

AGENDA
JEFFERSON COUNTY COMMISSION
THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 2010
9:30 A.M.

Old Charles Town Library Meeting Room
200 E. Washington Street, Charles Town, WV

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

APPROVAL OF PURCHASE ORDERS

APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

PUBLIC COMMENT

COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR REPORTS

COUNTY COMMISSION REPORTS

PRESENTATIONS:

1. 10:00 a.m. Mark Schiavone, Director of Capital Planning and Management
- Amendment to FY 2010 CIP for Blue Ridge Volunteer Fire Company
2. 10:10 a.m. Jennifer S. Maghan - County Clerk's Report
- Budget Revision
3. 10:30 a.m. Legal Update and Report - (Stephanie Grove)

NEW BUSINESS:

4. Legislative Issues
5. Discuss May/June Meeting Schedule - Discussion/Action

CORRESPONDENCE:

Legislative information received from the County Commissioners' Association.

Correspondence received from the City of Ranson endorsing Terry Marcus for reappointment to the Eastern Panhandle HOME Consortium.

Order Setting Hearing received for Stacia Fuller vs. Angela Banks, Et Al.

E-911 Fees received.

Purchasing card rebate received from the State Auditor's Office.

Fund Raiser letter received from Independent Fire Company.

Thank you note received from Sir Speedy for recent printing orders.

Weekly settlement report for the Charles Town Races and Slots received from the West Virginia Lottery.

Correspondence received by Gil N. Garcia regarding County Commission agenda items.

ELECTION ANNOUNCEMENTS:

April 21 - May 8: Early Voting in Person (3-3-1 3-3-3)

April 21 - 27: Correct Incomplete Applications for Voter Registrations (3-2-6)

April 26 - 30: Pre-Primary Financial Reports Due (3-8-5 CSR 146-3-8)

April 26 - May 10: Last Minute Independent Expenditures Reported (3-8-2)

May 1 - Early Voting in Person conducted (3-3-3)

May 3 - Public Notice of Inspection of AutoMark and Ballots for Election Day (3-4A-13)

May 4 - Public Test Automatic Tabulation Equipment for Election Day (3-4A-26 59-3-1 et. seq.)

May 4 - Notification of Ballots and AutoMark readiness for Election Day (3-4A-13)

May 4 - 10 - Publish Official List of Candidates (optional) or Sample Ballot for Election Day (3-5-10 59-3-1 et. seq.)

May 4 - 10 - Instructional Program Make-up Session (3-1-46 3-4-13 3-4A-14)

May 4 - 11 - Request Emergency Medical Absentee Ballot (Until Noon on Election Day) (3-3-1 3-3-5c(d))

May 5 - Deadline For Absentee by Mail Application (3-3-5)

May 6 - Public Inspection of Vote Recording Devices and Ballots AutoMark for Election Day (3-4A-13)

May 8 Deadline - Last day for Early Voting In Person (3-3-3)

May 10 Deadline - Deadline for Accepting Hand-Delivered Absentee Ballot (3-3-5)

May 10 Deadline - Election Commissioners Receive Election Supplies (3-1-24 3-4-12 3-4A-13 3-5-14)

May 10 - Failure To Pick Up Supplies, Delivery By Special Messenger (3-1-25 3-4-12a 3-4-13a)

May 11 - PRIMARY ELECTION DAY Polls open 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. (3-1-31 3-5-1)

May 11 - Post Precinct Returns (3-5-15)

May 12 - Absentee Ballots without Postmark Accepted (3-3-5)

May 13 Deadline - Mail Precinct Returns to Secretary of State (3-5-15)

May 14 - Absentee Ballots Postmarked by Election Day Accepted (Before Canvass Convenes) (3-3-5 3-5-17)

May 14 - Canvass of Election Returns (3-5-17 3-6-9 3-6-10)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Invitation received to attend an event to recognize the 198th birthday of Martin DeLany at Fishermen's Hall on May 6, 2010 beginning at 7:00 p.m.

County Commissioners' Association of West Virginia Spring Board and Legislative Committee meeting scheduled for May 23-24, 2010.

WVACo Board of Directors Spring Board Meeting scheduled for June 14-15, 2010.

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At all times the County Commission reserves the right to rearrange agenda times because of time constraints and to accommodate the Commission schedule or the public.

Minutes

Jefferson County Commission

Tuesday, April 20, 2010

Lay the Levy

A Special meeting of the Jefferson County Commission was held on Tuesday, April 20, 2010 at the Old Charles Town Library meeting room located at 200 E. Washington Street, Charles Town, WV 25414. The meeting was attended by Lyn Widmyer, President, and Commissioners: Dale Manuel, Patsy Noland, Frances Morgan and Jim Surkamp and Tim Boyde, County Administrator, Nichelle Hosby, Mark Schiavone, Director of Capital Planning and Management and Jennifer Maghan, County Clerk.

The Meeting was called to order at 9:30 a. m. by Commissioner Widmyer.

The purpose of the hearing is to Lay the Levy.

Mark Schiavone gave a staff report.

Motion by Ms. Morgan to approve the Levy Order and rate sheet as presented by staff. Motion seconded by Ms. Morgan and was carried 4-1. Mr. Surkamp voted no.

Upon rising the Commission recessed until Tuesday morning next beginning at 9:30 o'clock a.m.

LYN WIDMYER, COMMISSION PRESIDENT

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AGENDA REQUEST FORM

Name: F. Mark Schiavone

Department or Entity: DCPM

Estimation of amount of time needed for appointment: 5 min

Date Requested – 1st Choice: 29 April 2010

Date Requested – 2nd Choice: 6 May 2010

If a specific date is needed, please provide reason for specific date:

Subject: Amendment to FY 2010 CIP for Blue Ridge Volunteer Fire Company

Please provide the County Commission with a description of your request or presentation, including any background information: The Commission recently approved \$100,000 in Impact Fee Monies for acquisition of a tanker for the Blue Ridge Fire Company. The actual amount recommended by the Emergency Services Agency was for \$115,000. This request to amend the FY 2010 to approve the release of the additional \$15,000 in impact fee monies.

Recommended motion (Please type out the wording of the motion that you would like the Commission to approve): Move to modify the FY 2010 CIP for Blue Ridge Volunteer Company by increasing the \$100,000 approved to be spent toward acquisition of their new tanker truck using impact fees by \$15,000. The new approved amount would now come to \$115,000.

Attachments: Copies of original agenda request and the letter from the Emergency Services Agency

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Date on Agenda: 2-11-10

Appt Time or New Business: 10:30

AGENDA REQUEST FORM

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Jefferson County Commission

Name: F. Mark Schiavone

Department or Entity: DCPM

Estimation of amount of time needed for appointment: 10 minutes

Date Requested – 1st Choice: 28 January 2010

Date Requested – 2nd Choice: 4 February 2010

If a specific date is needed, please provide reason for specific date:

APPROVED

2010

Subject: Request to modify FY 2010 CIP approved funding list.

The County Commission
of Jefferson County
Charles Town, WV

Please provide the County Commission with a description of your request or presentation, including any background information: This is a request to add another project to the list of fee-fundable projects for the FY 2010 CIP. This project is listed on the CIP and is approved for impact fee funding. To date, no Fire & EMS related projects were added to the list of approved projects as the task of prioritizing the Fire & EMS entries was passed to the Jefferson County Emergency Services Agency. Impact Fee Coordinator recommends approval pending verification that payment be made exclusively toward loan principal reduction.

Recommended motion (Please type out the wording of the motion that you would like the Commission to approve): Approve adding Blue Ridge Company New Tanker Project, listed in the FY 2010 CIP, to the list of impact-fee fundable projects for FY 2010. Motion contingent upon Impact Fee Coordinator ensuring that payment of \$100,000 in Fire & EMS impact fees are to be used exclusively toward payment of the loan principal for this vehicle.

Attachments: Letter from JCESA approving recommendation. Copy of CIP Form 1 and 2 from Blue Ridge Company from FY 2010 CIP.



JEFFERSON COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES AGENCY

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Charles Town, WV 25414

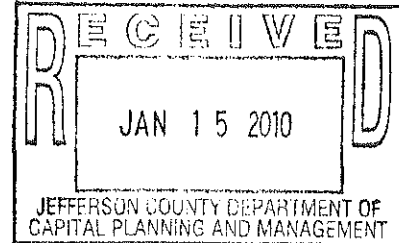
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January 12, 2010

F. Mark Schiavone
Director and Impact Fee Coordinator
Department of Capital Planning and Management
Jefferson County Government
114 E. Washington Street
Charles Town, WV 25414



Dear Mr. Schiavone,

The Jefferson County Emergency Services Agency approved out of committee a recommendation to have the Blue Ridge Mountain Fire Company funded from the Fire & Rescue Impact Fee account. This recommendation from the Agency was approved at its December 15th meeting. The recommendation of the Agency is \$115,000 which is to be used to offset the expense of a new tanker. Blue Ridge has secured a loan of approximately \$300,000 for this equipment of which the \$115,000 will be applied to the principal in order to reduce the amount loaned.

