Meadows should have all residents in other housing environments this summer.

Sheriff Dan Mawhorr presented some issues regarding maintenance issues, as well as plumbing issues, at the jail. Some of these issues will be coming up at budget time.

IN RE: ADJOURN

Upon a motion by Cathy Mitchel and seconded by John Summers to adjourn. Motion carried.


Tony Mellencamp, Adams County Auditor


Dennis Bluhm, Council Chairman

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