

HARDIN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MINUTES – OCTOBER 12, 2022
WEDNESDAY – 9:00 A.M.
EOC TRAINING ROOM

Board Chair BJ Hoffman called the meeting to order. Supervisors Lance Granzow and Renee McClellan were in attendance. Also attending: Dave McDaniel, Darrel Meyer, Machel Eichmeier, Michael Pearson, Jolene Pieters, Kent Krause, Alison Campbell, and Julie Duhn. Attending via Zoom: JD Holmes, Lori Kadner, Jessica Sheridan, Cheryl Lawrence, Wes Wiese, Rocky Reents, Curt Groen, Mark Buschkamp, and Elaine Loring.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

McClellan moved, Granzow seconded to approve the minutes from October 5, 2022. Motion carried.

Granzow moved, McClellan seconded to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

McClellan moved, Granzow seconded to approve the claims for payment for October 12, 2022. Motion carried.

Granzow moved, McClellan seconded to approve the Hardin County Conservation Board's bingo event application. Motion carried.

McClellan moved, Granzow moved to approve the Sheriff Department's change of status for the hiring of Alexander Morales as a part-time correctional officer. Motion carried.

Granzow moved, McClellan seconded to approve the Recorder's monthly report for September. Motion carried.

At 9:02 a.m. the public hearing opened for the animal feeding operation construction permit for Mallard Bay Site, Section 16, Buckeye Township. Kent Krause from Pinnacle discussed that due to tree damage caused by a storm last winter, the owners have chosen not to replace the trees previously planted which will reduce the master matrix score, but the score will still maintain a passing score. No modifications will be done on the buildings. Public comments were heard from Julie Duhn. No action was taken by the Board of Supervisors at this time.

McClellan moved, Granzow seconded to close the public hearing at 9:08 a.m. Motion carried.

At 9:08 a.m. the public hearing opened for the animal feeding operation construction permit for the Hardin Buckeye 25 Site, Section 25, Buckeye Township. Kent Krause from Pinnacle stated that the house that was previously in the area had been taken down, raising the master matrix score. Public comments were heard from Julie Duhn. No action was taken by the Board of Supervisors at this time.

McClellan moved, Granzow seconded to close the public hearing at 9:14 a.m. Motion carried.

In other business, Treasurer Eichmeier stated that property taxes are still being paid, but there is a penalty for late payment. Auditor Pieters stated that the Auditor's office is accepting absentee ballot request forms and that in-person absentee voting will begin Wednesday, October 19th in the Courthouse and that the Auditor's office will start mailing absentee ballots also that day to everyone that has requested an absentee ballot.

McClellan moved, Granzow seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

BJ Hoffman, Chair or Vice-Chair
Board of Supervisors

Jolene Pieters
Hardin County Auditor