IN THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRINIA
#1 COURT SQUARE, SUITE 203
PARKERSBURG WV 26101

IN RE: MINUTES OF MEETING HELD MONDAY, MAY 23, 2011

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PRESENT: DAVID BLAIR COUCH, PRESIDENT WAYNE DUNN, COMMISSIONER

STEPHEN GAINER, COMMISSIONER

At 9:30 A.M., the County Commission of Wood County met in regular session. They signed

purchase orders, invoices, orders and other correspondence.

AGENDA AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

At 10:20 A.M., the County Commission discussed their relationship with the Humane Society.

They agreed to send a letter to them offering the same funding as last year, with additional funding

to be given to assist them with their spay and neuter clinic. It was further agreed that Commissioner

Dunn would talk to the Humane Society in an attempt to come to a budgetary agreement.

At 10:42 A.M., Mark Schwendeman and Angie Lawrence form Schwendeman Insurance

Agency met with the Commission to discuss the health insurance options for the County for the next

fiscal year.

At 11:50 A.M., the County Commission held a hearing in regard to the Myla M. Fox estate.

After testimony, the County Commission determined that Myla Fox was domiciled in Wood County at

the time of her death. An Order is to be prepared by Jason Wharton, Prosecuting Attorney.

(Information in regard to this hearing is on file in the Probate Office.)

At 12:17 P.M., Matt Richards and several representatives from Smart Start met with the

Commission to discuss an alcohol monitoring system for the Home Confinement Program. (Handouts

are attached to these minutes.)

ORDERS APPROVED AND ATTACHED TO THESE MINUTES

(Probate Order)

Having no further scheduled appointments or business to attend to, the County Commission adjourned.

APPROVED:

THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF WOOD COUNTY

David Blair Couch, President

Wayne Dunn, Commissioner

Stephen Gainer, Commissioner

To listen to this meeting, please refer to DVD labeled May 23, 2011.

Wood County Commission Meeting Held May 23, 2011

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1. David Lawson			
2. Mark Schwendeman			
3. Anaie Lauvence			
4. Barbarg J. McC.			
5. Richard M. Mc Coy			
6. Kimberly A. McCoy			
7. Julie Roman			
8. Ernest Fox			
9. Penny Thaxton			
10. Jon Catlett			
11. Watt Vichards			
12. Edd/ Eddy			
13. Mike Mowers			
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Wood County Commission

05/23/2011 1 Court Square, Suite 203 Parkersburg, WV 26101

9:30 AM	APPROVE AND SIGN MINUTES, ORDERS, PURCHASE ORDERS, INVOICES, NEW ROAD NAMES AND ANY OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES	MARTY SEUFER, COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR	
10:15 AM	DISCUSS HUMANE SOCIETY		
10:30 AM	DISCUSS HEALTH INSURANCE	MARK SCHWENDEMAN	
11:30 AM	ESTATE OF MYLA M. FOX – REQUESTING ESTATE BE MOVED TO JACKSON COUNTY (CONTINUANCE FROM MAY 9 TH)	ERNEST K. FOX	
11:45 AM	MOUNTAINEER SMART START RE: IN-HOME MONITORING FOR HOME CONFINEMENT	MATT RICHARDS	
12:00 PM	DISCUSS GRANT APPLICATION	JEFF SANDY, SHERIFF; TOM SMITH; AND TONI TIANO, GRANT CONSULTANT	
Special notes:	Vacancies on Boards and Commissions		
	2. Building Enforcement Properties		
	3. Contribution Requests		
	4. County Facilities		
	5. Meldahl Subdivision Performance Bonds		
	6. Discuss Humane Society Contract		
	7. Phillips Court Alley – WTAP		
	8. Discuss Change Orders for Justice Center		

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11:50 - Estate - ORDER

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IN THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

Came this 9th day of May, 2011, Ernest K. Fox, pro se, and Kimberly McCoy, Executrix, by counsel Julie Romain upon Ernest Fox's petition to move the probate of the Myla Fox estate to Jackson County, West Virginia.

Whereupon, the Commission heard evidence and argument of the parties.

Thereupon, pursuant to a motion of President Couch unanimously approved, the Commission FINDS, ORDERS AND ADJUDGES that based upon the evidence before the commission the decedent was domiciled in Wood County at the time of her death.

The Commission specifically finds that:

- 1. Myla Fox was living in and had lived for a number of months in a personal care home.
- 2. That Myla Fox had been declared an incompetent.
- 3. That the guardian intended for Myla Fox to remain in Wood County upon any potential release from Wood County.
- 4. That there existed immediately prior to death only a life estate in real property in Jackson County West Virginia.
- 5. That the life estate would expire by definition at the death of Myla Fox.

The Commission **ADJUDGES** based upon the totality of the evidence it is that Myla Fox was domiciled in Wood County, WV at the time of her death.

It is **ORDERED** that a copy of this designation be filed with the Orders of the County Commission of Wood County, West Virginia.

The Clerk of the County Commission is **ORDERED** to provide a copy of this Order to the parties herein.

ENTERED THIS 23rd day of June, 2011:

THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF WOOD COUNTY

David Blair Couch, President

Wayne Dunn, Commissioner

Stephen Gainer, Commissioner