

**STEVENS COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
Regular Meeting  
Official Proceedings  
Tuesday, June 2, 2020  
9:00 a.m.**

The regular meeting of the Stevens County Board of Commissioners was called to order at 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, June 2, 2020, by Chair Bob Kopitzke. Members in attendance were Wiese, Ennen, Kopitzke, Wohlers, and Staples. Seven others present plus attendance via ZOOM.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Commissioner Staples moved to approve the Agenda as presented. Commissioner Wiese seconded the motion and all members voting aye, motion carried.

Commissioner Ennen moved to approve the minutes of the 05/19/2020 regular meeting. Commissioner Wohlers seconded the motion and all members voted aye, motion carried.

The Chair opened the meeting for public comment.

Having none, Dona Greiner Emergency Management Director gave an update on emergency planning and current activities in response to the pandemic. Greiner is also monitoring severe weather.

Stephanie Buss Auditor/Treasurer presented the Auditor's Warrants for the 5/20/2020, 5/27/2020, and 5/28/2020 time periods for review.

Jacob Rischmilller from ISG and Buss presented bid recommendations for CD 18. Followed by Board discussion and questions, Commissioner Wohlers motioned to direct engineer to publish notice that a contract for construction of CD18 will be awarded at the next regular scheduled board meeting on June 16, 2020. Commissioner Ennen seconded the motion and all members voted aye, motion carried.

Buss presented tax forfeiture land classification issue for approval. Commissioner Wiese motioned to classify parcel 23-0015-000 as non-conservation land. Staples seconded, all members voting aye, motioned carried.

Rebecca Young County Coordinator presented a tax penalty for discussion. Commissioner Wohlers motioned to waive penalties on tax payments dated 5/16/20 for Auditor Treasurer due to COVID as a onetime only. Commissioner Ennen seconded the motion and all members voted aye, motion carried.

Young presented a Joint Powers Agreement from Rainbow Rider for approval. Commissioner Staples motioned to approve JPA as presented. Commissioner Wiese seconded the motion and all members voted aye, motion carried.

Young gave an operational update.

