Glacier County Commissioners Tuesday, February 9, 2021 Regular Meeting Browning, MT

The Glacier County Board of Commissioners met at a regular scheduled meeting at 9:00 am Tuesday, February 9, 2021. Commissioners Michael J. DesRosier, Mary Jo Bremner and John B. Overcast was present with Commissioner Overcast taking minutes.

Present at the Meeting: Marty Woolf, West End Cemetery Sexton; John McGill, Press

A. Roll Call

Meeting called to order at 9:03 a.m.

B. Approval of Agenda

No changes to the agenda

C. Reading of the Minutes: n/a

NEW BUSINESS:

D. Discussion: Update on Browning Satellite Office Progress – Mary Jo Bremner, Glacier County Commission Chair

The commissioners discuss other offers that they have had regarding the Browning Satellite Office. It is determined that they will send out an advertisement for 10 days. It was stated that the CTCL Grant extension was granted to the county for the remainder of the funds to be used to purchase a new Browning Satellite Office.

E. Discussion/Approval: West End Cemetery Board Member (1) Vacancy – Mary Jo Bremner, Glacier County Commission Chair

There was a discussion with Toni Gilham that the West End Cemetery is in need of a new board member. There will need to be an advertisement sent out for the new board member. When the letter of interest/application come in the commissioners will decide who the best person is for the board position.

F. Discussion: West End Cemetery Backhoe (out-of-service) – Mary Jo Bremner, Glacier County Commission Chair

It is discussed that the West End Cemetery backhoe broke down and is no longer fixable. This is detrimental to their operation as they have had double the burials this year compared to other years. The history of how West End acquired the backhoe from the Glacier County Road Department is discussed. Commissioner Bremner talked with Jon Tester's Office looking for help in trying to replace the backhoe. The commissioners will ask Chancy Kittson, Glacier County CFO to check on COVID relief for the cemetery. In the meantime, the West End Cemetery will need to do whatever it takes to get the graves dug for right now until a solution is found.

G. Discussion: Browning Community Issues

OTHER BUSINESS:

H. Public Comment

I. Next Meeting – Thursday, February 18, 2021 – Cut Bank

Meeting adjourned at 9:39 a.m.		
ATTEST:	GLACIER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS	
Mandi Bird Kennerly, Clerk & Recorder	Mary Jo Bremner, Chair	