

Minutes from the May 15, 2018 HIGHWAY Commission Meeting

May 15, 2018

10:00 a.m.

Esmeralda County Courthouse

Commission Chambers

233 Crook Ave., 2nd Floor

Goldfield, Nevada

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APPROVED

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL:

Ralph Keyes -	Chairman
Delon "De" Winsor -	Vice-Chairman
Michelle Bates -	Commissioner
Robert Glennen -	District Attorney
Michelle Garcia -	Clerk of the Board

2. PUBLIC COMMENT. (Discussion only. Action may not be taken on any matter brought up under this agenda item. It must be placed on an agenda, at a later meeting for action.)

None.

3. *APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES:

Commissioner Bates made the motion to approve the expenditures.

Commissioner Winsor seconded the motion. All in favor: Motion carried.

4. *DISCUSSION/DECISION/APPROVAL: REJECTED VENDOR BILLS FROM AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

None.

5. *APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

Commissioner Bates made the motion to approve the minutes from the 03/20, 04/03, and 04/10/18 meetings of the Esmeralda County Board of County Highway Commission.

Commissioner Winsor seconded the motion. All in favor: Motion carried.

6. *FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: DISCUSSION/DECISION: Bob Dewhurst would like to purchase the alley between lots 7-12 and 13-17 block 150. He owns both parcels and no access would be blocked off. This area is behind the NDOT yard near Second Street in Goldfield. (Ed Rannells)

Ed Rannells came up and stated that he spoke to Ruth Lee and Mike Anderson Mr. Dewhurst got all of the fees. Ed has no problem with this. He said that Mr. Dewhurst could not be here today but asked if he could make payments. Ed told him he didn't think so. Commissioner Keyes said he believed he has to pay for it in full. Mike Anderson stated that it is basically against the town fence.

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Ruth Lee came up and stated that it has to be done by June 10. She also asked if it should be on both agendas. It does not. Commissioner Bates asked if we can sell an alley without going to auction. Ruth said that we can because we have never collected taxes on it. She also noted that Mr. Dewhurst is a co-owner on this property so the co-owner will also have to sign off on this.

Commissioner Bates made the motion to approve that Bob Dewhurst or any other current owners to purchase the alley between lots 7-12 and 13-17, block 150 with the condition that that the purchase be made prior to June 10 and the amount will be set by the Esmeralda County Assessor.

Commissioner Winsor seconded the motion.

7. **PUBLIC COMMENT.** (Discussion only. Action may not be taken on any matter brought up under this agenda item. It must be placed on an agenda, at a later meeting for action.)

Commissioner Bates stated that she received an email from Eva Hoffman stating that there is too much lighting around her house and she can't sleep because it is too bright between the street lights and the fire department. She is wondering if there is any way to put blinders on the street lights. Mike Anderson stated that NV Energy is fixing the street lights.

8. ***ADJOURNMENT:**

Commissioner Winsor made the motion to adjourn.

Commissioner Bates seconded the motion. All in favor: Motion carried.