

COMMISSIONERS MINUTE BOOK

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HELD SEPTEMBER 8, 9, 10, AND EXTRA SESSION OF SEPTEMBER 11, 1936

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session at the Court House in the City of Conrad on September 8, 1936. Present Commissioners Brophy, Banka, Collins and Clerk of the Board, A. L. Rachac.

MINUTES SUBMITTED AND APPROVED.

The minutes of the session of July 25th, the regular session of August 3, 4, 5, the session of August 10, the minutes of the session of the County Board of Equalization and the special session of August 27 were read, approved and ordered signed.

EXTRA SESSION.

It was ordered on motion of Commissioner Banka, seconded by Commissioner Collins and motion duly carried, that an extra session of the Board be held on Friday, September 11th if same was deemed necessary to complete the business before the Board.

BUDGET REPORT.

The monthly budget report of the County Clerk, A. L. Rachac, was submitted, approved and ordered signed.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

A. C. Peterson, County Agent, was granted a leave of absence of fifteen days with permission to leave the state.

PETITION FOR CREATION OF HERD DISTRICT NO. 8.

A petition signed by various signers praying for the creation of a new Herd District, same to be known as Herd District No. 8, was filed with the County Clerk and presented for the consideration of the Board of County Commissioners at this session of the Board. Said petition reading as follows:

"To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners,
Pondera County, State of Montana,
Conrad, Montana.

Gentlemen :

We, the undersigned, owners or possessors of 55 per cent, or more, of the land in the proposed district hereinafter described, do hereby personally petition your honorable Board to grant a Herd District, to be known as Herd District Number 8, embracing the land hereinafter described, and in support of said petition outline the following facts, to-wit:

1. That the undersigned are the owners or possessors of 55 per cent, or more, of the land embraced in said Herd District;
2. That 25 per cent, or more, of the land in such district is under actual cultivation.

3. That said Herd District be effective the year around,

4. That the outside boundaries of said proposed district are as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the south quarter corner stone on the South line of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range Three (3) West, M.M.; Thence West approximately one (1) mile to the intersection of the south line of Section Twenty-three (23) and the Great Northern right of way; Thence Southwest following the east boundary line of the Great Northern right of way to the south line of Section Twenty-seven (27); Thence West approximately one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the northwest corner of Section Thirty-four (34); Thence West two (2) miles to the southeast corner of Section Thirty (30); Thence due South on the section line, one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile; Thence due West on the forty line one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile; Thence due South on the center line one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile to the center of Section Thirty-one (31); Thence due East on the half mile line, a distance of one and three-fourths ($1 \frac{3}{4}$) miles; Thence due South one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the section line on the south

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side of Section Thirty-three (33); Thence East on the section line a distance of one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile to the south quarter corner; Thence due South a distance of one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the center of Section Four (4), Township Twenty-seven (27) North, Range Three (3) West, M.M.; Thence due East a distance of one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile; Thence due South on the forty line a distance of one half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the Section line; Thence due West on the south line of Section Four (4) a distance of one-four ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile to the south quarter corner; Thence due South a distance of one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the center of Section Nine (9); Thence due West a distance of one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the west quarter corner of Section Nine (9); Thence due West on the forty line a distance of three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) mile; Thence due North on the section line a distance of three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) mile; Thence due South on the forty line a distance of three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) mile; Thence West one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile to the west quarter corner of Section Eight (8); Thence West one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile; Thence North one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile; Thence West one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile; Thence North one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile to the north quarter corner of Section Seven (7); Thence West one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the northwest corner of said Section Seven (7); Thence South five (5) miles along the west line of Township Twenty-seven (27) North, Range Three (3) West, to the southwest corner of Section Thirty-one (31); Thence East three (3) miles to the southwest corner of Section Thirty-four (34); Thence South four (4) miles to the southwest corner of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Twenty-six (26) North, Range Three (3) West; Thence East thirteen (13) miles along the south county line to the southeast corner of Section Twenty-two (22); Township Twenty-six (26) North, Range One (1) West; Thence North four and one-half ($4\frac{1}{2}$) miles to the east quarter corner of Section Three (3); Thence West four (4) miles to the east quarter corner of Section One (1), Township Twenty-six (26) North, Range Two (2) West; Thence North three (3) miles along the east line of the Township to the east quarter corner of Section Twenty-four (24); Thence North one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile along on the section line; Thence due West along the Forty line, a distance of three miles to the forty corner at the middle of the West side of the Northwest quarter ($NW\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Twenty-seven (27) North, Range Two (2) West; Thence due North along the section line a distance of One and one-fourth ($1\frac{1}{4}$) mile to the Northeast corner of Section Sixteen (16), of said Township and Range; Thence due West along the section line a distance of two (2) miles to the southwest corner of Section Eight (8), of said Township and Range; Thence due North along the section line, a distance of one mile and one-half to the half mile stone on the West side of Section Five (5), of said Township and Range; Thence due West along the one-half line, a distance of one (1) mile to the one-half mile stone on the west side of Section Six (6), of said Township and Range; Thence due North along said township line, a distance of one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the southeast corner of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range Three (3) West; Thence due West along the Section line, a distance of one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile corner on the South line of Section Thirty-six (36); Thence due North along the one-half line, a distance of two miles to the one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile stone, on the south side of Section Twenty-four (24) Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range Three (3) West, Montana Meridian, Montana, being the point of beginning."

