# SPECIAL SESSION OF THE MOWER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

July 8, 2008

The Mower County Board of Commissioners in and for the County of Mower, Minnesota, met in Special Session July 8, 2008 at 8:00 a.m. at the Courthouse in Austin, Minnesota.

All members present, viz: Richard Cummings, Chair

Raymond Tucker Dave Tollefson Dick Lang

Craig Oscarson, County Coordinator

Absent: David Hillier

The Commissioners met with local legislators to discuss the impact of legislative action on County budgets and programs. No action was taken during this meeting.

Commissioner Tucker moved and Commissioner Tollefson seconded to approve the Fee Policy for Corporate Foster Care Licensing, effective August 1, 2008. Motion carried.

Commissioner Tucker moved and Commissioner Lang seconded to approve a request by Lutheran Social Services to relocate the Adams Group Home to two four bed Intermediate Care Facilities for the Mentally Retarded, (ICF/MR), and to authorize the Human Services Director to submit the required documents to the state. One facility will be built in Adams and one in Rose Creek. Motion carried.

Commissioner Lang moved and Commissioner Tucker seconded to authorize the Chair and the Director to sign the following Purchase of Service Agreements:

- a. Adams Home Health Care renew contract for Home and Community Based Services, effective October 1, 2007 to June 30, 2009.
- b. Cedar House, Inc. approve amendment to contract for Home and Community Based Services, effective October 1, 2007 to June 30, 2009.
- c. Suzanne Herr renew Group Residential Housing Agreement, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- d. Tracy Lunt renew contract for Professional Services, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009.

- e. Our House, LLC (Assisted Care) renew Group Residential Housing Agreement, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- f. Our House, LLC (Memory Care) renew Group Residential Housing Agreement, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- g. Our House, LLC (Memory Care 2) renew Group Residential Housing Agreement, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- h. Our House, LLC (Assisted Care) renew Home & Community Based Waiver Contract, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- i. Our House, LLC (Memory Care) renew Home & Community Based Waiver Contract, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- j. Our House, LLC (Memory Care 2) renew Home & Community Based Waiver Contract, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- k. Primrose renew Group Residential Housing Agreement, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- 1. Primrose renew Home & Community Based Waiver Contract, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- m. Quality Community Services, Inc. renew Group Residential Housing Agreement, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- n. REM Woodvale, Inc. approve amendment to Home & Community Based Waiver Contract, effective October 1, 2007 to June 30, 2009.
- o. Sacred Heart Care Center renew Group Residential Housing Agreement, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.
- p. WestPark renew Group Residential Housing Agreement, effective July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.

Motion carried.

Commissioner Tollefson moved and Commissioner Lang seconded to approve the destruction of designated Agency files in accordance with DHS Rules and Regulations. All previously approved files have been destroyed. Motion carried.

## **SOCIAL SERVICE ACTIONS:**

Commissioner Tucker moved and Commissioner Lang seconded to approve the Social Service Actions. Motion carried.

## **INCOME MAINTENANCE ACTIONS:**

Commissioner Tollefson moved and Commissioner Lang seconded to approve the Income Maintenance Actions. Motion carried.

Carol Mostrom, Office Support Specialist Sr., was recognized as Employee of the Month.

Motion by Commissioner Lang, seconded by Commissioner Tucker to amend Section B225, Telephone Policy of the Mower County Personnel Policy to authorize one additional Probation Officer Position for a county owned cell phone or cell phone reimbursement. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Tucker, seconded by Commissioner Tollefson to table filling the vacant Mechanic position for review by the Personnel Committee. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Tucker, seconded by Commissioner Lang to approve the Solid Waste Hauler Licenses of Waste Management, Sunshine Sanitation and Vonco IV – Austin Demolition Facility and the Solid Waste Facility Permits of Waste Management and Vonco IV – Austin Demolition Facility effective July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Tucker, seconded by Commissioner Tollefson to approve the minutes of July 1, 2008 and the Board of Equalization minutes of June 16, 2008 and June 24, 2008. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Tucker, seconded by Commissioner Lang to approve the following bi-monthly bills for payment:

