

COMMISSIONER'S MEETING
March 12, 2012

The Bartholomew County Commissioners met in regular session on March 12, 2012 in the Governmental Office Building, 440 Third Street, Columbus, Indiana. Chairman Larry Kleinhenz called the meeting to order at 10:00 am. Commissioner Carl Lienhoop, Commissioner Paul Franke, Auditor Barbara J. Hackman, and County Attorney J. Grant Tucker were also in attendance. Emergency Operations E911 Director Ed Reuter gave the Invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Next, the minutes of the March 5, 2012 meeting were approved unanimously on a motion by Commissioner Lienhoop and seconded by Commissioner Franke.

The Voucher Claims were presented for approval. Commissioner Franke made a motion to approve the Voucher Claims. Commissioner Lienhoop seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, Chairman Kleinhenz read the New Permits Report from 3/05/2012 to 3/09/2012. Twenty-six (26) building permits were issued with a fee amount of \$2,970.00 and a valuation amount of \$1,782,346.00. Commissioner Lienhoop mentioned that Bartholomew County resident Mike Lovelace asked the Commissioners about the new permits report from last week. Mr. Lovelace asked why a permit to build a garage cost half as much as a permit issued to Cummins for the construction of a building that is 12,000 square feet. The garage permit cost the homeowner \$350.00, and Cummins was charged \$662.00 for the \$4,000,000.00 construction that was 12,000 square feet.

Commissioner Lienhoop explained that the base cost of the building permit is \$250.00 but there is an additional cost of 7¢ per square foot. Chairman Kleinhenz said the Commissioners need to review the fee schedule at some point.

County Highway Engineer Danny Hollander presented the Commissioners with a Notice to Bidders for Bridge #45 located on 425 North just east of 800 East. The bids will be opened at the Commissioners' Meeting on Monday, April 9, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. The title sheet for Bridge #45 was signed at the Commissioners' meeting last week. Commissioner Franke made a motion to approve the Notice to Bidder for Bridge #45. Commissioner Lienhoop seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, Engineer Hollander presented the Commissioners with the Weekly Crew Report. Last week the Highway Crew, patched roads, put up signs, mowed in Wayne Township, ditched and put in a pipe on Stafford Road, ditched on 830 South and 930 South, cut trees on 930 South, 525 South, Carr Hill Road, and 500 West, ground stumps on 200 South. Chairman Kleinhenz mentioned that three (3) County Highway employees have been driving down to southeastern Indiana to help with the areas damaged from recent tornadoes.

Highway Superintendent Dwight Smith said that three (3) Highway Crew members, Tracy Curry, Jeff Sims, and C.W. McKittrick took down two (2) trucks and one (1) Bobcat with grappling hooks on it down to the disaster areas. They worked Monday through Saturday last week on the outskirts of Henryville and have been loading

and hauling six (6) to seven (7) truckloads of tree debris. It takes approximately forty-five (45) minutes to drive to where the debris is then dumped.

Today, Highway Crew members Grant Arnett, Dave Moore, and Tracy Curry drove down to Henryville to continue helping where they were needed. Mr. Curry went down to familiarize the Highway Crew members with area, show them where to check in, etc. Mr. Dave Barnett will take Tracy Curry's place beginning tomorrow. The Highway Crew is given a location each morning where they need to work that day.

Chairman Kleinhenz asked how long Mr. Smith suggests that we send Highway Crew workers to this area to help out. Mr. Smith said it would be fine for our Highway Crew workers to work down there another two (2) to three (3) weeks.

Superintendent Smith said the three (3) Highway Crew members leave Columbus, Indiana around 5:30 a.m. in order to arrive at the Highway Garage near Henryville by 7:00 a.m. to get their work orders for the day. The crew leaves Henryville around 5:00 p.m. to get back to Columbus around 7:00 p.m. each night. One (1) truck and the highway equipment are left down there, so the only thing brought back each evening is one (1) truck. The Henryville Highway Garage lets the crew use their fuel while they are there working. Chairman Kleinhenz asked Superintendent Smith to keep track of the hours worked by the crew because there could be a FEMA reimbursement that Bartholomew County could apply for to be reimbursed for the overtime worked.