Sincerely,

R.M. Kelley
President

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AGENDA REQUEST FORM

Name: Sandy McDonald, Deputy County Administrator

Department or Entity: County Commission

Estimation of amount of time needed for appointment: 5 minutes

Date Requested – 1st Choice: April 29, 2010

Date Requested – 2nd Choice: _____

If a specific date is needed, please provide reason for specific date:

Subject: **New Business**

Please provide the County Commission with a description of your request or presentation, including any background information: **Discuss May/June meeting schedule**

Recommended motion (Please type out the wording of the motion that you would like the Commission to approve):

JEFFERSON COUNTY COMMISSION HOLIDAY SCHEDULE 2010

NEW YEAR'S DAY	FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 2010
MARTIN LUTHER KING'S BIRTHDAY	MONDAY, JANUARY 18, 2010
PRESIDENT'S DAY	MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2010
PRIMARY ELECTION	TUESDAY, MAY 11, 2010
MEMORIAL DAY	MONDAY, MAY 31, 2010
WEST VIRGINIA DAY	MONDAY, JUNE 21, 2010
INDEPENDENCE DAY	MONDAY, JULY 5, 2010
LABOR DAY	MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2010
COLUMBUS DAY	MONDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2010
ELECTION DAY	TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2010
VETERAN'S DAY	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2010
THANKSGIVING	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2010 FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2010
CHRISTMAS	FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2010
NEW YEAR'S EVE	FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2010

IN ADDITION TO THE DAYS LISTED ABOVE, THE COMMISSION WILL OBSERVE AS HOLIDAYS, ANY NATIONAL, STATE OR OTHER ELECTION DAY THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY, AND ALL DAYS WHICH MAY BE APPOINTED OR RECOMMENDED BY THE GOVERNOR, OF THIS STATE, OR THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, AS DAYS OF THANKSGIVING, OR FOR THE GENERAL CESSATION OF BUSINESS, ANY DAY OR PART THEREOF DESIGNATED BY THE GOVERNOR AS TIME OFF, WITHOUT CHARGE AGAINST ACCRUED ANNUAL LEAVE, FOR STATE EMPLOYEES STATEWIDE MAY ALSO BE TIME OFF FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES IF THE COUNTY COMMISSION ELECTS TO DESIGNATE THE DAY OR PART THEREOF AS TIME OFF, WITHOUT CHARGE AGAINST ACCRUED ANNUAL LEAVE FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES. ANY ENTIRE OR PART STATE WIDE DAY OFF DESIGNATED BY THE GOVERNOR MAY, FOR ALL COURTS, BE TREATED AS IF IT WERE A LEGAL HOLIDAY, AS PROVIDE FOR IN 2-2-1 OF THE WEST VIRGINIA CODE, AS AMENDED.

DATE: 12/10/2009

/s/ Dale Manuel
PRESIDENT
JEFFERSON COUNTY COMMISSION

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>May 2010</h1>						
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30	31 HOLIDAY					

June 2010

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CCAWV Legislative Wrap Up

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Jefferson County Commission

In Remembrance...

In honor of the 31 miners involved in the mine disaster at the Upper Big Branch Mine-South



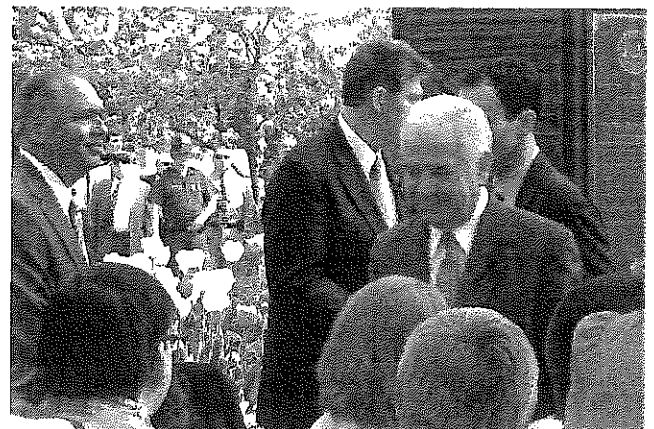
U.S. Senator
John D. Rockefeller



U.S. Secretary of Labor
Hilda L. Solis



Governor Joe Manchin



Senate President Earl Ray Tomblin,
Congressman Nick Joe Rahall, Governor Joe Manchin,
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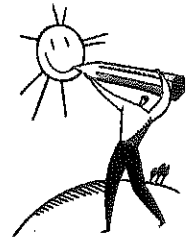
Memorial Service held at the WV State Capitol on April 12, 2010 - 3:30 p.m.

Our sincere condolences to the families and friends of the fallen miners.

A snap shot of where we've been and where we're going...

By Ron Watson

On behalf of "all" County Commissioners I would like to extend a sincere thank you and appreciation to our Executive Director (Vivian) and Lobbyist (Paul Hardesty) for their tireless efforts in getting us through another legislative session. I would like to personally thank President Brad Tuckwiller for the endless hours he spent working the hallways of the Capitol to insure that any legislation passed would be beneficial to all County Commissions or at a minimum.....revenue neutral.

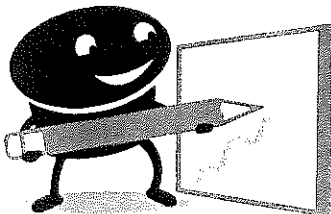


Now that the legislative session has concluded, President Tuckwiller has tendered his resignation in order to devote more attention to family. Brad has been a great mentor and I will do my best to continue to lead our Association in a manner that will instill the highest standards of professionalism.

Let us not forget that we are County Commissioners and as a TEAM (Together Everyone Achieves More) we have the strength and ability to meet the challenges of tomorrow.

I am assessable 24/7 at rwatson@harrisoncountywv.com or by cell (304) 669-0094.

Summing up the 2010 Session with Danny Greathouse, CCAWV Legislative Chair...



For election year antics, the County Commissioners' Association fared well in the first regular legislative session for 2010. As sometimes happens, it was a session for executing a good defensive game more so than offensive attacks. Through many attempts to give away county revenues in some form or fashion, our defensive strategies for the most part, prevailed. When the dust settled and the game was over, our team was still standing and the injuries were minor.

As your legislative chairman, (one who is currently running for state Senate) I'd like to thank those of you who were able to participate in the weekly conference calls and those who were able to spend some time at the Capital and on the phone promoting and/or defending our legislative positions. I was, unfortunately, not able to be there as much as needed. Thanks to Vivian, Paul and Jennifer for keeping the ship afloat! At the spring board meeting, we will regroup, put together some new plays and get ready for the interim study season! Good job to CCAWV's legislative team.

Following is a summary of bills that passed during the 2010 Session. If you would like to review a bill you can look them up at the State of West Virginia Legislative Website: www.legis.state.wv.us

If you have any questions or need further information about a bill please call our office at 304-345-4639!

**County Commissioners' Association of West Virginia
Summary of 2010 Bills**

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SB 41 Relating to Community Enhancement Districts.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §8A-5-12, §16-13E-2 and §16-13E-4 of WV code; and adds a new section, designated §16-13E-10a, all relating to generally to subdivision or land development plans or plats. It extends the vesting period for certain subdivision or land development plans and plats; provides definitions relating to the development of community enhancement districts; and excepts from a utility's submission relating to petitions for the creation of a district the capacity of the district to provide its own utility services.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - April 2, 2010

SB 169 Relating to Economic Development Authority Loan's Criteria.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amend and reenacts §31-15-2 and §31-15-4 of WV Code and adds a new section, designated §31-15-12b, all relating to the West Virginia Economic Development Authority; providing requirements for loan criteria for loans to tourism projects.

New Section: §31-15-12b. Tourism projects; criteria for loans.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this article to the contrary, in developing criteria for loans to a tourism project under this article, the authority shall consider many factors including, but not limited to, whether any specific number of jobs are or will be created by the project, whether any existing jobs or jobs to be created by the project are to meet any specific compensation levels, or whether any existing jobs or jobs to be created by the project provide any specific employee benefits: *Provided*, That no tourism project may be denied a loan for the sole reason that a specific number of jobs will not be created by the project or that existing jobs or jobs to be created by the project will not meet specific compensation levels or offer any specific employee benefits. Any criteria for a loan application for a tourism project under this article shall include a requirement that the applicant provide a jobs impact statement with information as required by the authority.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - April 2010

SB 215 Creating Offense of Assaulting Volunteer Firefighters and Emergency Services Employees.

[Passed March 9, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 2010)

Amends and reenacts §61-2-10b of the WV Code, relating to expanding certain crimes against governmental representatives and health care providers to include emergency service personnel.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 18, 2010

SB 218 Providing for Early Parole Eligibility for Certain Inmates

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 2010)

Amends and reenacts §62-12-13 of the Code of West Virginia, relating to powers and duties of the board of parole; eligibility for parole; changing when an inmate's written parole release plan may be prepared and considered; procedures for granting parole; accelerated parole eligibility for certain inmates who complete a rehabilitation treatment plan created with the assistance of a standardized risk and needs assessment; authorizing the Division of Corrections to promulgate policies and procedures related to accelerated parole eligibility; creating a rebuttable presumption for parole in

certain circumstances; authorizing board of parole to contingently grant parole allowing board of parole to consider inmates for parole who have certain detainers pending against them; reducing the period for parole reconsideration; making technical corrections; and creating an internal effective date for certain amendments to the section.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 31, 2010

SB 232 Transferring Certain Requirements for Redeeming Delinquent Land Sales from County Clerks to State Auditor. [Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Adds two new sections, designated §11A-3-5a and §11A-3-5b; and amends and reenacts §11A-3-6, §11A-3-8, §11A-3-9, §11A-3-11, §11A-3-14, §11A-3-15, §11A-3-16, §11A-3-18, §11A-3-19, §11A-3-20, §11A-3-21, §11A-3-22, §11A-3-23, §11A-3-24, §11A-3-25, §11A-3-26, §11A-3-27, §11A-3-28, §11A-3-29, §11A-3-30, §11A-3-31 and §11A-3-32 of WV Code, all relating to delinquent land sales by the sheriff generally; authorizing the auditor to perform certain duties related to delinquent land sales by the sheriff instead of being performed by the clerk of the county commission.

