

PETROLEUM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Regular Meeting Minutes

March 4, 2024

Petroleum County Courthouse
302 E. Main – Winnett, Montana

Commissioner's Present:

Chairman: Sigrid Pugrud
Commissioner: Craig Iverson
Commissioner: Paul McKenna

Staff Present:

Clerk: Jess Hoge
Treasurer: Pam Bevis
Road Crew: Ray Rowton
Sheriff/DES: Bill Cassell
County Atty: Diane Cochran

Guest: Vince and Justin Murnion

- Meeting called to order at 9:00 a.m. with the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Craig made a motion to approve the agenda with added discussion, Paul seconded the motion. Motion carried.
- Craig moved to approve the February 20, 2024 meeting minutes with corrections, Paul seconded motion. Motion carried.

Correspondence: CAT Invitation dinner.

Public Comment: Vince and Justin Murnion came in with Old Cat Creek Rd maintenance issues, needing some gravel hauled. Vince also commented about some culverts that are filled in and water is going over the road. Ohio Wells Rd also has a culvert not placed in the correct spot. Ray noted all concerns and once the ground is not frozen, they can work on the projects.

Road Department- Ray Rowton

- Ray reports the purchase of Bevis's backhoe is complete. They have done a complete service on the backhoe.
- Still waiting for the Volvo part (pin).
- Kenworth semi is in Billings getting worked on. Should be done in a week.
- Gravel testing for the main street project has begun. Thank you to Dave Harris for your tenacious effort in getting the main street sides corrected.
- Ray reports he is still waiting on portable welder prices.