QMIX News Director Jon Schade asked if the Highway Crew is being paid by Bartholomew County. Chairman Kleinhenz said yes, the Highway Crew employees are

full-time County employees that are paid eight (8) hours at their normal pay rate, but anytime they work over their eight (8) hours they are paid overtime. Commissioner Franke mentioned that Bartholomew County received help from numerous counties during the Flood of 2008, so this is the least the County can do to help those that have suffered so much loss and devastation from the tornadoes that went through. Engineer Hollander added that working extra hours in the Henryville area will not hurt the overtime money the Highway has because this has been a light winter for snow, so not much overtime has been worked so far.

Next, Emergency Operations Center E911 Director Ed Reuter presented the Commissioners with the Consideration of an Updated Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Bartholomew County 911 Board and Bartholomew County Emergency Operations Center. Director Reuter said that the 911 Board must consist of at least fifty-one percent (51%) law enforcement members as required by the Indiana Data and Communications System (IDACS) in order to have management control over the IDAC system. The MOU was updated due to the changes in the City Government and new Department Heads. There have been no verbiage changes other than the name changes.

Chairman Kleinhenz said the 911 Board is a five (5) person board that consists of: the Bartholomew County Sheriff, Columbus Police Chief, Hope Police Chief, Columbus Fire Chief, and the Bartholomew County Fire Chief Association President. The 911 Board is able to change the policy, delivery of 911 services, etc. Chairman Kleinhenz

made a motion to approve the update MOU. Commissioner Franke seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, E911 Director Ed Reuter presented the Commissioners with the Consideration of a Letter of Request for assistance from the Bartholomew County Surveyor's Office in determining the exact locations of fire hydrants located outside the city limits of Columbus. Members of the Volunteer Fire Departments have also agreed to assist with this project by providing preliminary information of each hydrant location in their respective townships. The Surveyor's Office would then determine pin point accuracy of the hydrants and add this information to the Emergency Operations Center GIS mapping system which would greatly assist responding fire departments and save valuable time in suppressing fires.

Commissioner Franke asked if there would be an issue of possibly collapsing the waterline due to excessive pressure when filling tankers from these hydrants. Chairman Kleinhenz asked Director Reuter to research this fact to ensure the waterlines will not collapse. Commissioner Franke made a motion to approve signing this letter requesting the assistance of the Surveyor's Office to accurately pin point the hydrants in the townships. Commissioner Lienhoop seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Finally, Director Reuter wanted to give the Commissioners an update on the legislative bill SB345 addressing an increase in 911 fees for wire-line phones, wireless phones, and prepaid phones. Director Reuter said that numerous people have been instrumental the last several years to bring parity to the 911 fees collected. SB345 was

recently passed and will decrease the 911 fees collected from wire-line phones to 90¢ from a previous fee of \$1.84, increase the fees collected from wireless phones to 90¢ from a previous fee of 50¢, and finally increase the fees collected from pre-paid phones to 50¢ from a previous fee of 25¢. This will become effective on July 1, 2012.

The State of Indiana will receive all of the 911 revenues collected and divide it amongst the counties based on an average of the 911 revenues that each county has collected over the last three (3) years, as well as the population of each county. Any new money collected from the 911 fees will also be divided amongst the counties. This increase will help stabilize the 911 budgets. Therefore, each county will receive a set amount of 911 fee money each month and will know what their 911 budgets are. The Wireless Board will have some new members sitting on this board, so there will be more local government represented for both the City and County.

Director Reuter said that what they have to watch is that three (3) out of five (5) phones are prepaid devices, so they will have to make sure enough money is collected to ensure they do not get into the same situation they were in. Also, the State statute allows the Wireless Board to increase the 911 fees collected up to 10¢ on each type of device per year. Commissioner Franke mentioned that the statute mandates that each county can have no more than two (2) PSAPs (Public Safety Access Points) per county. The 911 fees collected cannot be used to build new emergency operation centers, but can only be used to pay for operational expenses. Director Reuter said that the local control of the 911 fee money is also controlled by State statute.

