

December 28, 2000

The Mahaska County Board of Supervisors met on the above date with the following members present. Howard Groenendyk, Daryl Cox and Greg Gordy and Dennis Luebbe, County Engineer and Kay Swanson, County Auditor.

Chairman Gordy opened the meeting with a moment of silence. Chairman Gordy read the letter that Daryl Cox had submitted to the Supervisors. The Engineer gave Daryl Cox a letter denying the transfer. Chairman Gordy then read this letter to the board. Gordy moved to approve the transfer of Daryl Cox back to the Secondary Road Dept. County Attorney Charles Stream discussed the matter of the Engineer being in charge of the Secondary Road Dept and that the Board doesn't have the authority to hire and fire the Road Dept's employees. Roll call vote on the motion was Gordy – aye; Groenendyk – nay and Cox abstained. Motion defeated.

Charles Stream also discussed with the board about the necessity of the Board to sign and approve the claims and payroll for each department. He said each department was in charge of their respective budgets.

Motion by Gordy seconded by Groenendyk to adjourn. All ayes. Motion carried.

Chairman Greg Gordy

ATTEST: _____
Kay Swanson, County Auditor