This bill permits county commissions to order that the county clerk will continue to perform the duties related to delinquent land sales by the sheriff by the following process:

If the clerk of the county commission wants to perform the duties of the State Auditor and retain the fees incident to the duties as set forth herein, then the clerk of the county commission shall petition its county commission for authorization.

If a county clerk wants to retain the duties and fees set forth in this section on the enactment of this section in **2010**, then the county commission's order for authorization must be entered, certified and received by the State Auditor **on or before August 1, 2010**, and will apply to all real properties already purchased at the delinquent land sales by the sheriff and to all real properties subsequently purchased at the delinquent land sales by the sheriff.

In any subsequent year, the county commission's order for authorization must be entered, certified and received by the State Auditor **on or before October 1** and will apply to all real properties subsequently purchased at the delinquent land sales by the sheriff.

The county commission's order for authorization remains in effect until a new order rescinding the authorization is entered and certified by the county commission and is received by the State Auditor on or before October 1 and applies to all real properties subsequently purchased at the delinquent land sales by the sheriff. As long as the county commission's order for authorization remains in effect, the county clerk is authorized to perform the duties of the State Auditor and retain the fees incident to the duties as set forth in this article.

The bill also requires the mailing of a notice to redeem to the physical mailing address for the subject property; prohibits certain assistants from purchasing tax liens; requires certification of real estate by the sheriff to the auditor where the highest bidder bids at least the amount of taxes, interest and charges for which a tax lien is offered for sale; requires notice to the purchaser of the requirement to secure a deed; **increases maximum reimbursable amount for certain legal services**; requires that a person redeeming be given a copy of the written opinion or report used for the preparation of the list of those to be served with notice; **authorizes the county clerk to accept and write a receipt for payment made to redeem delinquent lands on behalf of the auditor**; requires that certain reimbursements to purchasers must be for legal services actually performed; enlarges the time within

which a quitclaim deed must be delivered; authorizes the auditor to appoint designees; and establishes and increases fees for services provided.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: This amount will differ county by county, based on activity. If this duty transfers to the State Auditor's Office, any fees currently collected to county general revenue will transfer with the duty. According to the fiscal note provided last year by the State Auditor's Office, the total amount of anticipated state-wide revenue if all counties transferred these duties to the State Auditor equaled \$435,502.00. Estimates used in determining this fiscal note was derived from data supplied by 29 County Clerks and from the 2005 Sheriff's Tax Sale list that was provided the Auditor's Office.

Signed by Governor - April 2, 2010

SB 237 Authorizing Issuance of Revenue Bonds for Public Projects.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect from passage.]

Amends the Code of West Virginia by adding a new article, designated §13-2H-1, §13-2H-2, §13-2H-3, §13-2H-4, §13-2H-5, §13-2H-6, §13-2H-7, §13-2H-8, §13-2H-9, §13-2H-10, §13-2H-11 and §13-2H-12; and amends and reenacts §29-22C-27 of WV Code, all relating to funding distributions from state lottery revenues generally; providing authorization for municipalities, county commissions and certain boards of education to issue revenue bonds secured by lottery revenue for the purpose of acquiring or constructing public projects; and changing the allocation of a certain distribution from the lottery racetrack table games fund to the purse funds of the thoroughbred racetracks from an equal allocation among the tracks to a pro rata distribution.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: Would allow counties to use lottery revenues to leverage more dollars.

Signed by Governor - March 31, 2010

SB 345 Requiring Telecommunications Tax Study.

[Passed March 9, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 7, 2010)

Amends the Code of West Virginia, adding a new section, designated §11-13B-19, relating to requiring a study of the telecommunications tax. Authorizes the Tax Commissioner to order the disclosure of certain information; exempts certain information received by the Tax Commissioner from the West Virginia Freedom of Information Act; prohibits the disclosure of certain information received by the Tax Commissioner; and authorizes the Tax Commissioner to promulgate rules and emergency rules.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: This is a study, however the results of the study could be recommendations that could affect county revenue (i.e. 911 fees & cable franchising fees)

Signed by Governor - March 18, 2010

SB 352 Creating WV Community Empowerment Transportation Act.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts WV Code §13-1-2, §17-4-47, §17-4-49, and by adding a new article, designated §17-28-1, §17-28-2, §17-28-3, §17-28-4, §17-28-5, §17-28-6, §17-28-7, §17-28-8, §17-28-9, §17-28-10, §17-28-11 and §17-28-12, all relating generally to the creation of the West Virginia Community Empowerment Transportation Act.

This bill authorizes county commissions to issue general obligation bonds for acquiring, maintaining, improving public roads and transportation facilities. It gives counties authority to impose, administer, collect and enforce payment of **voter-approved user fees** to pay for or finance cost of transportation projects within their counties; gives county commissions authority to issue special revenue bonds to finance transportation projects; includes authority to issue refunding bonds; and gives authority to take other actions to finance and complete transportation projects.

It authorizes the Commissioner of Highways to establish procedures relating to review of transportation projects; requires certain governmental entities seeking state funds for transportation projects to submit a transportation project plan to Commissioner of Highways; sets forth transportation project plan requirements; and sets forth conditions for approval by the Commissioner of Highways.

The bill provides notice, advertisement and election requirements for user fees; provides for a comprehensive agreement for a transportation facility between the sponsoring governmental entity and the Division of Highways. It establishes the requirements for qualifying a transportation facility as a public improvement; authorizes information sharing; and requires a bond covering the division for improvements to highway facilities required as a result of development.

It provides that transportation projects are awarded by competitive bidding and subject to prevailing wages; authorizes municipal utilities and public service districts to include into rates costs borne by the utility in contributing moneys or dedicate revenue to transportation project costs; and regulates access from properties to and from state roads.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: There is no fiscal impact unless a county chooses to use the authorizations given in the bill.

Signed by Governor - April 2, 2010

SB 376 Relating to Residential Mortgage Foreclosure Data.

[Passed March 20, 2010; to take effect July 1, 2010.]

Amends and reenacts WV Code §31-18-6, §31A-2-4c, §38-1-8a, §44-13-4a, and §59- 1-10, all relating to gathering, compilation and publication of residential mortgage foreclosure data. It expands the powers and duties of the West Virginia Housing Development Fund to include the receipt, compilation and publication of mortgage foreclosure data and reports contained in reports of sale filed by trustees with county clerks; provides the West Virginia Housing Development Fund with the authority to require additional information to be filed with the reports of sale; and transfers the jurisdiction, powers and duties relative to the receiving, compiling into an electronic data base and making the data available from the Commissioner of Banking to the West Virginia Housing Development Fund. It provides that mortgage financial data and reports received by the Commissioner of Banking under the code provisions prior to the effective date be supplied to the West Virginia Housing Development Fund; and provides that the portion of the fee paid for recording the trustee's report of sale that is paid by county clerks to the Division of Banking be paid to the West Virginia Housing Development Fund. It establishes an effective date of July 1, 2010.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - April 2, 2010

SB 385 Requiring Banks Provide Bond to Secure Certain County Deposits.

[Passed March 11, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 9, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §7-6-2 of the Code of West Virginia, relating to bond requirements for county depositories. It requires that a county depository execute a bond only for the amount of the public money deposited that exceeds the amount of the deposit insured by an agency of the federal government.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 22, 2010

SB 401 Relating to Ad Valorem Property Taxes.

[Passed March 16, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §11-3-1, §11-3-2a, §11-3-10, §11-3-12, §11-3-15, §11-3-19, §11-3-24, §11-3-24a and §11-3-25 of the Code of West Virginia, and adds fourteen new sections, designated §11-3-15a, §11-3-15b, §11-3-15c, §11-3-15d, §11-3-15e, §11-3-15f, §11-3-15g, §11-3-15h, §11-3-15i, §11-3-23a, §11-3-24b, §11-3-25a, §11-3-32 and §11-3-33; and adds a new article, designated §11-6K-1, §11-6K-2, §11-6K-3, §11-6K-4, §11-6K-5, §11-6K-6, §11-6K-7 and §11-6K-8; and amends and reenacts §18-9A-12 of said code, all relating to taxation of real and personal property for ad valorem property tax purposes.

The stated purpose of this bill is to reform and modernize procedures and time frames for assessments of real and personal property, notices of assessments, and appeals of assessments. It provides special provisions for assessment of industrial and natural resources property. **The bill establishes the local board of assessment appeals (county commission) to meet in the fall of the tax year to which taxpayers may appeal as an alternative to the board of equalization and review which meets in February of the tax year.** It authorizes a circuit court, upon an appeal from a board of equalization and review or a board of assessment appeals, **to remand the case back to such board if the court finds the record is inadequate.**

It accelerates date for issuance of notices of increase in assessed value of real property; updates penalties for failure to file required property tax reports and returns; clarifies report and return filing requirements; accelerates due dates for filing reports and returns; and requires assessment of property of limited liability companies.

