

## COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

Regular Meeting  
Adams County Courthouse  
Ritzville, Washington

April 3, 2013  
(Wednesday)

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

**Present:**

Chairman Roger L. Hartwig  
Vice-Chairman Jeffrey W. Stevens  
Commissioner John N. Marshall

[9:03:14 AM](#)

**Communications System P25 Narrowband – Phase 2**

Sheriff Barger and Emergency Coordinator Weise responded to questions from the Board regarding the recent document received from Day Wireless outlining the scope of services, tasks, and budget for the proposed implementation plan for updating the communication system to a digital 'public safety grade' standard.

Phase 1 has already been completed wherein field radios were converted to FCC mandated narrowband operation; and, wherein the radio operations were converted from analog to digital.

Options for handling some of the estimated as well as long term costs were discussed – other entities benefitting from radio services sharing in the cost and the 'equitable basis' that the county could use to compute those charges; reducing some costs of the project (equipment, site prep, gravel) by utilizing county resources; high estimated cost of the generators; and, establishing a reserve fund for any future upgrades/replacements of the system. The Lind paging system was ranked as the #1 priority.

The Board will continue to review the proposal and will forward any specific questions to Jay Weise.

[9:58:20 AM](#)

**Adjournment @ 12:00**

Submitted:  
s/Linda Reimer, MMC  
Clerk of the Board

Edited and Approved:

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