Next, Bartholomew County Treasurer Pia O'Connor came before the Commissioners with the Consideration of the 2nd Reading of an Ordinance Authorizing Electronic Transmission of Statements and Other Information for Property Taxes and Special Assessments. Chairman Kleinhenz mentioned that this Ordinance was passed on 1st Reading at the Commissioners' meeting last Monday. Treasurer O'Connor said this Ordinance will allow taxpayers to sign-up for e-billing via email which will save the County money on printing tax bills, envelopes, postage, etc. Chairman Kleinhenz opened a Public Hearing. Hearing no further comments, Chairman Kleinhenz closed the Public Hearing. The Ordinance is as follows.

ORDINANCE
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY, INDIANA
ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION OF
STATEMENTS AND OTHER
INFORMATION FOR PROPERTY TAXES AND SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

WHEREAS, IC 6-1.1-22-8.1 permits a county legislative body to adopt an ordinance to authorize the electronic transmission of statements and other information for property taxes and special assessments first due and payable after 2009.

WHEREAS, IC 6-1.1-22-8.1 permits, upon the adoption of an authorizing ordinance by the county legislative body, a person to direct the county treasurer and county auditor to transmit the following to the person by electronic mail: (1) a statement that would otherwise be sent by the county treasurer to the person by regular mail under IC 6-1.1-22-8.1(a)(1), including a statement that reflects installment payment due dates under IC 6-1.1-22-9.5 or IC 6-1.1-22-9.7; (2) a provisional tax statement that would otherwise be sent by the county treasurer to the person by regular mail under IC 6-1.1-22.5-6; (3) a reconciling tax statement that would otherwise be sent by the county treasurer to the person by regular mail under any of the following: (A) IC 6-1.1-22-9, (B) IC 6-1.1-22-9.7, (C) IC 6-1.1-22.5-12, including a statement that reflects installment payment due dates under IC 6-1.1-22.5-18.5; (4) a statement that would otherwise be sent by the county auditor to the person by regular mail under IC 6-1.1-17-3(b); (5) any other

information that: (A) concerns the property taxes or special assessments, and (B) would otherwise be sent: (i) by the county treasurer or the county auditor to the person by regular mail; and (ii) before the last date the property taxes or special assessments may be paid without becoming delinquent.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Bartholomew County (“County”) desires to authorize the electronic transmission of statements and other information for property taxes and special assessments first due and payable after 2011 and to authorize a County taxpayer to direct the County Treasurer and County Auditor to transmit to the County taxpayer by electronic mail any and all of the items identified *supra*, recital paragraph two.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

1. The County hereby *authorizes* the electronic transmission of statements and other information for property taxes and special assessments first due and payable after 2011.
2. The County hereby authorizes each County taxpayer (hereafter the “person”) to direct the County Treasurer and County Auditor to transmit the following to the person by electronic mail and as applicable: (1) a statement that would otherwise be sent by the County Treasurer to the person by regular mail under IC 6-1.1-22-8.1(a)(1), including a statement that reflects installment payment due dates under IC 6-1.1-22-9.5 or IC 6-1.1-22-9.7; (2) a provisional tax statement that would otherwise be sent by the County Treasurer to the person by regular mail under IC 6-1.1-22.5-6; (3) a reconciling tax statement that would otherwise be sent by the County Treasurer to the person by regular mail under any of the following: (A) IC 6-1.1-22-9, (B) IC 6-1.1-22-9.7, (C) IC 6-1.1-22.5-12, including a statement that reflects installment payment due dates under IC 6-1.1-22.5-18.5; (4) a statement that would otherwise be sent by the County Auditor to the person by regular mail under IC 6-1.1-17-3(b); (5) any other information that: (A) concerns the property taxes or special assessments, and (B) would otherwise be sent: (i) by the County Treasurer or the County Auditor to the person by regular mail; and (ii) before the last date the property taxes or special assessments may be paid without becoming delinquent.
3. This ordinance takes effect with the **(select first or second)** installment of property taxes of **(select tax billing year for ordinance to be effective)** and shall continue indefinitely.

