

## COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

Regular Meeting  
Adams County Services Building, Othello

September 14, 2005  
(Wednesday)

### Call to Order @ 9:00 a.m.

#### Present:

Chairman Jeffrey W. Stevens  
Vice-Chairman Roger L. Hartwig  
Commissioner Rudy Plager

#### Emergency Management

Commissioner Plager moved, Hartwig seconded, to *authorize the Chairman to sign Contract E06-059 between the Washington State Military Department and Adams County in the amount of \$125,990 for the purchase of equipment for local emergency responders; to authorize the Chairman to sign the Debarment Certification Form; and, to authorize the Chairman and Vice-Chairman to sign the Signature Authorization Form.*

**Motion carried.** These funds will be applied to the final costs for the radio equipment upgrade.

#### Adams County Fair

Adams County Fair President Merritt Johnson provided an update on the status of the well at the fairgrounds and presented the billing received from Lad Irrigation for the repairs. The Board **by consensus authorized payment of the bill to Lad Irrigation from the Current Expense Fund.**

#### Othello Rodeo Association

The Board requested President Johnson to begin discussions with the Othello Rodeo Association for payment by that organization for water usage. A formal contract will be drafted in the near future. The Rodeo Association grounds are already metered.

#### Integrated Health Care Services

Commissioner Plager moved, Hartwig seconded, to *authorize the Chairman to sign the 2005-2007 Consolidated Contract between the*

*Washington State Department of Health and the Adams County Health Department, Contract Number 13023, Amendment #4, that increases the contract by \$6,234 for infant/toddler, immunizations, and WIC programs as well as correcting the time periods for the Tobacco accounts. **Motion carried.***

Commissioner Hartwig moved, Plager seconded, to *authorize the Chairman to sign the 2005-2007 Contract between Adams County and DSHS Medical Assistance Administration, Contract #0563-74797, a fee for service contract in the amount of \$55,000. **Motion carried.***

Commissioner Plager moved, Hartwig seconded, to *authorize the Chairman to sign the Contract between Community Counseling Services and the Adams County Community Network to provide the parenting program (Strengthening Families) in the Othello area in the amount of \$10,000. **Motion carried.***

Commissioner Hartwig moved, Plager seconded, to *authorize the Chairman to sign the Contract between Community Counseling Services and the Ritzville Police Department to provide \$4,259 for the D.A.R.E. program in Ritzville and Lind. **Motion carried.***

Commissioner Plager moved, Hartwig seconded, to *authorize the Chairman to sign the Professional Services Contract between Community Counseling Services and the Othello Hospital to provide detox services for Adams County residents effective July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2007 at the flat rate of \$20,000. **Motion carried.***

### **Animals in County Buildings**

Following several complaints regarding animals in the courthouse, the Board requested Public Works to post signs in all the county public buildings restricting animals to "service animals only".

### **County Public Services Building**

A site visit was conducted at the currently under construction County Public Services Building in Othello.

### **Adjournment @ 12:00**

Submitted:  
s/Linda Reimer, MMC

Clerk of the Board

Edited and Approved:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
ADAMS COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
s/Jeffrey W. Stevens, Chairman  
s/Roger L. Hartwig, Vice-Chairman  
s/Rudy Plager, Commissioner