

Present: Legislator Bausch, Cianfrini, Lawrence, Clattenburg. Also Present: Legislature Clerk Kingdon, Legislator Ferrando, Torrey, Stein, DeJaneiro, County Manager Gsell, Assistant County Manager Landers, Election Commissioners Longhany and Siebert, County Clerk Read, Deputy County Clerk Krajewski and Cianfrini, County Treasurer German, Genesee Justice Coordinator Ford and Genesee Justice Representative Bezon, News Report Mrozek and Owens.

Chair Bausch called the meeting to order at 4:30 PM in the Legislature Conference Room. The minutes of the September 3, 2014 meeting were approved upon motion of Legislator Lawrence seconded by Legislator Clattenburg.

Election Commissioners Longhany and Siebert presented the Inspector Pay Charge Backs that will be charged to the various Genesee County Towns and City of Batavia. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Cianfrini seconded by Legislator Clattenburg.

County Clerk Read along with Deputy County Clerk Krajewski and Cianfrini presented their Department Review. The County Clerk Recording Office is currently under staffed by two employees. There was recently one person hired however, they transferred to an opening in the DMV office. The two positions that are open are filled through civil service and that list no longer has any one available on it. It will take months to hold another civil service test, get the results and hire off of that list. If anyone is hired in that department it will be on a provisional basis. There has been a recent downswing in the real estate market. The SAFE Act continues to raise concerns within the Recording Office. There has been some delay of the implementation of the recertification process involved with the SAFE Act. The County did serve as a PILOT County but withdrew several months ago when these delays occurred. The County Clerk continues to work on electronic filing and electronic recording. Deputy Clerk Cianfrini reported that the Recording Office has been working on scanning criminal and civil files into the system. In a couple of years the County Clerk will be out of space. This scanning process helps conserve space and allows old files to be stored off site. The County Clerk's Office is continuing to work on Oaths of Office. By law these oaths must be filed with the County. They have been cross referencing to make sure that each individual that serves on a Board files their Oath Card. Deputy County Clerk Krajewski reported that the walk in trade to the DMV office is a little lighter, however revenue is up from last year. The County DMV Office has a good working relationship with car dealers and title clerks. There are many dealerships that come from outside of the County to process their titles through this office. The DMV has three new employees who are currently going through the training process. The Ways and Means Committee thanked the County Clerk's office for their report.

County Treasurer German presented a resolution authorizing the sale of county owned property that was sold at auction on September 13, 2014. The property sold for \$41,000 which exceeded the outstanding taxes owed by approximately \$24,515.95. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Cianfrini seconded by Legislator Lawrence.

Next, Mr. German presented a resolution authorizing the relevy of school and village taxes for 2014 through 2015. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Clattenburg seconded by Legislator Lawrence.

The following referrals were from the Public Service Committee upon motion of Legislator Clattenburg:

Budget Amendment-Sheriff/State Criminal Alien Assistance seconded by Legislator Cianfrini.

Budget Amendment/Establish Capital Project – Sheriff/Public Answering Point Sustainment seconded by Legislator Lawrence.

Budget Transfer-Genesee Justice seconded by Legislator Cianfrini.

Legislature Clerk Kingdon presented the Standard Work Day and Reporting Resolution for the Elected County Coroners. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Clattenburg seconded by Legislator Lawrence.

At motion to adjourn was made by Legislator Cianfrini seconded by Legislator Clattenburg at 5:15 PM.

Robert Bausch, Chair
Ways & Means Committee
Submitted 9-30-14 ssk