COMMISSIONER'S JOURNAL

Monday Regular April 16, 2018

The Coshocton County Commissioners met in Regular session on Monday April 16, 2018 with, Dane R. Shryock, Mr. D. Curtis Lee and Mr. Gary L. Fischer. Also in attendance was Mr. Ken Smailes, WTNS, Mr. Leonard Hayhurst, The Tribune and Mrs. Mary Beck, Administrator/Clerk.

Approve Minutes

Mr. Shryock made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lee to approve the minutes of the Wednesday, April 11, 2018 meeting as presented.

Vote: Shryock

yea

Lee

yea

Fischer

Abstain

Transfers/Additionals/Reductions

Mr. Lee made a motion, seconded by Mr. Fischer to approve the following Transfers/Additionals/Reductions which have been certified by the County Auditor.

Additional - Sheriff

TO	Cont. Services	FROM	AMOUNT
150-0100-5260.00		Unappropriated Fund Balance	\$2,500.00

Transfer - Soil & Water

060-0100-5450.00 Service Fee	s 060-0100-5210.00	Equipment	\$500.00
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Vote: Shryock yea Lee yea

Fischer yea

Proposal - Bell Equipment Company

Mr. Fischer made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lee to sign a proposal from Bell Equipment in the amount of \$38,805.00 for 30 containers and lids to go with the newly purchased packer truck and was funded by the CFLP Solid Waste District for the Coshocton County Litter and Recycling Prevention Program.

Vote: Shryock yea Lee yea Fischer yea

Guard Tour Systems

Lt. Charles Udischas, and Lt. James Crawford attended the meeting to discuss the Guard Tour System with the Commissioners. Lt. Udischas presented the Commissioners with a presentation on the Guard Tour System. He stated that it is sold by Time Keeping Systems. He explained how the pipe and system would work. Check points can be placed anywhere around the Justice Center. He reviewed the software and the reporting capabilities. The total cost is \$4,795.74. He stated that we could get a reimbursing grant from CORSA for \$2,500. He stated that the main reasons for wanting this system is to keep track of what the officers are doing throughout their shift. It will reduce the need to actually login at each check time as it will automatically be logged through the pipe. Lt. Crawford stated that he feels this is a necessity and not a want. Every time we have an audit this issue of logging checks comes up and this will alleviate those issues. The Commissioners are in agreement with this purchase and will advise Mrs. Schonauer to proceed with payment.

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OSU Tower - 911

Mr. Mike LaVigne, Lt. James Crawford, Mr. Todd Shroyer and Mr. Rusty Dreher attended the meeting to discuss the OSU Tower and some needed repairs. Mr. Shryock asked for an update on these issues. Mr. LaVigne stated that we have some bleed-over issues at the OSU Tower in the Warsaw area. This is affecting the Sheriff's dispatch as well as Walhonding Valley Fire and EMS. We are hearing traffic from West Virginia on our tower at this time. He has been working with Staley's on this issue and they have come up with a plan to determine a way to correct this. Mr. Lee asked if this is paging or communications. Mr. LaVigne stated that it is paging and some communications. Mr. Shroyer stated that his understanding is that the system is so old that it can't be fixed any longer. Mr. Shryock asked if they were sure this would fix the problem. Mr. LaVigne stated that they are not certain this will fix the issue. He has no guarantees from Staley for this. The cost is \$4,269.34. Mr. Dreher stated that we have had similar problems in the past on other towers and it did fix the issue when this was done. The Commissioners stated that they are alright with this fix and utilizing 911 funds to cover it. Mr. Shroyer stated that he really feels that the only way to fix this issue is to go to the MARCS pagers. However, he cannot afford this right now. It would cost him around \$30,000 to do so. He feels that we don't have much more time on the VHF system, possibly 4-5 years before it is narrow banded again. Mr. Lee questioned the need to have a pager if you are at work and already have a MARCS radio in each ambulance. Mr. Shroyer stated that with only one radio in the ambulance, they don't always hear the call. So therefore, they need the pagers to make everyone aware of the call. Mr. LaVigne stated that he can purchase 8 new batteries and do a new test to see if the MARCS pagers will work for us at the EMS. Mr. Dreher is in agreement with this suggestion. The Commissioners asked him to proceed with this test. The Commissioners thanked them for their information.

Meetings Attended

Mr. Shryock and Mr. Lee attended the Crime Victims Luncheon on Thursday, April 12th, Mr. Fischer attended a Veterans Honor Guard Recognition Dinner on Thursday, April 12th.

Adjourn

At 12:00 p.m. Mr. Shryock adjourned the meeting.

Dane R. Shryock

D. Curtis Lee

Gary L. Fischer

Administrator/Clerk