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February 28, 1972

The Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County met in regular adjourned session with all members of the Board present.

Approved the minutes of the meeting of February 24, 1972.

Comm. Order
979

The Board approved Commissioners Cancellation Order No. 979. Order is on file in the office of the County Clerk.

Mud Creek: memo
to Sierra Club
to C of E

Board noted receipt of a copy from the Sierra Club of Lawrence to the U. S. Corps of Engineers setting out comment of that organization relative to environmental impact to the Mud Creek flood protection project.

Valleyview Home:
Discussion by
Douglas Co.
Comprehensive
Health Planning
Council

The nursing home study of the Douglas County Comprehensive Health Planning Council appeared before the Board. Those persons appearing were Mrs. Cerf, Mr. Calvin, Mrs. McKinney, Mr. Postma, Mrs. Branson, and Mrs. Lauppe. The purpose of the visit of the committee was to discuss with the Board nursing homes and their operation in Douglas County with specific attention given to Valleyview, since Valleyview is a county home. Specifically the subcommittee is interested in improving nursing home operation in Douglas County and it was generally agreed that the freezing of nursing home rates by the State Department of Social Welfare for welfare patients was probably having an effect on the operation of certain nursing homes. The committee agreed to explore avenues in which they can be helpful in this situation. A request was made by the committee of the Board to investigate the possibility of Valleyview becoming a skilled nursing home. The Board agreed to discuss this possibility with Mr. & Mrs. Nice.

Dr. Ted Kennedy
to discuss pending
subdivision
regulations

Dr. Ted Kennedy, a citizen interested in pending subdivision regulations, appeared before the Board to discuss the need for, the status of, and possible changes which might be considered in regulations now being presented and studied by the planning commission. Dr. Kennedy's prime concern was that every effort be made to inform the citizens of Douglas County of the content of the regulations being proposed and with this suggestion the Board agreed.

Clinton Township
roads discussion
re. road closing
near Clinton
Reservoir

The Clinton Township Board, Mr. Alvin Harrell, Mr. Gene Benander and Pete McNees, appeared before the Board to discuss and to get information relative to the roads which are to be closed in Clinton township relative to the nearing of construction start of Clinton Reservoir. The Board indicated to the Clinton representatives that these closings would be posted as of May 1, and that actual barricading of the closed roads would come only when construction necessitated such. It was agreed during the discussion that the posting of the roads would be carried out by the office of the Douglas County Engineer.

Gov. Comm. on
Manpower Planning
Audit showed
no discrepancies

The Board noted receipt of a communication from the Governor's Committee on Manpower Planning indicating that an audit of our public employment program as of February 17, 1972 indicated no discrepancies in the program.

No further business, the Board adjourned to meet on Wednesday, March 1, 1972.

ATTEST:

D. E. Mathia
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County Clerk

Arthur A. Heck
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Chairman

March 1, 1972

The Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County met in regular adjourned session with all members of the Board present.

Approved the minutes of the meeting of February 28, 1972.

Comm. Order
980

The Board approved Commissioners Cancellation Order No. 980. Order is on file in the office of the County Clerk.

Employ:
Theresa
Kayitah

Delbert Mathia, County Clerk, appeared before the Board to request the employment of Theresa A. Kayitah as a registration clerk in his office at a salary of \$350 per month effective March 1. Theresa Kayitah is employed by funds from the Emergency Employment Act. It was moved by Mr. Cragan and seconded by Mr. Ice that this request be approved. Motion carried unanimously.

Rita Westerhaus
as secretary
to Board of
Comm.

The Board approved the employment of Mrs. Rita Westerhaus, secretary to the Board of County Commissioners, at a salary of \$410 per month effective March 1, 1972.

Rent Payment

Board noted receipt of the March rent payment for the property located at 1145 Rhode Island Street.