

King and Queen County  
Board of Supervisors Workshop Presentation Meeting  
Workshop with Schools

Monday, March 25, 2013  
7:00 P.M.

King and Queen County Courts and Administration Building  
General District Courtroom

“Minutes of the Meeting”

Chairman Morris called the workshop meeting to order. It is noted that all members were present except Ms. Alsop.

**KING AND QUEEN COUNTY SCHOOLS  
2013/2014 SCHOOL BUDGET**

Superintendent of Schools, Charles Clare addressed the Board of Supervisors advising of the needs of the School Board and where they have made cuts, highlighting four areas that impact the Schools. After providing a brief over-view of the proposed FY14 budget, Mr. Milby questioned if they had any idea of how much money they would have left over. Mr. Clare commented that they should have a soft number by May.

**MARRIOTT SCHOOL/LIBRARY**

Mr. Simpkins, member of the Board, expressed concern relating to the rental agreement for use of the Marriott School/Library as he has been approached by the Friends of the Library. He did not know what had been addressed as to the usage of the auditorium, or if anyone had even thought about the Boy Scouts, etc., using the building. Mr. Swartzwelder commented that the Library had used it at no cost for one time, as they were in a bind, which is not the policy. After use, the Sheriff had to take inmates there to clean the building as the restrooms were a mess. Per the Deed of Gift, it has to be managed for a profit. The Economic Development Authority manages it and given the restrictions, the EDA has set a policy and the Board needs to go to them to recommend any changes. The EDA was trying to be competitive with other rental properties such as the Boogaard Center.

Mr. Milby expressed that the EDA came up with a plan and the Board needs to go by it. The Sheriff has enough to do without having to clean up after an event.

Mrs. Morris expressed that she wishes the Board could allow usage for free, but we need to protect our assets and deal with what we have.

## **BUDGET UPDATE**

Mrs. Ammons reported that she did have some answers to questions from one of the board's last workshops, those being:

- Puller Center has 1 citizen
- She did contact Verizon Wireless about the cell phones and they do not currently have a feature available to continue a number after it has been disconnected. Her only suggestion was that if the county does discontinue them to put a message on the phone while you still have it for the citizens to hear, should you not answer it.
- From a prior work session, there was some discussion about having cash in transit done, rather than having county employees make runs to banks. Brinks Security has been contacted and they do not serve our area due to a geographical area, except on Wednesday every other week. So that would not be an option for us.

Mr. Swartzwelder commented that he spoke with the Sheriff regarding the Board's request relating to the Deputy/EMT, and the Sheriff is interested in establishing at least 1 new position. After discussion with the Sheriff and the EMS Coordinator, it might work better to have them work 11 to 7. Our EMT works 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 P.M. This person would serve papers and do EMS calls during those hours. This is not currently in the county budget.

Mr. Milby questioned if the Sheriff was going to make an offer to all deputies to become EMT's. Mr. Swartzwelder responded that the Sheriff would just make it so that they would be basic first aid certified, as they had been talking about doing this anyway.

After hearing no further comments, a motion was made by Mr. Milby and seconded by Mr. Bailey to adjourn the meeting.

AYES: D. H. MORRIS, R. F. BAILEY, JR., J. L. SIMPKINS, J. M. MILBY, JR.

NAYS: NONE

NOT PRESENT: S. C. ALSOP

IT IS ORDERED THAT THE BOARD BE ADJOURNED:

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Doris H. Morris, Chairman

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K. Diane Gaber, CMC, Deputy Clerk

