

LINCOLN COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE

Meeting Minutes of June 11, 2014 7:30 a.m.

Lincoln County Safety Building

Lower Level Conference Room

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Bob Lee, Bill Zeitz, Dan Caylor, Mike Loka

**MEMBERS ABSENT & EXCUSED:** Ryan Schwartzman

**VISITORS:** Sheriff Jeff Jaeger, Chief Deputy Nathan Walrath, Coroner Paul Proulx, Diane Hanson and Diane Wessel.

**OPEN MEETING**

1. **Call Meeting to Order:** Meeting was called to order at 7:30 a.m.
  - A. Roll call of members present.
  - B. Visitors welcomed.
  
2. **Approval of previous meeting minutes:** Motion by Caylor, Second by Zeitz to approve the minutes of May 14, 2014 as printed. Unanimous. Motion carried.
  
3. **Coroner's report:** Coroner submitted his April and May reports during the meeting and went over them. (Copies were provided for the record). He commented that there seemed to be an increase in suicides. Motion by Caylor, Second by Zeitz to put Coroner's Reports on file. Unanimous. Motion carried.
  
4. **Sheriff's Statistical Report:** Committee had no questions.
  - A. **Expense Budget, Revenue Budget and Vendor List:** Mr. Zeitz had a question about one item under the Vendor List. Chief Walrath explained.
  - B. **Recreational Officer Activity Report:** Committee had no questions.
  - C. **9-1-1 Supervisor's report:** Committee had no questions.
  
5. **Proposed 2015 Budget:** Motion by Caylor, Second by Loka to approve and forward for Finance. Unanimous. Motion carried.

**6 & 7 both go together (the use of deputy sheriffs requested by Land Services Department and Enforcement of Environmental Policy):** Mr. Zeitz said he was contacted by a Mr. Ruechel on Lake Nokomis who had concerns because a law enforcement officer accompanied an employee of the Land Services Department. Diane Wessel explained the situation to the committee.

**8. Update on DNA Testing:** Mr. Zeitz said that more information is being gathered on this issue and he would like this kept on the agenda.

**9. Schedule next regular meeting:** Next regular meeting scheduled for Wednesday, July 9, 2014 at 7:30 a.m. location: Lincoln County Safety Building, Lower Level Conference Room.

**10. Adjournment:** Motion by Caylor, Second by Lee to adjourn. Unanimous. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 0745 a.m.