

August 28th, 2024

ORIGINAL

TREASURE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS -
Special Meeting Minutes
August 28th, 2024

1:00 PM - Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance with Commissioner Marlo Moehr Chairman, Ruth Bauc and Ruth Baker, Clerk & Recorder Marlee Sears. Also present was ~~Treasure County Recreation Director, Lynn Schultz; Treasure County Attorney, Hanna Schantz; Treasure County Sheriff's Department, Will Scastrom; Hysham Cemetery Board Member, Dale Zent~~ was also present. *Deputy Clerk & Rec.*

1:05 PM - Preliminary Budget Review

- Discussions regarding the preliminary budget.
- Commissioners and Clerk Sears working hard to ensure a 5% raise of County employees.

1:15PM - Department of Revenue Representatives, Property Valuation Specialist - Taran Lothspeich, Residential Ag Appraiser, Debbie Bell & Area Manager Lisa Reiger

- Commissioners were questioning how the process works with evaluations. It was determined that over half (57.2%) of the tax revenues Treasure County receives is from Centrally Assessed taxes. Centrally Assessed valuations are based on profitability not market or cost valuations.
- Commissioner Bauc compiled a chart which showed our valuations had dropped by 10% since 2021.

2:50 PM Adjournment of regular business: being no further business to come before the Board, Ruth Baker moved for adjournment, Ruth Bauc seconded the motion.

Dated this 12th day of September, 2024.

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Marlo Moehr

Marlo Moehr, Chair

Marlee Sears

ATTEST:

Marlee Sears, Clerk & Recorder

BY: *Dani Erickson*

Dani Erickson, Deputy Clerk & Recorder

