

February 26, 2013

Commissioners' Conference Room
Vigo County Annex
Terre Haute, Indiana

Roll Call:

Present: Judith Anderson, Brad Anderson and Mike Ciolli.

Absent: None

Others Present: County Attorney Mike Wright, County Auditor Tim Seprodi, Kylissa Miller, Nancy Allsup, Tim Sheehan, Terry Jones, Bill Watson, Dave Dillon, Howard Greninger and John Hilderbrand.

FEMA Buy-out Grant. Mike Wright presented the Board with Amendment #1 to the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program FEMA-DR-1766 for the North application. This Amendment corrects the termination date to April 1, 2014, which is what it should have been instead of April 1, 2013.

Motion: , **Action:** Approve, **Moved by** Brad Anderson, **Seconded by** Mike Ciolli **Passed** all ayes.

Commissioner Judith Anderson asked as to where the other applications were in the process or were they just a mute point now. Terry Jones stated they are looking at other options to fund those areas, the Toad Hop applications did not score high enough with the FEMA regulations. Commissioner Judith Anderson commented that is very frustrating.

Indiana Assessment Services Agreement – Assessor. Mike Wright commented they still need to talk to Debbie Lewis, County Assessor, regarding the Technical Services contract.

Law Enforcement / Beacon. Mike Wright stated he had met with Kylissa Miller and Dave Dillon, from the Auditor's Office last week, regarding the suppression of an individual's information from the Beacon website. The Auditor's office had been contacted by a Correctional officer whom had a threat made against him. Dave Dillon researched and found a bill in legislation that will allow suppression in some instances. Schneider Corporation is equipped to handle these situations. It will not affect the Tax Program, only Beacon, and the owners name will not appear. This is for law enforcement and correctional officers that reside in Vigo County. They will be required to file paperwork with the Auditor's Office explaining where they are employed and the request will need to be renewed annually. The GIS system is a very good thing for Vigo County and don't want to lose the ability of what it was intended to do. The Board of Commissioners has the ability to pass a policy no matter what the State does. Kylissa Miller stated the Auditor's Office would have to submit the parcel numbers to Schneider and they would suppress the information from Beacon. Commissioner Ciolli asked about a regular citizen, Mike Wright stated he believes they should leave that to Court Orders, doesn't think the Commissioners and Auditor should be deciding what is an actual threat. Mike also commented this is just a service being provided and there is no guarantee. Kylissa stated that just because it is not on the Beacon website doesn't mean someone cannot come to a public terminal or building and ask for taxes on a person. Mike Wright is drafting a sample request and will bring it back to the Board.

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Tire Ordinance – Health Department. Commissioner Judith Anderson commented there is nothing new on the Tire Ordinance at this time. Mike Wright commented he is to meet with Joni Wise from the Health Department today at 1:00 p.m.

Convention & Tourism – Discussion. County Auditor Tim Seprodi presented Mike Wright with the information he had requested on Convention & Tourism regarding the amount they have receipted.

- 1/1/12 – 12/31/13 - \$1,224,482.52
- 1/1/13 – 2/26/13 - \$131,618.84

Expenditures. County Auditor Tim Seprodi presented the Board with expenditures for 2/16/13-2/22/13 in the amount of \$414,506.76.

Motion: , **Action:** Approve, **Moved by** Mike Ciolli, **Seconded by** Brad Anderson, **Passed** all ayes.

Minutes 2/21/13. The Board was presented with the Board of Commissioner Minutes for 2/21/13.

Motion: , **Action:** Approve, **Moved by** Brad Anderson, **Seconded by** Mike Ciolli, **Passed** all ayes.

Council Call Requests. Commissioner Judith Anderson when the requests for the April Council Call meeting had to be in. Kylissa Miller stated March 5, 2013.

Assessed Values. John Hilderbrand of the Taxpayers' Association commented that he has spoke with Debbie Lewis and done some research regarding the assessed values for 2012 and has found out the drop in commercial property was due to depreciation, and the depreciation was dropped all in one year. This was a directive given to Assessors from DLGF as they were told to give it all in the year of reassessment.

ATTEST;

Timothy M. Seprodi, Auditor

Judith Anderson, President

Brad Anderson, Secretary

Mike Ciolli, Member