Aitkin County Board of Commissioners Board Meeting Attendance Record

Date: _ April 26, 2022

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April 15, 2022

Jessica Seibert, County Administrator Aitkin County 307 2nd Street NW – Room 310 Aitkin, MN 56431

Dear Ms. Seibert;

The Minnesota Board of Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST Board) is the occupational regulatory agency charged with the vital responsibility of maintaining selection, education and licensing standards for the 415 Minnesota law enforcement agencies that employ over 10,500 peace officers across our state.

While the POST Board performs many functions, a significant portion of the POST's responsibility is dedicated to conducting "compliance reviews" of Minnesota law enforcement agencies to ensure they are meeting legislatively mandated training and department policies on Use of Force/Firearms training, Emergency Vehicle Operation and Pursuit Driving training and mandated departmental policies.

On 4/13/2022, a POST Board Standards Coordinator conducted a review at the Aitkin County Sheriff's Office. After a comprehensive review of their records concerning mandated employee training and department policies, I am pleased to inform you that your police department passed the review.

Ensuring all law enforcement agencies around the state are in compliance plays a pivotal role in maintaining the high level of professionalism we have enjoyed in Minnesota for many years and that professionalism translates into quality law enforcement services for the citizens of Minnesota.

Please take a moment to recognize your police department for this important accomplishment.

Sincerely,

Erik Misselt

Executive Director

Dennis Thompson

From:

Becky Roden

Sent:

Monday, April 11, 2022 7:39 AM

To:

Dennis Thompson

Subject:

FW: City of McGregor interest in Cox Lots

From: dake olson <dakeolson@gmail.com> Sent: Sunday, April 10, 2022 9:56 PM

To: Aitkin County Land Department <acld@co.aitkin.mn.us>

Subject: City of McGregor interest in Cox Lots

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Dear Commissioner,

I am writing to request the Aitkin County maintain ownership or sell to the City of McGregor for the lowest sum possible the following lots 59-1-027102, 59-1-027200, 59-1-027300, 59-1-027400, 59-1-027500, 59-1-028300, 59-1-029200. The aforementioned lots are within the wellhead protection district for our municipal water supply. If you have further questions please do not hesitate to contact me at 218-391-4920

Dake Olson Mayor - City of McGregor

- (b) Nonconservation tax-forfeited lands may be sold by the county board, for their market value as determined by the county board, to an organized or incorporated governmental subdivision of the state for any public purpose for which the subdivision is authorized to acquire property. When the term "market value" is used in this section, it means an estimate of the full and actual market value of the parcel as determined by the county board, but in making this determination, the board and the persons employed by or under contract with the board in order to perform, conduct, or assist in the determination, are exempt from the licensure requirements of chapter 82B.
- (c) Nonconservation tax-forfeited lands may be sold by the county board, for their market value as determined by the county board, to a state agency for any public purpose for which the agency is authorized to acquire property.
- (d) Nonconservation tax-forfeited lands may be sold by the county board to an organized or incorporated governmental subdivision of the state or state agency for less than their market value if:
- (1) the county board determines that a sale at a reduced price is in the public interest because a reduced price is necessary to provide an incentive to correct the blighted conditions that make the lands undesirable in the open market, or the reduced price will lead to the development of affordable housing; and
- (2) the governmental subdivision or state agency has documented its specific plans for correcting the blighted conditions or developing affordable housing, and the specific law or laws that empower it to acquire real property in furtherance of the plans.

If the sale under this paragraph is to a governmental subdivision of the state, the commissioner of revenue must convey the property on behalf of the state by quitclaim deed. If the sale under this paragraph is to a state agency, the property is released from the trust in favor of the taxing districts and the commissioner of revenue must convey the property on behalf of the state by quitclaim deed to the agency.

- (e) Nonconservation tax-forfeited land held in trust in favor of the taxing districts may be conveyed by the commissioner of revenue in the name of the state to a governmental subdivision for an authorized public use, if an application is submitted to the commissioner which includes a statement of facts as to the use to be made of the tract and the favorable recommendation of the county board. For the purposes of this paragraph, "authorized public use" means a use that allows an indefinite segment of the public to physically use and enjoy the property in numbers appropriate to its size and use, or is for a public service facility. Authorized public uses as defined in this paragraph are limited to:
 - (1) a road, or right-of-way for a road;
- (2) a park that is both available to, and accessible by, the public that contains improvements such as campgrounds, playgrounds, athletic fields, trails, or shelters;
- (3) trails for walking, bicycling, snowmobiling, or other recreational purposes, along with a reasonable amount of surrounding land maintained in its natural state;
- (4) transit facilities for buses, light rail transit, commuter rail or passenger rail, including transit ways, park-and-ride lots, transit stations, maintenance and garage facilities, and other facilities related to a public transit system;
 - (5) public beaches or boat launches;
 - (6) public parking;
 - (7) civic recreation or conference facilities; and
- (8) public service facilities such as fire halls, police stations, lift stations, water towers, sanitation facilities, water treatment facilities, and administrative offices.