On motion of Commissioner Collins, seconded by Commissioner Banka and motion duly carried, it was ordered that a hearing on said petition for the purpose of verifying signatures and acreage to same and hearing protests, if any, against the creating of said petition, be held on Wednesday, October 7, 1936 at 2:00 o'clock P.M.

CERTIFICATES OF POSTING OF NOTICES.

The Clerk of the Board submitted certificates of posting of notices of the Special

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-12- The said special bond election shall be conducted and the returns made, in the same manner as other county elections.

The adoption of said Resolution was seconded by Commissioner Collins; and, upon the same being put to vote by the Chairman of the Board, was carried by the following unanimous vote:

Ayes: Commissioners Banka, Collins and Brophy
Noes: None.

WHEREUPON the Chairman of said Board declared said Resolution duly and legally adopted.

Dated: This 28th day of September, A.D. 1936.

ATTEST: Adolph L. Rachac
County Clerk

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF PONDERA COUNTY, MONTANA

(SEAL)

By Walter M. Brophy
Chairman.

ADJOURNMENT TAKEN.

There being no further business, adjournment was taken.

ATTEST: *Adolph L. Rachac*
Clerk of the Board.

Walter M. Brophy
Chairman of the Board of County
Commissioners, Pondera County,
Montana.

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF PONDERA COUNTY, MONTANA, HELD OCTOBER 5, 6, 7, 1936

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session at the Court House in the City of Conrad on October 5, 1936. Present Commissioners Brophy, Banka, Collins and Clerk of the Board, A. L. Rachac.

MINUTES SUBMITTED AND APPROVED.

The minutes of the regular September session of the Board held September 8, 9, 10, and 11, the special sessions of September 25 and 28 were read, approved and ordered signed.

BEEF INSPECTOR APPOINTED-DUPUYER DISTRICT.

Judson Marks of Dupuyer was appointed beef inspector for the Dupuyer district.

EMERGENCY INCREASES IN COUNTY BUDGETS.

Pursuant to action taken at the regular September session of the Board and notices of emergency duly published, it was ordered on motion of Commissioner Banka, seconded by Commissioner Collins and motion unanimously carried, that the County budgets of Pondera County be increased in amounts as follows:

Budget for "Care of Prisoners"	\$750.00
Budget for "Purchase and Maintenance of County Warehouse"	\$850.00

MONTHLY BUDGET REPORT SUBMITTED.

The monthly budget report of the County Clerk, A. L. Rachac, was submitted, approved and ordered signed.

ORDER CREATING HERD DISTRICT NO. 8.

Pursuant to petition filed praying for the creation of Herd District No. 8 and notices duly published and hearing duly held on same, it was ordered on motion of Commissioner Collins, seconded by Commissioner Banka and motion unanimously carried, that Herd District No. 8 be duly instituted and in effect continuously on and after December 1, 1936.

BIDS FOR COAL REJECTED.

Bids for the furnishing of coal to Pondera County for the Valier and Conrad Districts