GENERAL FUND

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AMOUNT VENDOR NAME

835.41 ADAMS DRUG

7025.84 AMERICAN SOLUTIONS FOR BUSINES
727.14 AUSTIN NEWSPAPERS, INC
186.18 BIG K 3578
657.05 CARDMEMBER SERVICE
2133.47 CDW GOVERNMENT, INC.
339.81 CITY OF AUSTIN
106.80 DASH MEDICAL GLOVES INC.
916.20 JAMES ERICKSON
916.20 JAMES ERICKSON
750.00 SALLY GARRY
348.66 HOLIDAY INN AUSTIN
385.05 J & K WINONA
777.69 LASER PRODUCT TECHNOLOGIES INC
240.58 LEXISNEXIS MATTHEW BENDER
156.56 MAYO CLINIC- LAW
250.17 PRESTO-X-COMPANY INC
138.89 RADIO SHACK CORPORATION
138.80 MOMER COUNTY SHOPPER
150.17 PRESTO-X-COMPANY INC
178.89 RADIO SHACK CORPORATION
178.89 RADIO SHACK CORPORATION
179.00 TWIN CITY ACOUSTICS INC.
240.00 TWIN CITY ACOUSTICS INC.
250.00 TWIN CITY ACOUSTICS INC.
262.50 MICHELLE CLONARES-SOTO
162.55 AUTO VALUE AUSTIN
262.50 MICHELLE CLONARES-SOTO
1699.90 CITY CAR WASH INC
262.50 MICHELLE CLONARES-SOTO
117.21 EMERGENCY AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOG
24198.00 FREEBORN COUNTY ADULT DETENTIO
249.69 MARTIN BROS
24198.00 FREEBORN COUNTY ADULT DETENTIO
249.69 MARTIN BROS
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GENERAL FUND
                                                                                          $71,943.08 * TOTAL
SOCIAL SERVICE FUND
                         VENDOR NAME
2 PAYMENTS LESS THAN $100
        AMOUNT VENDOR NAME
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                                                                                          95.28
SOCIAL SERVICE FUND
                                                                                                  $95.28 * TOTAL
  AMOUNT VENDOR NAME
AMOUNT VENDOR NAME
624.67 AUTO VALUE AUSTIN
123.85 ETTERMAN ENTERPRISES
1000.88 HANSON TIRE OF AUSTIN INC
329.00 MARK'S ELECTRONICS
208.61 PETROBLEND CORP.
16586.74 ROCHESTER PETROLEUM EQUIPMENT
686.00 SOUTH CENTRAL COLLEGE
1777.27 ZARNOTH BRUSH WORKS, INC.
7 PAYMENTS LESS THAN $100

AMOUNT VENDOR NAME
218.06 CINTAS FIRST AID & SAFETY
5350.00 HANSEN HAULING & EXCAVATING
8868.71 M-R SIGN COMPANY, INC.
539.00 MIDWEST DOOR INC
146.91 ROAD MACHINERY & SUPPLIES CO.
200.00 SHOPKO EYECARE CENTER
113.20 TERMINAL SUPPLY CO.
318.63
$37,091.53 * TOTAL
ROAD & BRIDGE FUND
ROAD & BRIDGE FUND
       ID WASTE/RECYCLING FUND

AMOUNT VENDOR NAME

390.00 AUSTIN NEWSPAPERS, INC

364.75 MINNESOTA SUPPLY COMPANY

150.00 RECYCLING ASSOCIATION OF MINNE

1 PAYMENTS LESS THAN $100

$4,578.79 * TOTAL
SOLID WASTE/RECYCLING FUND
SOLID WASTE/RECYCLING FUND
FAMILY CONNECTIONS COLLABORATIVE
        AMOUNT VENDOR NAME
                                                                                      AMOUNT VENDOR NAME
        200.00 AUSTIN MEDICAL CENTER ATTN:CAS

1 PAYMENTS LESS THAN $100
                                                                                                 20.32
                                                                                          $220.32 * TOTAL
FAMILY CONNECTIONS COLLABORATIVE $220.32 * TO **** FINAL TOTAL..... $113,929.00 ****
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#### Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Tollefson, seconded by Commissioner Lang to approve the miscellaneous bill for immediate payment to the Southeast Service Cooperative in the amount of \$175.00. Motion carried.

A discussion took place in regard to a proposed agreement with the Department of Natural Resources in regard to the Shooting Star Trail. No action was taken as the agreement has not been finalized.

Motion by Commissioner Lang, seconded by Commissioner Tollefson to approve the grant agreement with the Minnesota Commissioner of Public Safety, Office of Justice, for juvenile justice systems. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Tollefson, seconded by Commissioner Lang to approve the liquor license of Ramsey Golf Club effective July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Tucker, seconded by Commissioner Lang to approve an agreement with Austin Public Schools for probation officer services. Motion carried.

## COMMISSIONERS' RECORD MOWER COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Motion by Commissioner Tucker, seconded by Commissioner Lang to approve an agreement with Mower County Soil and Water Conservation District for Ag Inspector services and Water Plan management. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Lang, seconded by Commissioner Tollefson to adjourn the meeting at 10:38 a.m. until July 22, 2008 at 8:30 a.m. Motion carried.

## THE MOWER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

BY:	
	Chairperson
Attest:	-
By:	
Clerk/Coordinator	

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