June 11, 2012

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 – Greg Gordy, vice chairman – Ken Rozenboom and member – Henry W. VanWeelden and Sue Brown, Deputy Mahaska County Auditor.

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

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

It was moved by Rozenboom seconded by VanWeelden to approve the agenda. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

Sue Brown, Deputy County Auditor and Commissioner of Elections reported that there were 15,444 registered voters eligible to vote on Tuesday, June 5, 2012 for the Primary Election. (6,361 are registered Republicans 3,441 are registered Democrats; 5,627 are registered No Party and 15 are registered Other). The total number voting on Tuesday, June 5, 2012 was 1,688 (1,410 Republicans and 278 Democrats). Percentage of turnout was 10.93%. There were two provisional ballots cast on Tuesday, June 5, 2012 which were not counted. There were 409 absentee ballots requested. (344 were republican and 65 were democrat). There were 13 absentee ballots not returned in time to be counted (10 republican and 3 democrat).

The following persons were nominated at the June 5, 2012 Primary Election:
Board of Supervisors – Republican candidate: Michael Vander Molen
Auditor – Republican candidate: Susan L. Brown
Sheriff – Republican candidate: no candidate:
Board of Supervisors – Democrat candidate – Tom Rielly
Auditor – Democrat candidate – no candidate
Sheriff – Democrat candidate: Paul R. DeGeest

It was moved by Rozenboom seconded by VanWeelden to approve the canvass and declare the candidates receiving the required percentage of the votes cast as duly nominated to the County November General Election ballot. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

It was moved by VanWeelden seconded by Rozenboom to adjourn. All present voted aye. Motion carried.

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Greg Gordy, Chairman
Mahaska County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: ____________________________
Sue Brown, Mahaska County Deputy Auditor