

**Bayfield County Board of Supervisors**  
**Sheriff's, Emergency Government, Veterans and Child Support Committee**  
**August 19, 2019 Meeting Minutes**

**Members Present:** Jeremy Oswald, Dennis Pocerlich, Jeff Silbert, Larry Fickbohm (4:06pm)

**Others Present:** Jen Osmak-Child Support Services, Kathleen Haiden-Jail Captain, Deb Milanowski-Sheriff's Office

Meeting called to order at 4:03 pm by Chairman Oswald

**Public Comment:** None.

**Approval of Minutes:** *Motion by Silbert, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Pocerlich to approve the June 17, 2019 and July 15, 2019 minutes. Motion carried (3-0)*

**Child Support Services-Jen Osmak**

Reviewed the 2020 budget. Overall budgeted expenses will be \$250,302 and the projected revenue will be \$219,577. Review of the responsibilities of the Child Support Office. 2019 Accomplishments include:

1. Collecting 1.7 million in child support for families
2. For 2019, 1.11 million through July
3. Up about 100 cases in 2019 from 2018

Goals for 2020 are:

1. Continue to enforce and collect money
2. Satellite offices in Cable and Iron River
3. Continue to work with other partners such as DVR, Northlakes, etc.
4. Continue to work with UW-Extension on co-parenting classes
5. Have all files scanned into Laserfiche
6. Continue to reach performance levels

*Motion to recommend approval of the Child Support 2020 budget to the Executive Committee by Silbert, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Fickbohm. Motion carried (4-0)*

**Emergency Management-Jan Victorson**

There is a Cyber Workshop coming up in October and Jan will send this out to all local jurisdictions. Currently working on the EMPG and EPCRA grants which are due at the end of this month. Will be doing preparedness presentations at the schools and NGLVC. Update on Roy Hitchcock. Due to some health issues, he can no longer pound the address posts into the ground. Jan has looked to the crews for the individual towns for help in this. Review of the 2020 Budget for Emergency Management. Revenues projected to be at \$107,00. This may increase depending upon some pending rentals. Expenses projected at \$304,772.

*Motion to accept budget as presented and recommend approval to the Executive Committee by Fickboh, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Silbert. Motion carried (4-0)*

Resolution for a budget amendment for a computer in emergency management in 2019.

*Motion to recommend to the County Board by Pocernich, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Fickbohm. Motion passed (4-0)*

Resolution for September Natural Preparedness Month.

*Motion to approve this resolution to County Board by Silbert, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Fickbohm. Motion carried (4-0)*

**Sheriff's Office**

Boarding revenue is down this year. Cpt. Haiden provided a general overview of her budget for the Jail. Discussed the money spent on employees that end up leaving. There is a real issue with getting and retaining jailers. Currently down 2 full time jailers so she is using the temporary jailers more to cover the shifts. Cpt. has reached out to Burnett County and offered 2 rides a month for us to pick up and drop off inmates to be boarded.

**Other Committee Concerns:** The Tribal Law Enforcement Agreement with Red Cliff is still a concern and something we need to be proactive about. Jeremy will reach out to the Sheriff and see if he has been able to meet with Red Cliff regarding this agreement.

**Future Agenda Items:** None

**Next meeting date is September 16, 2019 at 4:00 pm in the EOC. Meeting adjourned at: 5:38 p.m.**

Minutes submitted by Deb Milanowski Minutes approved on: 9/16 @ 4:05pm