

**JEFFERSON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS**  
**November 27, 2023**

At 8:30 A.M., Chair Drish called the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors to order.

Board members present were: Susie Drish, Chairman; Dee Sandquist, Vice-Chairman; Lee Dimmitt, Supervisor.

Public comments: None.

It was moved by Dimmitt, seconded by Sandquist that the minutes for the November 20, 2023 meeting be acknowledged. All "Aye". Motion carried.

Supervisors met with the County Engineer.

It was moved by Sandquist, seconded by Drish to go ahead with flashing lights at the intersection of 185<sup>th</sup> St. and Highway 1, as DeWayne Heintz suggested. All "Aye". Motion carried.

It was moved by Drish, seconded by Sandquist to hire Austin Roe for the Jefferson County Conservation Board Naturalist position with a starting annual salary of \$47,000. His start day will be November 27, 2023. All "Aye". Motion carried.

It was moved by Dimmitt, seconded by Sandquist that the Board of Supervisors of Jefferson County approve the Jefferson County Conservation Board's pay increase for Ranger Kristin Burnstedt, to \$48,000 per year effective December 1, 2023. All "Aye". Motion carried.

It was moved by Sandquist, seconded by Drish that the following resolution be approved:

**RESOLUTION**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Jefferson County that the property taxes, which normally would be assessed against the following:

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| 06 26 382 903 Pasch, Terri | 2018-2022 | \$705.00 |
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are hereby abated, for the above amount.

Passed and approved this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023.

AYES:  
Susie Drish  
Dee Sandquist  
Lee Dimmitt

NAYS:  
None

ATTEST:  
Scott D. Reneker  
County Auditor

It was moved by Dimmitt, seconded by Sandquist to seek bids for windows at the Public Health building with notice to be run in the newspaper on November 30<sup>th</sup>, bids to be due in the Auditor's Office by December 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 P.M. and decision to be made December 11<sup>th</sup>. All "Aye". Motion carried.

Supervisors discussed a computer purchase for the Board of Health's Environmental Health department.

Supervisors discussed paying for insurance of Rescue #305.

The Board drew lots for City of Packwood's write-in candidate. Matt Guise was selected Council member for a four-year term.

Sandquist gave an update on the broadband project. Dimmitt reported on the new daycare center.

Supervisors met with the Ambulance Director.

It was moved by Sandquist, seconded by Dimmitt to allow the claims in the amount of \$141,540.37 against the county and to direct the county auditor to issue checks against the various funds of the county in payment of the claims allowed. All "Aye". Motion carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Sandquist, seconded by Drish to adjourn. All "Aye". Motion carried.

ATTEST:  
Scott D. Reneker  
County Auditor

Susie Drish, Chairman  
Board of Supervisors