

**SPECIAL SESSION OF THE MOWER COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
ANNUAL BUDGET AND LEVY PUBLIC HEARING**

December 9, 2010

The Mower County Board of Commissioners in and for the County of Mower, Minnesota, met in Special Session December 9, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. at the Government Center in Austin, Minnesota.

Members present, viz: Raymond Tucker, Chair
 David Hillier
 Tim Gabrielson
 Mike Ankeny
 Craig Oscarson, County Coordinator
Member absent: Dick Lang

The Chair called the meeting to order. County Board and County Staff members in attendance were introduced. There were 10 County staff members in attendance. There were approximately 15 members of the public in attendance. The Chair explained the purpose of the meeting.

Craig Oscarson, County Coordinator, noted that the meeting was not for property evaluations or classifications. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the proposed 2011 budget and levy. After information was presented (Memo to the Board and Taxpayers dated December 9, 2010) the Chair called on the public for comment. There were a few questions raised by the public that pertained to property classifications and/or valuations. These questions were briefly addressed by the Assessor staff. One citizen made comments to the County Board regarding the proposed budget and tax levy.

Motion made by Commissioner Ankeny, seconded by Commissioner Gabrielson to set the continuation of the 2011 budget and levy hearing to December 21, 2010 at 11:00 a.m. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Gabrielson, seconded by Commissioner Hillier to adjourn the meeting at 7:02 p.m. until December 21, 2010 at 9:30 a.m. Motion carried.

THE MOWER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

BY: _____
Chairperson

Attest:
By: _____
Clerk/Coordinator

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