The bill requires assessors to notify owners of commercial business personal property of increases in assessed values for current assessment year by an established deadline. It provides procedures for property owners to protest notices of assessed valuation and obtain appropriate adjustments from county assessors.

The bill provides for appeal of protested assessments to county board of equalization and review, board of assessment appeals (2nd session in October) and circuit court. It provides for protest of classification or taxability to Tax Commissioner; specifies effective dates; provides for discovery; and authorizes assignment to hearing examiner.

The bill provides methods for assessment of industrial property and natural resources property; establishes time and basis for assessments; specifies form and manner of making returns; and establishes criminal penalties for failure to file.

It provides for tentative appraisals by Tax Commissioner and notification to taxpayers; provides procedures for informal review of tentative appraisals; makes final appraisals; transmits final appraisals to assessors; provides for appeals; and authorizes reductions of assessments upon instruction of Tax Commissioner in certain circumstances. It specifies effective dates; and holds

harmless the local share for public school support for reductions in revenues resulting from decisions of a board of assessment appeals.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: According to the State Tax Department fiscal note, there would be no impact on State or local revenue. Local governments would incur additional administrative costs of \$50,000 per year, state-wide for additional notice mailings and the State Tax Department would incur \$250,000 in additional costs annually. Administrative costs are for additional mailings and taxpayer meetings associated with this bill.

Signed by Governor - April 2, 2010

SB. 427 Renaming and Reorganizing Parkways, Economic Development and Tourism Authority.

[Passed March 13, 2010; to take effect July 1, 2010.]

Amends and reenacts §17-16A-3, §17-16A-5, §17-16A-6, §17-16A-10, §17-16A-11, §17-16A-13a, §17-16A-19, §17-16A-26 and §17-16A-29 of the WV Code; and adds a new section, designated §17-16A-30, all relating to the West Virginia Parkways, Economic Development and Tourism Authority.

As of July 1, 2010, the bill renames the West Virginia Parkways, *Economic Development and Tourism Authority* and reorganizes the membership of the authority to include at least two members representing each current Congressional district.. It authorizes issuance of revenue bonds for parkway projects; and prohibits the authority from constructing new tourism projects or new economic development projects. The term "parkway project" is expanded to bring in any road or portion of road in the state, whether contiguous or noncontiguous to the Turnpike.

The bill clarifies certain powers of the Department of Transportation with respect to parkway projects; clarifies the power of the authority to reimburse the Department of Transportation for costs associated with parkway projects; and clarifies certain powers of the authority with respect to real and personal property.

The bill clarifies the powers of the authority to fix and revise tolls for transit over certain parkway projects; requires notice and public hearings prior to fixing initial rates or tolls on parkway projects; and requires an annual legislative audit of the Parkways Authority.

The bill requires a discount program for purchasers of EZ Pass transponders prior to fixing initial rates or tolls on parkway projects; requires the Parkways Authority to hold informational sessions concerning the discount program for purchasers of EZ Pass transponders; requires EZ Pass transponders to be available without the payment of a security deposit; and requires refunds of paid security deposits through credits on statements.

Finally the bill requires the county commission where a parkway project is located approve a parkways project by resolution; requires the Governor to establish a local committee; and provides duties of the local committee....

§17-16A-30. Coordination with county commission in counties where a parkway project may be located. Once a parkway project is identified by the Authority, the Governor shall appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, two persons from each county where the parkway project is located to serve on a local committee to provide recommendations and suggestions to the Authority on all matters regarding the local identified project. The local committee shall also report any of its findings to the county commission or county commissions of the counties in which the parkway project is located. Prior to any final approval of a parkway project, the county commissions of the counties in which a parkway project is located shall by resolution approve the parkway project.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: No cost to counties.

Signed by Governor - April 2, 2010

SB 442 Clarifying PEIA Finance Board may Offset Certain Annual Retiree Premium Increases.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect from passage.]

Amends and reenacts §5-16D-1 of the WV Code relates to clarifying that the Public Employees Insurance Agency Finance Board may offset annual retiree premium increases with amounts held in the trust. This bill is simply a clarification that, along with employer contributions and retiree contributions, consideration of other available funds, including available funds in the Retiree Health Benefit trust, are an intrinsic part of the Public Employees Insurance Agency Finance Board annual calculation of the minimum annual employer payment.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: No fiscal impact.

Signed by Governor - March 24, 2010

SB 446 Clarifying Deceased Public Employees' Survivors Participate in Comprehensive Group Health Insurance Plans Only.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §5-16-13 of the WV Code clarifies that the surviving spouse and dependents of a deceased public employee participating in a plan of the Public Employees Insurance Agency may only participate in comprehensive group health insurance coverage provided by the Public Employees Insurance Agency.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: No fiscal impact.

Signed by Governor - March 31, 2010

SB 449 Relating to PEIA Preexisting Conditions Limitations.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §5-16-17 of the WV Code, relating to the West Virginia Public Employees Insurance Act generally. For participants enrolling in the plan after the effective date of this bill (June 11, 2010), it prohibits the imposition of pre-existing condition limitations; and while limiting the instances in which participants may enroll or make plan selections.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: No fiscal impact.

Signed by Governor - March 31, 2010

SB. 471 Increasing Circuit Clerks' Copying Charge.

[Passed March 13, 2010; to take effect July 1, 2010.]

Amends and reenacts §59-1-11 of the WV Code, relating to increasing the amount circuit clerks may charge for copies from 50 cents to 75 cents. Fees are deposited into the County General Fund.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: Will increase county revenues.

Signed by Governor - March 31, 2010

SB 494 Providing Fiduciary Commissioner Oversight.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §44-3-1, and §44-3A-35 of WV Code; and by adding a new section, designated §51-10A-6; all relating to fiduciary matters. The bill updates references from the commissioner of accounts to the fiduciary commissioner; requires fiduciary commissioner to file

status reports and settle accounts of certain cases with county clerks; **requires county clerks to file the status report with county commissions**; and prohibits bail bonding companies or bail bond enforcers from providing fiduciary bonds unless licensed by the Insurance Commissioner .

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 24, 2010

SB 573 Allowing Audits to be Published Electronically.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §6-9-7 of the WV Code, relating to allowing audits to be published electronically with notice to the proper authorities.

If any audit examination discloses misfeasance, malfeasance or nonfeasance in office on the part of any public officer or employee, a certified copy of the report shall be published electronically by the chief inspector with notice of the publishing sent in writing to the proper legal authority of the agency, the prosecuting attorney of the county wherein the agency is located and with the Attorney General for such legal action as is proper.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 31, 2010

SB 595 Extending Vesting Period for Subdivision and Land Development Plans.

[Passed March 11, 2010; in effect from passage.]

Amends and reenacts §8A-4-2, and §8A-5-12 of the WV Code, all relating to subdivisions.

The bill extends the approval term of certain uses and permits associated with a subdivision plan or plat and extends the vesting period for a subdivision or land development plan or plat.

*All requirements, for the vesting of property rights contained in an ordinance enacted pursuant to this section that require the performance of any action within a certain time period for any subdivision or land development plan or plat valid under West Virginia law and outstanding as of January 1, 2010, shall be **extended until July 1, 2012, or longer as agreed to by the municipality, county commission or planning commission.** The provisions of this subsection also apply to any requirement that a use authorized pursuant to a special exception, special use permit, conditional use permit or other agreement or zoning action be terminated or ended by a certain date or within a certain number of years.*

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 22, 2010

SB 633 Depositing Public Funds into Certain Federally Insured Accounts.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends the Code of West Virginia by adding a new section, designated §7-6-2a; and amends and reenacts §8-13-22a, §12-1-4, and §18-9-6 of WV Code, all relating to enabling counties, municipalities, the state and county boards of education to deposit public funds into deposit accounts that are swept periodically into multiple federally fully insured deposit accounts through a deposit

placement program with full federal insurance in lieu of a bond or other collateral required of the depository institution.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 22, 2010

SB 635 Requiring State Fire Commission Approve Certain County and Municipal Fire Ordinances.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §29-3-5 and §29-3-5 of WV Code, relating to the State Fire Code. The bill clarifies the State Fire Commission's process for updating the State Fire Code upon adoption of revised codes or standards by the National Fire Protection Association and requires review and approval of county and municipal fire ordinances and agency regulations which impose more stringent standards than those required by the State Fire Code by the West Virginia State Fire Commission.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 31, 2010

HB 4037 Relating Generally to Federal Subsidy Bonds and Bond Financing.

[Passed February 25, 2010; in effect from passage.]

Amends the Code of West Virginia, by adding thereto a new article, designated §13-4-1 and §13-4-2, all relating generally to federal subsidy bonds and bond financing.