4. Notice shall be given to County taxpayers of the option to direct electronic transmission of statements and of other information for property taxes and special assessments in compliance with all applicable statutory provisions.
5. The County Treasurer and County Auditor shall have the authority to electronically submit to County taxpayers their statements and other information for property taxes and special assessments first due and payable after 2011.
6. The County Auditor and County Treasurer are authorized to negotiate and execute a contract with a provider to obtain such administrative, technical, clerical and related services (“E-Billing Services”) in order to implement a program for the electronic transmission of statements and other information for property taxes and special assessments.
7. The E-Billing Services contract shall provide for the delivery of such services by a contractor in compliance with all applicable statutory provisions for the electronic transmission of statements and other information for property taxes and special assessments. The E-Billing Services contract shall also provide for the payment of fee(s) for each parcel that a county taxpayer elects to participate in the electronic transmission of statements and other information for property taxes and special assessments.

Passed this 5th day of March, 2012.

BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY, INDIANA, by and through
the Board of Commissioners

S/s Larry S. Kleinhenz
President

S/s Carl H. Lienhoop
Commissioner

S/s Paul Franke
Commissioner

Attest: S/s Barbara J. Hackman
Auditor of Bartholomew County

Passed this 12th day of March, 2012.

BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY, INDIANA, by and through
the Board of Commissioners

S/s Larry S. Kleinhenz
President

S/s Carl H. Lienhoop
Commissioner

S/s Paul Franke
Commissioner

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Commissioner Lienhoop made a motion to approve on 2nd Reading the Ordinance authorizing electronic transmission of statements and other information for property taxes and special assessments. Commissioner Franke seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, Treasurer O'Connor presented the Commissioners with a Collection Agreement with Eagle Accounts Group. Ms. O'Connor said this agreement will allow the Eagles Accounts Group to collect tax money owed from the personal property taxpayers that are delinquent. Ms. O'Connor said that the Treasurer's Office will continue to pursue all of the avenues that are currently being used. For example, if a personal property taxpayer does not pay their taxes, then the Treasurer's Office sends out a letter. If the tax bill is still not paid, then County Attorney J. Grant Tucker takes those taxpayers to court to collect the money that is owed. After all of the resources have been

exhausted, then the delinquent personal property taxpayer will be turned over to the Eagle Accounts Group to find those taxpayers and to collect the money that is due. County Attorney J. Grant Tucker said that the Eagle Account Group does charge a hefty percentage of what is collected that is added onto the taxes and penalties that are already incurred. Attorney Tucker said that the media needs to help inform the community that if the personal property taxes are unpaid, then those taxpayers will be turned over to the collection agency and a hefty fee will be added on to the amount of taxes that are due. Attorney Tucker mentioned this is for unpaid personal property taxes not real estate property taxes. Ms. O'Connor said the majority of the personal property taxes that are unpaid are taxpayers who own mobile homes.

Bartholomew County resident Mike Lovelace asked who the Eagle Accounts Group is. Ms. O'Connor said that the Eagle Accounts Group is a collection agency and is used by the Bartholomew County Clerk's Office. Mr. Lovelace asked if it is a local company. Attorney Tucker said it is not a local company, but it is a collection agency that does this kind of work for governmental agencies. Ms. O'Connor said they are located in Indiana. Attorney Tucker said the Eagle Accounts Group is used to collect the docket fee that goes to the Clerk's Office for maintaining the support ledger. Bartholomew County resident John Dishinger asked how long this agreement with Eagle Accounts Group is for. Chairman Kleinhenz said this agreement is for one (1) year. Commissioner Lienhoop made a motion to sign the agreement with Eagle Accounts Group. Commissioner Franke seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, Chairman Kleinhenz presented the Treasurer's Monthly Report for February 2012 for approval. Finding the report in order, Chairman Kleinhenz motioned to approve the February 2012 Treasurer's Monthly Report. Commissioner Lienhoop seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, the Commissioners discussed the Consideration of an E-Billing Services Agreement with SRI Consulting Services. Chairman Kleinhenz said that emailing one (1) tax bill to an email address will cost 40¢, two (2) tax bills sent to an email address will cost 60¢, three (3) tax bills sent to an email address will cost 80¢, four (4) to six (6) tax bills sent to an email address will cost \$1.00, etc. The cost for the e-billing will be paid by the County, but will be cheaper than sending them through the mail. Ms. O'Connor said that even if a taxpayer is escrowed, the County still has to send those taxpayers a TS-1 which is a property tax summary. It costs the County \$5,200.00 to send the TS-1s to the escrowed taxpayers. To send the tax bills and TS-1s to every taxpayer costs the County \$25,000.00. Therefore, sending property tax bills and/or the TS-1s will be a big savings to the County. The property tax bills and/or TS-1s will still be mailed out to the taxpayers that do not sign up for the e-billing. Commissioner Lienhoop made a motion to approve the one (1) year e-billing services agreement with SRI Consulting Services. Commissioner Franke seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, Commissioner Lienhoop presented an overview of the February 2012 Veteran's Monthly Report. In February, the Veteran's Office had 92 personal interviews (in office and in person), had 62 claims and applications filed (for veterans, spouses,

