October 3, 2011

The Mahaska County Board of Supervisors met in special session on the above date at 9:00 a.m. in the third floor conference room of the Mahaska County courthouse. Present were the following board members: Chairman – Henry W. VanWeelden; vice chairman – Greg Gordy and member Ken Rozenboom. Also present were the following: Ken Allsup, Osky News; Duane Nollen, Oskaloosa Herald; Marvin VanVeldhuizen, Scott VanVeldhuizen, Leland VanKooten; Marc Nollen and Kay Swanson, Mahaska County Auditor.

This meeting was filmed by Communications Research Institute of William Penn University.

Chairman VanWeelden called the meeting to order with a moment of silence.

It was moved by Gordy seconded by Rozenboom to approve the agenda for today’s meeting with deletion of the Phase 1(Purpose and Needs) Hwy 63 Transportation Study. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

It was moved by Rozenboom seconded by Gordy to approve the minutes of September 16th corrected and September 19th. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

It was moved by Rozenboom seconded by Gordy to approve the bills for September in the amount of $1,502,152.28. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

It was moved by Gordy seconded by Rozenboom to approve the request of the sheriff to change the status from part time to full time for jailer Brandon Slobe. His salary will be $30,000.00 beginning September 26, 2011. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

It was moved by Gordy seconded by Rozenboom to approve the first quarter report for fiscal year 2011-2012 for the Auditor. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Bids were opened for the rent of the county farm land as follows:

Leland VanKooten $275.00 per acre for 3 years.
William Jason Hynick $251.00 per acre for 3 years
Marvin & Scott VanVeldhuizen $308.00 per acre year 1, $305.00 per acre year 2, $298.00 per acre year 3.
Marc Nollen $275.00 per acre for 3 years.

A bid from Stan Renaud was withdrawn prior to the meeting.

It was moved by Gordy seconded by Rozenboom to award the bid to Marvin & Scott VanVeldhuizen for 3 years for $308.00 per acre for 2012- for $305.00 per acre for 2013 – for $298.00 per acre for 2014. All present voted aye. Motion carried.
It was moved by Rozenboom seconded by Gordy to adjourn. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

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Henry W. VanWeelden, Chairman
Mahaska County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: ________________________________
Kay Swanson, Mahaska County Auditor