This bill authorizes certain bond issuers to receive credit payments with respect to federal subsidy bonds, and to clarify that such bonds are exempt from taxation in the manner set forth in the provisions of the West Virginia Code authorizing said issuance.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 8, 2010

H. B. 4038 Imposing a Statutory Lien on Fire Insurance Proceeds.

[Passed March 11, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 9, 2010)

AN ACT to repeal §33-17-9a of the Code of West Virginia, to amend the WV code by adding a new section, designated §33-12C-6a; and to amend and reenact §33-17-9b; and to amend by adding a new article, designated §38-10E-1 and §38-10E-2, all relating to imposing a statutory lien on fire insurance proceeds in the event of a total loss to real property. The bill requires insurance companies to notify insured and municipality or county after determining that a claim involves a total loss to real property. It requires a municipality or county to perfect the lien within thirty days of notice of a total loss determination; provides for release of the lien upon satisfaction of certain conditions; and authorizes the Insurance Commissioner to declare surplus lines insurers ineligible for certain violations.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - April 1, 2010

H. B. 4130 Creating the WV Supreme Court of Appeals Public Campaign Financing Pilot Program.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)
Amends and reenacts §3-1A-1, §3-1A-4 and §3-1A-5 of the WV Code and by adding a new article, designated §3-12-1, §3-12-2, §3-12-3, §3-12-4, §3-12-5, §3-12-6, §3-12-7, §3-12-8, §3-12-9, §3-12-10, §3-12-11, §3-12-12, §3-12-13, §3-12-14, §3-12-15, §3-12-16 and §3-12-17, all relating to creating the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals Public Campaign Financing Pilot Program...

The purpose of this bill is to provide alternative campaign financing options for candidates for the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals in 2012 through public funds funded through attorney fees, special court fees, and funds from the Treasurer's Unclaimed Property Trust Fund. Candidates participating in the Pilot Project would be required to raise a certain amount of campaign funds to qualify for the program and receive public funds. Candidates accepting public funds are thereafter prohibited from raising or spending money from private sources.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 23, 2010

H. B. 4143 Relating to Emergency Medical Services.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect from passage.]
AN ACT to repeal §16-4C-5a of the WV Code; and to amend and reenact §16-4C-3, §16-4C-6, §16-4C-6a, §16-4C-8, §16-4C-9, §16-4C-10, §16-4C-12 and §16-4C-16, all relating to emergency medical services.

This bill strengthens the authority of the Office of Emergency Medical Services. It requires applicants for certification to allow the state police access to personal background information; requires certified persons to report violations and provides immunity from civil liability for reporting violations; removes automatic stay on appeal and increases criminal penalties for violations.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - April 1, 2010

H. B.4155 Expanding Permitted Uses for Revenues Allocated to Volunteer and Part-Time Fire Departments.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)
Amends and reenacts §8-15-8b of the WV Code, relating to permitting revenues allocated to volunteer and part time fire departments to be used for Workers' Compensation premiums, certain life insurance premiums, educational training supplies and fire prevention promotional materials; and revising references.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: No additional required funding from Counties.

Signed by Governor - March 26, 2010

H. B. 4247 County Discretion for Printed Poll Book.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §3-4A-17 of the WV Code. This bill provides counties the discretion to accompany an electronic poll book with a printed poll book, but does not require it.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 28, 2010

H. B. 4299 Nonstate Retirees Working for Less than 5 yr. Responsible for Entire Premium.

[Passed March 11, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 9, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §5-16-22 of the WV Code, relating to the West Virginia Public Employees Insurance Agency. This bill provides that those retired employees of an employer not participating in the plan who retire on or after July 1, 2010, who have participated in the plan as active employees of the employer for less than five years are responsible for the entire premium cost for coverage and the Public Employees Insurance Agency shall bill for and collect the entire premium from the retired employees, unless the employer elects to pay the employer share of the premium.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: This bill should help with future OPEB liability for those employees working less than 5 years, unless the County chooses to pay a portion of the retiree's premium

Signed by Governor - March 19, 2010

H. B. 4335 Relating to the Business Registration Tax.

[Passed March 11, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 9, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §11-12-5 of the WV Code, relating to the business registration tax generally.

This bill clarifies that the West Virginia Code §11-12-3 requirements, exemptions and exceptions apply with relation to the business registration tax and business registration certificate, and further clarifies that, subject to the requirements, exemptions and exceptions of West Virginia Code §11-12-3, the tax is imposed for each and every issuance, reissuance or reinstatement of a business registration certificate.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 23, 2010

H. B. 4352 Creation of Business Court Division.

[Passed March 11, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 9, 2010)

Amends the WV Code, by adding a new section, designated §51-2-15. The West Virginia Legislature finds that, due to the complex nature of litigation involving highly technical commercial issues, there is a need for a separate and specialized court docket to be maintained in West Virginia's most populated circuit court districts with specific jurisdiction over actions involving such commercial issues and disputes between businesses. Under this legislation the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals is authorized to designate a business court division within the circuit court of any judicial district with a population in excess of sixty thousand according to the 2000 Federal Decennial Census. Upon the determination to designate business court divisions, the West Virginia Supreme

Court of Appeals shall promulgate rules for the establishment and jurisdiction of the business court divisions within its circuit court system.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0- According to the fiscal note provided by the Supreme Court, it will cost the state budget a total of \$1,250,000.00 as follows:

Travel expenses for judges: 50,000
 Occupancy: 200,000
 Computers, Software, Copiers: 50,000
 Specialized Judicial Education: 200,000
 Special Commissioners: 500,000
 Court Manager & Support Staff: 250,000
 Total cost: 1,250,000

Signed by Governor - March 19, 2010

H. B. 4359 Requiring Local Labor for public Construction Projects.

[Passed March 11, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 9, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §21-1C-2 of the WV Code, relating to requiring local labor for public construction projects. The bill reduces the dollar amount of the applicable construction project to \$500,000; reduces the amount of miles for the local labor market to fifty miles; and clarifies the definition of local labor market.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -?-

Signed by Governor - March 19, 2010

H. B. 4407 Rabies Vaccinations Schedule for Dogs and Cats.

[Passed March 8, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 6, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §19-20A-2 and §19-20A-5 of the WV Code, all relating to individual owners' requirement to have rabies vaccination of their dogs and cats of a certain age. The bill updates the law regarding the rabies vaccinations of dogs and cats. Specifically, this bill would require a dog or cat to receive a rabies vaccination capable of providing immunity for three years instead of two years under the current law. Also, booster shots will be given the year after vaccination and every three years thereafter. It also provides for the appointment of a qualified person to vaccinate when there is no licensed veterinarian in the county; and requires rabies vaccinations for dogs and cats prior to entering the state.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 16, 2010

H. B. 4486 Tax Tickets Concerning Property Taxes.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §11A-3-52 and §11A-3-55 of the WV Code, all relating to the procedures, notice and redemption requirements which apply when Class II real property is auctioned or sold for failure to pay taxes. The bill requires the purchaser of real property at a tax lien sale or auction to provide the actual mailing address for the Class II property as a part of the post-sale or post-auction information provided to the deputy commissioner; and requires that a copy of the notice of the right to redeem the property be sent to the actual mailing address of the Class II property, in the name of "Occupant".

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -?- May increase the postage costs.

Signed by Governor - April 2, 2010

H. B. 4524 Revising the Definition of "all-terrain vehicle."

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §17A-1-1, §17A-6-1, §17F-1-9 of the WV Code, all relating to a revision of the definition of "all-terrain vehicle." The bill includes a definition for utility terrain vehicle and authorizes the same restrictions and conditions on the use of utility- terrain vehicles as on all-terrain vehicles.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - March 25, 2010

H. B. 4541 Utilizing County and Municipal Jails for Holding and Short-stay.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Amends and reenacts §31-20-9, §31-20-10 and §31-20-32 of the WV Code, all relating to authorizing circuit court judges and magistrates to utilize county or municipal jails to detain persons charged with a crime up to ninety-six hours, or, to confine persons convicted of a crime for not more than fourteen days. The bill eliminates any restrictions for county or municipal jails to be used only as holding facilities; and distributes certain processing fees that normally go to the Regional Jail Authority to the municipalities or counties.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: County or Municipal jail facilities would have to meet the standards required for holding facilities as set by the Jail Standards Committee created in statute. In facilities holding inmates for longer than 12 hours the standards increase considerably and for longer than 72 hours, require staffing like running a full time jail. Also, wide-spread use by counties and municipalities could reduce revenues to the Regional Jail Authority and ultimately cause RJA per diems to rise. Taking advantage of this provision will require careful review and consideration of cost.

Signed by Governor - March 28, 2010

H. B. 4615 Political Subdivision Given Authority to Create Risk Pool for Workers' Comp.

[Passed March 12, 2010; in effect from passage.]

Amends and reenacts §29-12A-16 of the WV Code, relating to authorizing political subdivisions to establish risk pools to insure their workers' compensation risks. The bill provides that political subdivisions may not make application to the Insurance Commissioner to operate a risk pool until rules promulgated to regulate such programs have been made effective; and authorizes the Insurance Commissioner to promulgate emergency rules.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: Could ultimately provide cost-saving and market stability to counties.

Signed by Governor - April 1, 2010

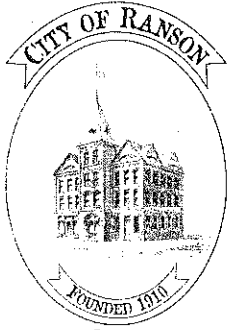
H. B. 4647 Relating to the Regulation and Control of Elections.

