

IROQUOIS COUNTY ETSB MEETING
May 3, 2023
Clifford Bury Administrative Center – County Board Room
1001 East Grant, Watseka, IL

MEMBERS: Chairman Charles Alt, Vice-Chairman Dave Morgeson, Curtis Marcott, Jim Lehmkuhl,
Todd Schippert, and Warren Weber.

- 1) Opening of the meeting
Chairman Charles alt opened the meeting at 5:00 PM. Members present were Dave Morgeson, Jim Lehmkuhl, and Warren Weber. Curt Marcott and Todd Schippert were absent. Also, present Sheriff Clinton J Perzee and ETS Director Eric Raymond.

Roll Call for Mileage:
Aye: Alt
Nay: Morgeson, Lehmkuhl, Weber
- 2) Approval of the agenda
Motion made by Morgeson to approve the May 3, 2023 agenda. Seconded by Weber.
Motion carried by a voice vote.
- 3) Approve April 5, 2023 Minutes
Motion made by Weber removing the section "...the suggestion was made...".
Seconded by Morgeson.
Motion carried by voice vote.
- 4) Public Comment
There was no public comment.
- 5) Approve/Discuss Central Square 911 Text messaging quote, addition to CAD
Raymond presented a quote from Central Square for SMS text messaging for dispatches totaling \$6,340.00. It was discussed amongst the board to not move forward with sms messaging at this time to allow the system to work at go live. Also, to research other 3rd party technology that may reach the same goals.
- 6) Approve/Discuss Bruce Harris and Associates quote for additional GIS work, addition to CAD
Raymond presented a quote from Bruce Harris and Associates totaling to a maximum of \$7,000. This was due to the new Central Square CAD and additional updates needed for mapping.
It was moved by Morgeson to approve the quote with a maximum of \$7000. Seconded by Lehmkuhl
Motion carried by roll call vote.
- 7) ETS Director's report
 - a. Raymond reported a problem with faxing at Crescent and Riverside Watseka quarters. He brought a separate fax to the Riverside quarters and some faxes came through clear but not all. He has suggested to riverside to speak with their phone vendor to see if there may be issues with the line. There could be alternative issues at 911 but since it is only impacting two departments the issues are more probable to be on the receiving end for the time being.

- b. 04/27/2023 internet and cell services were down from just before 9AM and started up just around 5PM. Raymond is going to speak with the Finance committee to remind them that this needs to get moving and quickly. Additionally Raymond commented that AT&T First.net came through for 911 and took care of us.
- c. Negotiations next meeting is scheduled for 05/04/2023. The last meeting on 04/20/2023 went ok. Many of the items were rejected by the county. Raymond gave his proposed changes. There was some concern due to the amount of changes. The next meeting will have the TC's return comments and suggested changes
- d. Sheriff's PTT combination radio. We discovered an issue with the handheld radio in the charger it creates a loud buzz. This is one possible solution versus STARTCOM. We're working with Verizon to find the solution to the buzz. In the midst of this was discovered that Sheriff Back up is down. The radio lines were told to be fiber going over to the jail. However, the other connections are presently working. Raymond received a quote for a new radio and toner card for a possible solution versus having to locate that specific line. Then, going to have to locate the broken line or run new lines.

8) Committee Reports

- Battery Backups – no report

9) Public Safety

- 2023 stats were presented.

10) Personnel

- No update

11) Grant updates

- All invoices have been received so refund from the grant will be submitted soon.

12) Approval of Claims

- A motion made by Morgeson and seconded by Weber to approve the claims as presented
 - Motion carried by roll call vote:
 - Aye: Alt, Morgeson, Lehmkuhl, Weber
 - Nay:

13) Old Business

14) New Business

15) Adjournment

As there was no further business to be brought to the board it was moved by Lehmkuhl and seconded by Morgeson to adjourn at 6:05 PM.

Motion carried by a voice vote.