widows, and children), received 70 questions and referrals for information and counseling services, traveled 1,350 miles, received 61 incoming telephone calls, and made 39 outgoing telephone calls, and made 15 trips to the VA Medical Center. Commissioner Lienhoop made a motion to accept the February 2012 Veteran's Monthly Report. Commissioner Franke seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, Chairman Kleinhenz presented the Commissioners with a Change Order with Repp & Mundt of Columbus, Indiana for additional work to fix a water leak at the Jail. Repp & Mundt performed a series of tests to determine where the water was leaking from the older section of the Jail. It was determined that the mortar has cracked and separated along the wall of the Jail at the elevator shaft, so Repp & Mundt need to Tuck-point this North wall that will cost an additional \$5,485.00 bringing the total cost of this project to \$20,582.00. Commissioner Franke made a motion to approve this Change Order for \$5,485.00. Commissioner Lienhoop seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, Assistant Director of Nursing Carla Wolff presented the Commissioners with the 1st Reading of an Ordinance Amending a Portion of Ordinance 2007-2 and 2010-3 Pertaining to the Establishment and Collection by the Bartholomew County Health Department of Fees for Specific Services and Records. Ms. Wolff mentioned that the State has made some changes in their vaccine availability to children. It is possible that some children will not be vaccinated because some doctors see children but do not carry or administer those vaccinations. Therefore, the Health Department will need to purchase

those vaccines and will only charge the parents the cost of the vaccine. The administration fee has been included in the Ordinance, but will not be charged for now because the State has not decided if the cost of the administration fee should be charged to the parents. The parents will be able to turn in their receipt to their insurance company for reimbursement (if applicable). The State Board of Accounts (SBOA) approval is on the receipt that is insurance acceptable.

The State is changing who will qualify for the Chlamydia and Gonorrhea testing, so the Health Department will charge \$18.00 to \$20.00 for each of these tests. If a person should go elsewhere for this testing, it would cost them \$120.00 or more. The Health Department feels that the population that is normally seen for this type of testing will not be able to afford to pay that for the test(s), so to keep the cost under control the Health Department will just charge the person the cost of the test. The Ordinance is as follows.

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING A PORTION OF ORDINANCE 2007-2 AND
2010-3 PERTAINING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT AND COLLECTION BY THE
BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF FEES FOR
SPECIFIC SERVICES AND RECORDS**

WHEREAS, the Bartholomew County Commissioners did, by Ordinance 1992-07, establish a schedule of fees for certain services performed by and records obtained from the Bartholomew County Health Department; and

WHEREAS, certain fees established by Ordinance 1992-07 were changed by Ordinances 2007-2 and 2010-3; and

WHEREAS, at the request of the Health Department, the Bartholomew County Commissioners believe it to be appropriate to amend a portion of Ordinances 2007-2 and 2010-3 to change Section 1, Subsection K dealing with the fees charged for injections and Section 1 Subsection L pertaining to fees charged for screenings.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY, INDIANA AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1, SUBSECTION K of ORDINANCE 2007-2 pertaining to the fees charged for Birth Certificates, is hereby amended, revised and changed to read as follows:

K. INJECTIONS/ORAL/MIST VACCINES:

All Pediatric vaccines: Children Who do not meet State criteria for Vaccine for Children (VFC) or the 317 Program	At Cost
Administration Fee (Insured Children)	\$10.00 per Immunization
All Adult Vaccines	At Cost
Administration Fee (Adults)	\$10.00 per Immunization

SECTION I SUBSECTION L of Ordinance 2007-2 and Ordinance 2010-3 pertaining to fees charged for screenings are hereby amended, revised and changed to read as follows:

L. SCREENINGS

TB Skin Tests (Administer and Read)	At Cost
TB Skin Test Reading Only (For Tests Administered Elsewhere)	At Cost
Blood Work	At Cost
Head Lice Treatment	At Cost
Chlamydia Testing	At Cost
Gonorrhea Testing	At Cost
Administration Fee	Maximum of \$5.00

The remainder of Ordinance 2007-2 and Ordinance 2010-3 shall remain unchanged.