[Passed March 13, 2010; in effect ninety days from passage.] (June 11, 2010)

Repeals §3-9-14 of the WV Code, and amends and reenacts §3-8-1, §3-8-1a, §3-8-2, §3-8-8 and §3-8-12, all relating to the regulation and control of elections. The bill amends and deletes certain definitions; expands reporting requirements for independent expenditures; and provides for electronic filing of reports of independent expenditures. It authorizes the Secretary of State to promulgate rules relating to reports of independent expenditures; retains prohibition on corporate contribution; and repeals the ban on corporate independent expenditures.

Fiscal Impact to Counties: -0-

Signed by Governor - April 1, 2010



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April 6, 2010

Commissioner Lyn Widmyer
President
Jefferson County Commission
PO Box 250
Charles Town, WV 25414

Re: Reappointment of Terry Marcus to the Eastern Panhandle HOME Consortium Council of West Virginia

Dear Commissioner Widmyer:

It is our understanding that Terry Marcus' appointment to the Eastern Panhandle HOME Consortium Council of West Virginia expires on June 30, 2010. We also understand that in the initial formation of the Council in 2006, the City of Charles Town requested that their City Planner be appointed and Ranson requested that Terry Marcus be appointed to ensure a municipal connection with the Council and the HOME program. At that time the Commission also appointed Dale Manuel and Greg Didden from Shepherdstown as an alternate. To this end, we have discussed this matter as a Council and would like to request the Jefferson County Commission to reappoint Terry Marcus to continue his service on this Council. Mr. Marcus has served the City of Ranson and Jefferson County well through the years and we think he has the professional knowledge to be an effective representative for the County. We, as a Council, want to offer our full endorsement for the reappointment of Terry Marcus to another 3 year term from July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2013, on the Eastern Panhandle HOME Consortium Council of West Virginia.

I thank you in advance for your time and attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

A. David Hamill
Mayor

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Jefferson County Commission



APPOINTMENT OF TERRY L. MARCUS
PARTNERSHIP FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING

I, Mayor A. David Hamill, hereby appoint Terry L. Marcus to serve as a member of the Partnership for Affordable Housing as a representative of the City of Ranson.

A David Hamill
Mayor A. David Hamill

4/6/10
Date

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY,
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Defendants

ORDER SETTING HEARING

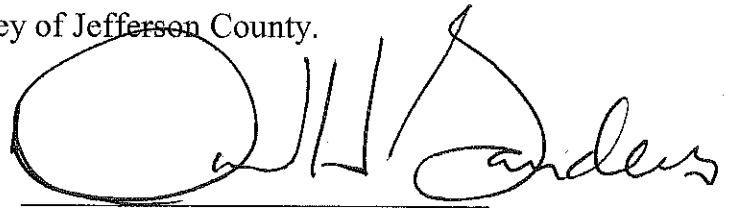
This matter came upon review of the case, which is an appeal of real estate assessment.

It is therefore **ORDERED and ADJUDGED** that a Hearing shall take place on the **13th day of May, 2010 at 1:00 p.m.** before this court at 100 East Washington Street, Charles Town, WV, at which time the Plaintiff and Defendant shall appear.

The Circuit Clerk is ordered to enter the Order upon receipt and shall transmit an attested copy to all parties listed and to any counsel of record including the Prosecuting Attorney of Jefferson County.

4 cc's

S. Fuller
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Jeff. Co. Comm.



David H. Sanders, Judge
23rd Judicial Circuit

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Phone: (913) 859-9674

Fax: (913) 438-9260

Month Collected for : 03/01/10 - 03/31/10

Contact Name: Tiffany Barnes

Date Remitted: 04/20/10

	<u>Residential</u>		<u>Centrex</u>
# Lines	<u>1,037</u>	# Lines	<u>0</u>
Tax Rate	<u>2.90</u>	Tax Rate	<u>0.00</u>
Amount Billed	<u>3,007.30</u>	Amount Billed	<u>0.00</u>
Admin Fee	<u>0.00</u>	Admin Fee	<u>0.00</u>
Net Remittance	<u>3,007.30</u>		<u>0.00</u>
Total Remittance		<u>3,007.30</u>	

Signed:



04/08/10

Date

Name & Title: Tiffany Barnes, Preparer

I hereby declare that all information provided herein is true, complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

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INVOICE NO	DATE	GROSS AMOUNT	DISCOUNT AMOUNT	NET AMOUNT
48601 004-WVE911JEFF	4/12/2010	51,315.74	.00	51,315.74
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Jefferson County
P. O. Box 250
Charles Town, WV 25414

FEIN No: 06-1449041
Report Month: Mar-10

A. Gross Line Count	17,663.00
B. Less Adjustments	0.00
C. Net Line Count	17,663.00
D. Line Rate	2.90
E. Surcharge Billed	51,222.70
F. Centrex Line Count	2,317.41
G. Centrex Line Rate	0.725
H. Surcharge Billed	1,680.12
I. Administrative Fee Rate	0.03
J. Administrative Fee Taken	1,587.08
K. Net Surcharge Remitted	51,315.74

Signature: 
Name: Joe Mbrabito
Title: Tax Accountant
Phone: 203-614-5105

Date: 4/12/2010

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AGENCY: AUDITORS OFFICE INTERNAL USE
TOTAL: \$405.74

WARRANT #: 1008286349
DATE: 04/16/10

TRANSACTION ID	INVOICE NUMBER &	PAYEE REFERENCE	PURCHASE ORDER	AMOUNT
I010891511	3RD QTR 2010 REBATE,	WVSTATEAUDITOR		\$405.74

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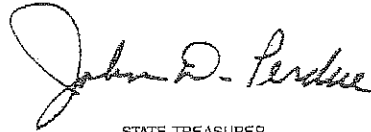
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APRIL 16, 2010

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WEST VIRGINIA TREASURY



STATE TREASURER



STATE AUDITOR

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INDEPENDENT FIRE CO. NO. 1, INC.

ORGANIZED 1884

MAILING:
P.O. BOX 925
CHARLES TOWN, WV 25414

LOCATION:
200 W. SECOND AVENUE
RANSON, WV 25438

PHONE: 304-725-2514

FAX: 304-728-6006

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14 April, 2010

CHARLES TOWN BUILDING or Resident
100 E Washington St
Charles Town, WV 25414-1072



Dear Neighbor,

Another year is upon us and with that Independent Fire Company is in its 126th year of service to this community. With each passing year the need for our services have grown and unfortunately so has the need for additional funds in order to continue operating. Individually all of us are suffering from the ever increasing cost of living from day to day and the difficulty in trying to keep our heads above water. The fact that we are a volunteer based organization provides a tremendous savings to the community. If it were tallied this savings would be in the hundreds of thousands of dollars county wide. Although we are able to save by not having to provide salaries, every other aspect of our service comes at a price.

This year like last we are making every effort to be as frugal as we can with the funding received from the community during these hard times. In 2009 Independent's members logged 5,000 hours performing fund raising events in order to generate additional operating capital to serve you. Our major fund raising activity is a weekly bingo which in recent years has seen a sharp decrease in attendance and consequently a severe decrease in money collected. In fact, bingo and other activities are projected to account for only 11.86% of our income. In addition to that, contributions from state, county and municipal governments combined will account for only 15.44% of our income which will most likely decrease even further than projected.

If not for your generous contributions in past years we would not have been able to provide this much needed emergency service. Unlike many other important services in the county fire, rescue, and ems services exist to protect life and property. The services we provide are a necessity, not an option! Please consider making an investment by donating to Independent Fire Company.

Sincerely,

James E. Watson, III
President

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Jefferson County Commission

Please detach the top of this letter and return with your Donation.

We do not do door to door or telephone solicitations so please report anyone representing us attempting this method. This mailing is done at Independent by your volunteers, to save on the cost.

Amount of Contribution \$35 \$50 \$75 \$100 \$200 Other \$

Check Number Date

Your Donation may be tax deductible.

Make Checks Payable to:

Make address changes on the other side.

Independent Fire Company, Inc.

This year's goal: \$100,000.

A small donation from each household will enable us to reach our goal.

Thanks to your help our goal was reached the past six years, please help us make it seven.

(Detach and return with your tax deductible donation)

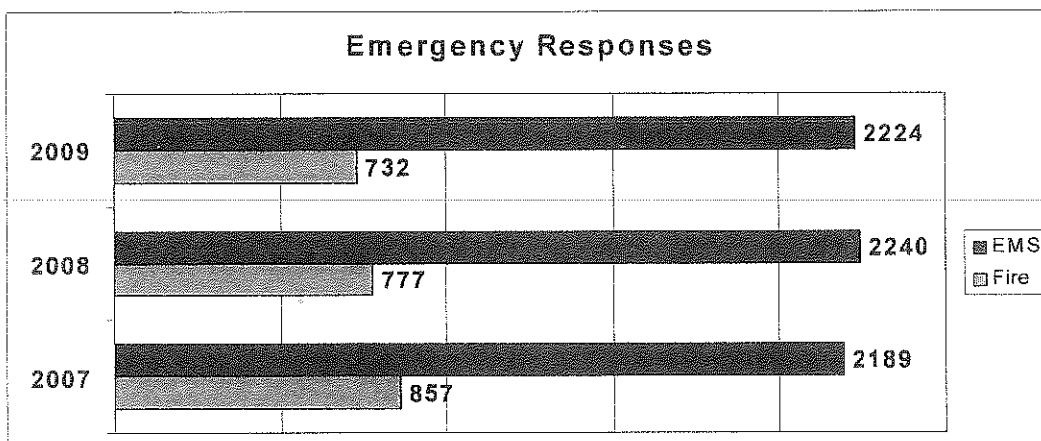
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The Value of Volunteers

Our members are not paid or reimbursed for any of their time or expenses. Here are some facts about how much money volunteers save taxpayers:

- A paid fire company with 10 people costs approximately **\$1,000,000** per year to operate (salary and benefits only).
- We provide as many as 40 people, 3 fire trucks, 2 Ambulances(with help from JCESA), and a Rescue Squad (equipment valued at approximately \$3,000,000).
- Volunteers respond 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. We do not have holidays or days off.
- Our members spent nearly **12,000 hours** at Fire and EMS incidents in 2009.
- Our members spent **5,000 hours** fundraising and work details in 2009.
- Our members spent **1,545 hours** training in 2009.

