

LINCOLN COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes of December 14, 2011 7:30 a.m.
Safety Building
Lower Level Conference Room

MEMBERS PRESENT: Bob Lee, Ron Krueger, Ron Mittelsteadt, Dan Caylor, Bruce Giese

ABSENT:

VISITORS: Paul Proulx, Tracy Lambrecht, Diane Hanson, Sheriff Jeff Jaeger, Dave Manninen, Steve McCarthy, Nathan Walrath.

OPEN MEETING

1. **Call to Order:** Meeting was called to order at 7:30 a.m.

2. **Approval of previous meeting minutes:** Motion by Giese, Second by Krueger to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as printed. Unanimous. Carried.

3. **LSS Update:** Tracy Lambrecht distributed and briefly went over her report at the meeting. A copy of the report was not provided for the record. Committee had no questions, and a motion by Caylor, Second by Krueger to place on file. Unanimous. Carried.

4. **Coroner's Report:** Paul Proulx distributed his report during the meeting and briefly went over it. There were 16 deaths for the month and 1 autopsy.
 - A. **Increasing Coroner Fees:** Mr. Proulx stated that he would like to raise cremation fees in Lincoln County to \$100.00 which is more comparable with other counties. As an example, Marathon County charges \$175.00.

Motion by Caylor, Second by Mittelsteadt to increase cremation fees to \$100.00 and place report on file. Unanimous. Carried.

5. **Sheriff's Statistical Report:**
 - A. Mr. Lee had a question as to why a seized vehicle was listed twice on the vendor list. Half the revenue generated from the sale, was distributed to the Board of Public Lands and the remaining balance was distributed to the seizure fund. Committee had no further questions and a motion was made by Caylor, second by Krueger to place report(s) on file. Unanimous. Carried.

B. Recreational Officer Activity Report: Committee noted that the Recreational Officer assisted Langlade County with a drowning last month. No other question on report and a motion was made by Caylor and second by Krueger to place on file.

C. 9-1-1 Supervisor's Report: IT Department has been assisting with updating of equipment and everything has been functioning smoothly. Report was placed on file.

- 6. Jail Alternatives for 2012:** The Sheriff requested that this issue be laid over to next month's meeting. He explained that it has been difficult to meet with both judges to examine this further and determine what they expect.

The Sheriff said that he will take over the electronic monitoring of inmates. He also withdrew the LTE positions.

However, since the day reporting does not deal with inmates, but rather people out on bond, this budget line should be moved to the Courts. Sheriff stated that this should be discussed with the courts to get their input on what they expect from the program.

Mr. Mittelsteadt said that he would like to continue with Lutheran Social Services in the meantime and look at all options and he made a motion to that affect, which was seconded by Caylor. But after further discussion, the motion and second were withdrawn.

A motion was then made by Mr. Giese with a second by Mittelsteadt to lay over to the January meeting to discuss moving day reporting and expenses to the EMS/Judicial committee. Unanimous. Carried.

- 7. LTE positions approval:** Withdrawn by Sheriff.

- 8. 2012 Squad Replacements:** 5 replacement squads have been budgeted, however, it was determined that only 3 needed to be replaced. But in 2013 we would then need to replace 7 versus 5. Mr. Lee suggested splitting the purchase by ordering the other 2 in December for delivery in 2013.

- 9. Jail Maintenance Update:** DVR system is now installed and will go live around 1 p.m. today (this is the jail visitation recording system). Sheriff also commended Miron Construction for their assistance in having this issue corrected by the vendor.

A. Kitchen cooling update: Nothing to report.

- 10. Schedule next regular meeting:** Next regular meeting scheduled for January 11, 2012 at 7:30 a.m., Lincoln County Safety Building, Lower Level Conference Room.
- 11. Adjournment:** Motion by Caylor, second by Krueger. Unanimous. Carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:25 a.m.

Approved for publication by Sheriff Jaeger on 12/14/11 at 2:56 p.m.