PASSED ON FIRST READING THIS 12TH DAY OF MARCH, 2012.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF

BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY, INDIANA

S/s Larry S. Kleinhenz
Larry S. Kleinhenz, Chairman

S/s Paul Franke
Paul Franke, Member

S/s Carl H. Lienhoop
Carl H. Lienhoop, Member

ATTEST:

S/s Barbara J. Hackman
Barbara J. Hackman, Auditor of
Bartholomew County, Indiana

Chairman Kleinhenz opened a Public Hearing. Hearing no comments, Chairman Kleinhenz closed the Public Hearing. The 2nd Reading for this Ordinance will be at the Commissioners' meeting on Monday, March 26th. Commissioner Franke made a motion to approve the 1st Reading of this Ordinance amending a portion of Ordinance 2007-2 and 2010-3 pertaining to the Establishment and Collection by the Bartholomew County Health Department of Fees for Specific Services and Records. Commissioner Lienhoop seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

Next, Bartholomew County resident Gary Chambers of Sandcreek Township came before the Commissioners to give them an update on his neighbor, Mr. Michael Likens, who fires off fireworks and other loud explosives. Mr. Chambers sent the Commissioners a fax. Since sending this fax, Mr. Chambers has learned from another neighbor that Mr. Likens is now licensed to set off fireworks. On Saturday night, Mr.

Likens had a commercial display of fireworks that were larger than 1.3 which requires a permit by the ATF (Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives). This display was equivalent to the shows at Ceraland. Mr. Chambers called the ATF and they had no record of Mr. Michael Likens purchasing this type of permit. Mr. Chambers believes that a gentleman that has been on Mr. Likens property during the fireworks displays is a supplier who is licensed by the ATF. Mr. Chambers believes the Likens farm is becoming a training facility to set off these types of fireworks and explosives at will.

Mr. Chambers heard that traffic was difficult to drive and maneuver around because of all of the spectators that pulled off the road to watch the display. Likewise, the explosive sounds could be heard up to two (2) miles away. Also, Mr. Liken's driveway was blocked off to keep spectators from coming onto his property which would become a public display and require a permit and a certificate of insurance to cover any damage to either spectators and/or property. Now, surrounding areas are also beginning to set off fireworks, so this situation is getting even further out of hand.

Mr. Chambers said that Mr. Likens showed malicious intent by setting off explosive devices at 3:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. that scared Mr. Chambers to death. Mr. Chambers paid Attorney Keith Guthery to create an ordinance for the Commissioners to sign and adopt that would curtail these firework and explosive displays.

Commissioner Lienhoop mentioned that he received a call from one (1) of Mr. Chamber's neighbors. This neighbor is very concerned with the firework displays and explosions because when the mortar goes off it sounds like a bomb. The noise can be

heard as far as Mineral Springs. Mr. Chambers said he would not go away until this situation is dealt with because his sanity is important.

Bartholomew County resident John Dishinger asked if there was any progress on getting the County claims on the County website. Auditor Hackman said the claims will be available to the public as soon as the new County website is launched. Mr. Dishinger said he misses seeing the claims.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned by Chairman Kleinhenz at 11:03 am. There will be a Special Commissioners' meeting on Thursday, March 15th at 9:00 a.m. in order to approve the Payroll Claims. The Commissioners' meeting that was scheduled for Monday, March 19th has been cancelled due to Spring Break. The next regularly scheduled Commissioner's meeting will be on Monday, March 26, 2012 at 10:00 am in the Commissioner's Chambers.

BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS

LARRY S. KLEINHENZ, CHAIRMAN

PAUL FRANKE, MEMBER

CARL H. LIENHOOP, MEMBER

ATTEST:

BARBARA J. HACKMAN, AUDITOR