Some 2010 Projected Expenditures:	
Vehicle Fuel:	\$20,000
Insurance:	\$54,000
Fire & EMS Equipment:	\$45,000
Apparatus Maintenance:	\$30,000
Utilities:	\$20,000
Office Supplies, Postage & Equipment:	\$20,000
Total:	\$189,000



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Speedy help with your printing
needs. Please let us know if
we can be of further assistance.

Thank you
Robin
Sir Speedy

WEST VIRGINIA LOTTERY
WEEKLY SETTLEMENT FOR CHARLES TOWN

Week Ending Date	Week Ending April 17, 2010 FYN
To be Deposited on:	April 23, 2010
Amount Played	82,407,144.36
Amount Won	74,051,725.70
Amount Promo	296,379.00
MWAP Contribution	<u>34,049.00</u>
Adjusted Gross Terminal Revenue	<u>8,024,990.66</u>
Administrative Costs @ 4%	0.00
Excess Lottery Fund @ 4%	<u>320,999.62</u>
Net Terminal Revenue	<u>7,703,991.04</u>
Surcharge @ 10%	770,399.10
State Share Excess @ 58%	446,831.48
Track Share of Capital Reinvestment @ 42%	323,567.62
Track Share of Capital Reinvestment @ 42% - 85%	\$ 310,624.92
Track Share of Capital Reinvestment @ 42% - 4%	\$ 12,942.70
Adjusted Net Terminal Revenue	<u>6,833,591.94</u>
Racetrack @ 46.50% / 42%	2,912,108.61
Lottery Fund @ 30% / 0%	0.00
Excess Lottery Fund @ 0% / 41%	2,842,772.70
Race Track Purses @ 7% / 14% / 8%	554,687.36
Workers' Compensation Debt Reduction @ 7%	0.00
Employee Pension Fund @ 1% / .5%	34,667.96
Greyhound Development @ .75%	52,001.94
Thoroughbred Development @ .75%	52,001.94
Racing Commission @ 1%	69,335.92
County/Municipality @ 2%	138,871.84
1% Funds:	
Tourism Promotion Fund @ 1.375%	95,336.89
Development Office Promotion Fund @ .375%	28,000.97
Research Challenge Fund @ .5%	34,667.96
Capitol Renovation and Improvement Fund @ .6875%	47,668.44
2004 Capitol Complex Parking Garage Fund @ .0625%	4,333.49
1% Funds:	
State Capitol Complex Parking Garage @ 1%	0.00
Cultural Facilities and Capitol Resources @ .5%	0.00
Capitol Dome and Capitol Improvements @ .5% / 1%	<u>69,335.92</u>
	<u>6,933,591.94</u>

WEST VIRGINIA LOTTERY
 First Benchmark
 Charles Town
 County / City Split
 Fiscal Year 2009

Charles Town
 1999 Net Terminal Revenue \$ 45,603,174
 Benchmark Goal @ 2% \$ 912,063.48

DATE	2% OF ADJ. NET REVENUE	TO JEFFERSON COUNTY	TO FIVE CITIES	BOLIVAR 12.42%	CHARLES TOWN 34.56%	HARPERS FERRY 3.65%	RANSON 35.08%	SHEPHERDS TOWN 14.29%
4 days ending: 7/1/09- 7/4/09	\$ 129,262.42	\$ 128,262.42	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Week ending:								
07/11/09	\$ 160,815.08	\$ 160,815.08	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
07/18/09	\$ 160,852.98	\$ 160,852.98	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
07/25/09	\$ 158,869.08	\$ 158,869.08	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
08/01/09	\$ 174,493.08	\$ 174,493.08	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
08/08/09	\$ 155,846.74	\$ 138,408.80	\$ 17,437.94	\$ 2,165.79	\$ 6,026.55	\$ 636.48	\$ 6,117.24	\$ 2,491.88
08/15/09	\$ 182,444.28	\$ 81,222.14	\$ 81,222.14	\$ 10,057.79	\$ 28,070.37	\$ 2,954.61	\$ 28,492.73	\$ 11,806.64
08/22/09	\$ 152,520.62	\$ 76,260.31	\$ 76,260.31	\$ 9,471.53	\$ 26,355.58	\$ 2,783.50	\$ 26,752.12	\$ 10,897.60
08/29/09	\$ 160,945.84	\$ 80,472.82	\$ 80,472.82	\$ 9,994.74	\$ 27,811.44	\$ 2,937.26	\$ 26,229.90	\$ 11,499.58
09/05/09	\$ 161,596.30	\$ 80,798.15	\$ 80,798.15	\$ 10,035.13	\$ 27,823.84	\$ 2,949.13	\$ 28,343.99	\$ 12,330.40
09/12/09	\$ 172,573.84	\$ 86,286.92	\$ 86,286.92	\$ 10,716.84	\$ 29,820.78	\$ 3,149.47	\$ 30,259.45	\$ 12,330.40
09/19/09	\$ 140,020.30	\$ 70,010.15	\$ 70,010.15	\$ 8,695.26	\$ 24,195.51	\$ 2,555.37	\$ 24,559.56	\$ 10,004.45
09/26/09	\$ 138,633.74	\$ 69,316.87	\$ 69,316.87	\$ 8,609.16	\$ 23,955.91	\$ 2,530.07	\$ 24,316.35	\$ 9,905.38
10/03/09	\$ 144,572.08	\$ 72,286.04	\$ 72,286.04	\$ 8,977.93	\$ 24,982.06	\$ 2,638.44	\$ 25,357.93	\$ 10,329.68
10/10/09	\$ 139,301.26	\$ 69,650.63	\$ 69,650.63	\$ 8,650.61	\$ 24,071.25	\$ 2,542.25	\$ 24,433.44	\$ 9,953.08
10/17/09	\$ 147,120.42	\$ 73,560.21	\$ 73,560.21	\$ 9,136.18	\$ 25,422.41	\$ 2,684.93	\$ 25,604.82	\$ 10,511.75
10/24/09	\$ 135,163.32	\$ 67,581.66	\$ 67,581.66	\$ 8,393.64	\$ 23,356.22	\$ 2,466.73	\$ 23,707.65	\$ 9,657.42
10/31/09	\$ 128,056.60	\$ 64,528.30	\$ 64,528.30	\$ 8,014.41	\$ 22,300.88	\$ 2,355.28	\$ 22,636.54	\$ 9,221.09
11/07/09	\$ 127,483.18	\$ 63,741.59	\$ 63,741.59	\$ 7,916.71	\$ 22,029.09	\$ 2,326.57	\$ 22,380.55	\$ 9,108.67
11/14/09	\$ 131,919.28	\$ 65,859.64	\$ 65,859.64	\$ 8,192.19	\$ 22,785.65	\$ 2,407.53	\$ 23,136.64	\$ 9,425.63
11/21/09	\$ 119,094.10	\$ 59,547.05	\$ 59,547.05	\$ 7,395.74	\$ 20,578.46	\$ 2,173.47	\$ 20,889.11	\$ 8,509.27
11/28/09	\$ 144,799.96	\$ 72,399.98	\$ 72,399.98	\$ 8,992.08	\$ 25,021.43	\$ 2,642.80	\$ 25,397.91	\$ 10,345.96
12/05/09	\$ 102,013.02	\$ 51,006.51	\$ 51,006.51	\$ 6,335.01	\$ 17,627.85	\$ 1,861.74	\$ 17,893.08	\$ 7,288.63
12/12/09	\$ 104,921.16	\$ 52,460.58	\$ 52,460.58	\$ 6,515.60	\$ 18,130.38	\$ 1,914.81	\$ 18,403.17	\$ 7,486.62
12/19/09	\$ 85,668.76	\$ 32,834.39	\$ 32,834.39	\$ 4,078.03	\$ 11,347.57	\$ 1,198.46	\$ 11,518.30	\$ 4,862.03
12/26/09	\$ 108,812.68	\$ 53,406.34	\$ 53,406.34	\$ 6,833.07	\$ 18,457.23	\$ 1,949.33	\$ 18,734.94	\$ 7,631.77
01/02/10	\$ 185,960.80	\$ 82,980.40	\$ 82,980.40	\$ 11,546.17	\$ 32,134.03	\$ 3,393.78	\$ 32,817.52	\$ 13,286.90
01/09/10	\$ 110,040.92	\$ 55,020.46	\$ 55,020.46	\$ 6,833.54	\$ 19,015.07	\$ 2,008.25	\$ 19,301.16	\$ 7,862.42
01/16/10	\$ 121,102.56	\$ 60,551.28	\$ 60,551.28	\$ 7,520.47	\$ 20,928.52	\$ 2,210.12	\$ 21,241.39	\$ 8,652.78
01/23/10	\$ 139,887.08	\$ 69,943.53	\$ 69,943.53	\$ 8,686.99	\$ 24,172.48	\$ 2,552.94	\$ 24,536.19	\$ 9,994.93
01/30/10	\$ 97,055.50	\$ 48,527.75	\$ 48,527.75	\$ 6,027.15	\$ 16,771.19	\$ 1,771.26	\$ 17,023.53	\$ 6,934.62
02/06/10	\$ 74,310.28	\$ 37,155.14	\$ 37,155.14	\$ 4,614.87	\$ 12,840.82	\$ 1,356.16	\$ 13,034.02	\$ 5,309.47
02/13/10	\$ 88,868.00	\$ 44,334.00	\$ 44,334.00	\$ 5,508.28	\$ 15,321.83	\$ 1,618.18	\$ 15,552.37	\$ 6,335.33
02/20/10	\$ 153,892.24	\$ 76,946.12	\$ 76,946.12	\$ 9,956.71	\$ 26,592.58	\$ 2,608.53	\$ 26,992.70	\$ 10,995.60
02/27/10	\$ 144,046.60	\$ 72,024.40	\$ 72,024.40	\$ 8,945.43	\$ 24,881.63	\$ 2,628.89	\$ 25,266.16	\$ 10,282.29
03/06/10	\$ 153,873.70	\$ 76,936.85	\$ 76,936.85	\$ 9,555.56	\$ 26,589.37	\$ 2,808.20	\$ 26,899.44	\$ 10,894.28
03/13/10	\$ 142,014.74	\$ 71,007.37	\$ 71,007.37	\$ 8,819.12	\$ 24,540.15	\$ 2,591.77	\$ 24,909.38	\$ 10,146.95
03/20/10	\$ 148,870.76	\$ 74,335.38	\$ 74,335.38	\$ 9,232.45	\$ 25,690.31	\$ 2,713.24	\$ 26,076.85	\$ 10,622.53
03/27/10	\$ 139,883.76	\$ 69,941.88	\$ 69,941.88	\$ 8,686.78	\$ 24,171.91	\$ 2,552.88	\$ 24,535.62	\$ 9,994.69
04/03/10	\$ 141,272.56	\$ 70,636.28	\$ 70,636.28	\$ 8,773.03	\$ 24,411.90	\$ 2,578.22	\$ 24,779.21	\$ 10,093.92
04/10/10	\$ 139,385.58	\$ 69,692.79	\$ 69,692.79	\$ 8,655.84	\$ 24,085.83	\$ 2,543.79	\$ 24,446.23	\$ 9,959.10
04/17/10	\$ 138,671.84	\$ 68,335.92	\$ 68,335.92	\$ 8,611.52	\$ 23,962.50	\$ 2,530.78	\$ 24,323.04	\$ 9,908.10
Subtotal	\$ 5,752,339.24	\$ 3,332,201.37	\$ 2,420,137.87	\$ 300,581.15	\$ 836,399.63	\$ 88,335.03	\$ 848,984.35	\$ 345,837.70

