# KENOSHA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY BOARD CHAMBERS COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

## June 2, 2015

The **Regular Meeting** was called to order by Chairman Kubicki at 7:30 p.m., in the County Board Room located in the Administration Building.

Roll call was taken.

Present: Supervisors Grady, Rose, Gentz, Goebel, Dodge, Kubicki, Hallmon, R. Johnson, O'Day, Arrington, R. Frederick, Blough, Kohlmeier, B. Frederick, Retzlaff, Esposito, A. Johnson, Skalitzky, Poole, Breunig, Decker, Elverman.

Excused: Supervisors Noble.

Present: 22. Excused: 1.

At this time, Chairman Kubicki and Vice-chair Breunig presented Wilmot Union High School Academic Decathlon Team a Proclamation for recognition of capturing the 2015 Division II United States Academic Decathlon Championship at a 3 day event in California.

## **CITIZEN COMMENTS -7:40 PM\***

Dan Campion, 11303 232<sup>nd</sup> Ave, stated he is a Town Supervisor for the Town of Salem. He updated the board on things going on in Salem and thanked the board for pushing forward with Salem the agreement with KABA to have the Salem Business Park on Hwy C.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE CHAIRMAN -7: 41PM\*

Chairman Kubicki welcomed YIG member Ashley Dabbs who is in attendance at the meeting. He also congratulated Corporation Counsel Bernie Vash on is retirement after 33 years of distinguished service.

# **SUPERVISOR REPORTS - 7:42 PM\***

Supervisor Elverman stated he is a proud graduate of Wilmot High School and commented on the phenomenal job the Wilmot Academic Decathlon Team achieved. The rail road crossing on Hwy S (hwy 142) near the freeway will be having some long awaited improvement work done. Grants have been submitted for the KD park. They are looking to enhance the bike trails, parking, handicap fishing pier and a boat launch for our first responders to practice. The supervisor of the Parks Dept. and the supervisor of the Highway Dept. both have retirements on the horizon. As it was put into the budget and the board voted on it, they will hire new people to work with them and to learn the procedures and to avoid a last minute situation. The plans at Brookside are progressing and on schedule. Golf has done well the last 3 years. Work crew has performed on average12,920 hours. The golf course has gotten rave reviews. It would take 8 employees costing \$175,000 to duplicate that. The Hwy E bridge which has been there since 1920 will be replaced and the speed limit will be reduced to 40 mph.

# **OLD BUSINESS**

Resolution - one reading

7. From Public Works/Facilities Committee a Resolution Recognizing Bike to Work Week.

It was moved by Supervisor Blough to adopt Resolution 7. Seconded by Supervisor Elverman.

Motion carried.

## SUPERVISOR COMMENTS

Supervisor Hallmon spoke regarding racial discrimination against African-Americans in Kenosha County. He relayed some situations he's personally been involved in and hopes as a County Board they can make some change and he will bring forth resolutions this summer.

It was moved by Supervisor Rose to approve the June 2, 2015 minutes. Seconded by Supervisor Skalitzky.

It was moved by Supervisor Rose to Adjourn. Seconded by Supervisor Dodge.

Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:14 p.m.

Prepared by: Edie LaMothe, Deputy Clerk Submitted by: Mary Schuch-Krebs, County Clerk

<sup>\*</sup>time stamps reflect the County Board video recording at www.kenoshacounty.org