

# **HOUSTON COUNTY**

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# HOUSTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS BOARD MEETING

9:00, September 28, 2021, County Board Room 222, Historic Courthouse

#### **AGENDA**

\*\*\*\*\*The meeting will be accessible to public participants in person or via our conference call line at 312-626-6799 and entering meeting ID: 994 7297 7175 and password 368422. Public attendees are requested to mute their line until addressed.\*\*\*\*

#### CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVE AGENDA

## APPROVE PREVIOUS MINUTES

- -Board Meeting September 14, 2021
- -Workgroup Session September 21, 2021

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

#### **APPOINTMENTS**

9:30 a.m. Presentation MnDOT District 6, 10-year capital highway investment plan (CHIP) for 2022-2031 Southeast Minnesota update.

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

(Routine business items enacted by one unanimous motion. Commissioners may request moving items on the consent agenda to the Action Item list if they desire discussion before taking action.)

- 1) Change Kelly Peterson's job classification from Appraiser Trainee (B22, Step 5) to Certified Minnesota Appraiser B23, Step 3, retroactive to 9/21/2021. (Kruger)
- 2) Accept the resignation of Jason Leahy, Highway Maintenance Specialist, effective September 30, 2021. Thank Jason Leahy for his 15 years of service to the residents of Houston County. (Kruger)
- 3) Initiate a competitive search for a Highway Maintenance Specialist. (Kruger)
- 4) Hire Tara Kowalke, Children's Services Lead Social Worker, C42 Step 8, effective November 1, 2021 conditioned upon successful background check. (Kruger)

## **ACTION ITEMS**

- 1) Consider approving Resolution No. 21-42 Resolution Approving State of Minnesota Joint Powers Agreements with the County of Houston on Behalf of its Attorney and Sheriff. (Swedberg, Jandt)
- 2) Consider approving Court Data Services Subscriber Amendment to CJDN Subscriber Agreement and authorizing signatures. (Swedberg, Jandt)
- 3) Consider approving State of Minnesota Joing Powers Agreement and authorizing signatures. (Swedberg, Jandt)
- 4) Consider abatement approval for Josewski parcel No. 11.0001.000. (Onstad)
- 5) Consider approving Resolution No. 21-43 Final Acceptance of Contract #315-Fahrner Asphalt Sealers, LLC completes CP 2021-04 crackfilling for a total cost of \$21,751.09. (Pogodzinski)
- 6) Consider approving Resolution 21-44 to approve the 2021 Prioritized Bridge Replacement List. (Pogodzinski)
- 7) Consider approving grant agreement and Resolution No. 21-45 Authorization to Execute Minnesota Department of Transportation Grant Agreement for Airport Improvement Excluding Land Acquisition. (Federal funds for culvert lining.) (Pogodzinski)
- 8) Consider approving furniture request proposals for the purchase of desks, chairs and shelving for the new highway facility. (Pogodzinksi)
- 9) Consider approving Highway Facility Change Order Requests 15-17 and 19-21. (Pogodzinski)
- 10) Consider approving purchase of a John Deere 644P Wheel Loader. (Pogodzinski)
- 11) Consider approving request to have Wieser's Law Office assist with airport land acquisition. (Pogodzinski)
- 12) Consider approving Resolution No. 21-46 Final Acceptance of Contract #317-AAA Striping Service Co. Contract #317 AAA Stripping Service Co. Contract #317 completes CP 2021-05 Pavement Marking for a total cost of \$175,743.92. (Pogodzinski)
- 13) Consider approving SCORE grant agreement and authorizing signatures. (Meiners)
- 14) Consider rescinding motion made on 7-27-2021 approving a \$50.00 payment to each County staff person for County Staff Appreciation Day.
- 15) Consider purchasing new copy machine for the Sheriff's office. (Milde)
- 16) Consider adopting the 2022 Preliminary Levy and 2022 Preliminary Budget. (Lapham)

# **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

- 1) Board Updates (Board Chairman)
- 2) Commissioner Reports and Comments

#### CLOSING PUBLIC COMMENT

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**REMINDERS**