Benchmark Goal @ 2% \$ 912,063.48

Remainder until 1% / 1% Split \$ -

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Subject: Re: County Commission Agenda

As per your declaration that citizens/taxpayers/voters respond to agenda items, please consider my comment on the following agenda item:

"Recommendation to Approve Contract to Hire Downstream Strategies as the Consultant to Implement the National Fish

and Wildlife Foundation Grant " I find it very much without precedent that a grantee would turn around and hire a consultant to implement an award contract. Do you not have a staff person who can implement it? If not, how were you awarded the contact in the first place--As a Federal government person, I surely wouldn't have done so. How is it that Jefferson County does not have a staff person to implement the contract, with no additional cost to the contract. You all act as if the money tree will flow forever. Given me a break and act responsibly. Perhaps Jennifer and Roger can together manage a simple contract.

Sincerely,

Gil N Garcia

Harpers Ferry

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Laura Kuhn

From: "Sandy McDonald" <sandy@jeffersoncountywv.org>
To: "Laura Kuhn" <laura@jeffersoncountywv.org>
Sent: Tuesday, March 16, 2010 3:59 PM
Subject: Fw: Martin DeLany B'Day

Agenda info for next month and I will add this to the calendar

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From: Lyn Widmyer
To: Sandy Slusher McDonald
Sent: Tuesday, March 16, 2010 3:21 PM
Subject: Fwd: Martin DeLany B'Day

Sandy could you put this on the Commissioner's calendars? Thanks, Lyn

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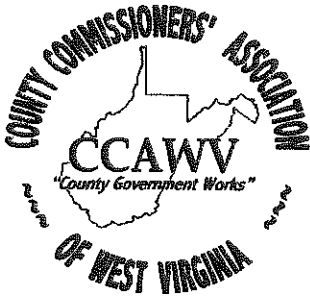
From: **Hough, John** <JHough@apus.edu>
Date: Tue, Mar 16, 2010 at 2:20 PM
Subject: Martin DeLany B'Day
To: Lyn Widmyer <lynwidmyer@gmail.com>

Hi Lyn, Thursday May 6 will be Martin DeLany's 198th Birthday. The Jefferson County Black History Preservation Society will be recognizing his birthday at Fishermen's Hall at 7:00 on May 6, 2010. We would be honored if you could attend this very special event. Thanks, John

P.S. Please invite the rest of the County Commission.

John D. Hough, Ed.D | Associate Provost for External Affairs

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of West Virginia*

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March 31, 2010

Dear County Commissioners and Staff:

It's time to make plans to attend the County Commissioners' Association of WV's Spring Board & Legislative Committee meeting scheduled for May 23-24, 2010, at the Clarion Hotel & Conference Center, Shepherdstown, WV. A block of rooms have been reserved at \$81.00 per night. Reservations should be made by calling The Clarion at 304-876-7000. April 30th is the reservation cutoff date. Check in time on Sunday is after 4:00 p.m. and checkout is 11:00 a.m.

Following is the "tentative meeting schedule..."

Sunday – May 23, 2010

4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. Legislative Meeting
7:00 p.m. Dinner

Monday – May 24, 2010

8:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m.- Breakfast
9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. – CCA Board Meeting
12:00 noon- Lunch
1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – CCA Board Meeting continued

The registration fee for the board meeting will be \$125.00 per county attendee/ \$45.00 for guests. Registration for guests includes dinner, breakfast, and lunch. Please clip the registration form below and return to this office by May 7, 2010 or fax your registration to 346-3512.

Cancellation Policy: *There will be no penalty for cancellations received on or before May 7, 2010! May 8, 2010, and there after, all no-shows will be charged the full registration amount. We apologize for the need to adopt this policy, but on this date, the costs for room rentals, refreshments, etc. are incurred on your behalf even when you cancel and the Association is stuck with covering the cost. Thanks for your cooperation!*

Name	Title	County
_____	I will attend Spring Board & Legislative Mtg./	Bill my County \$125.00 Registration Fee
_____	I will attend/	Check enclosed for \$125.00 Registration Fee
_____	I am unable to attend	

_____ My Guest(s) will attend

Name
_____ Will pay (\$45.00 per guest) at door (Includes Dinner on Sunday, breakfast and lunch on Monday)
_____ Check for Guest(s) enclosed (\$45.00 per guest)

WVACo Board of Directors
Spring Board Meeting Draft Agenda
Hilton Garden Inn, Clarksburg, Harrison County
June 14 - 15, 2010

Monday, June 14th

4:00 - 6:00 p.m. Registration
 5:00 p.m. Annual Meeting / Reception Committee Meeting
 6:00 p.m. Hospitality Suite Open for the Evening
 7:00 p.m. Group Dinner (Location to be determined)

Tuesday, June 15th

8:30 - 9:00 Breakfast
 9:00 a.m. General Session - WVACo Business Meeting
 Pledge of Allegiance
 Roll Call/ Establish Quorum/Approval of Minutes
 Self-Introductions
 Welcome from Harrison County Officials
 Remarks from Outgoing President - *Circuit Clerk David "Bugs" Stover, Wyoming County*
 Welcome from the President - *Gerry Hough, Prosecuting Attorney, Gilmer County*
 Report & Brief Board Orientation from Executive Director - *Patti Hamilton*
 Update on Dental/Vision Benefit Plan - *Kathy Hughes Yates*
 Update on WV Counties Risk Pool - *Patti Hamilton*
 ⇒Follow-Up Action Items from Strategic Planning Session - Assignments

10:30 a.m. *Take a Break!*
 ⇒Committee Appointments for 2010-2011
 ⇒Budget Committee Report / Adopt Budget for Fiscal Year 2011 - *Committee Chair*
 ⇒Report from Annual Meeting/Reception Committee / Approve Preliminary Plans - *Committee Chair*
 ⇒Report from Compensation Committee / Accept Report
 ⇒Approve Renewal of Contract for Knight Consulting Services for FY 2011

Noon - Luncheon - Area Legislators Invited
 1:00 - 3:00 Power Point Presentation - Review of Legislative Session
 Legislative Interim Topics
 Begin Planning for 2011 Legislative Session
 Old Business
 New Business

⇒ Action Items

Free Time After Business Meeting - Enjoy the Area or Head Home!

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