PROCEEDINGS OF THE PLANNING-AGRI-BUSINESS COMMITTEE

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County of Mason)

Proceedings of a meeting of the County Board Planning-Agri-Business Committee of Mason County, a meeting begun and held at the Mason County Courthouse located at 100 N. Broadway St., Havana, IL on Wednesday May 29, 2024. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Committee Chairman Darell Sarff.

The following committee members were present: DARELL SARFF, ELDON GARLISCH and DOROTHY KREILING. Anthony Gathman was absent. Also present at the meeting were the following: County Board Chairman Kenneth Walker, County Clerk Summer Brown, Chief Deputy Clerk Lori Wickman, Board Members Bill Parsley, Ron Knollenberg and Assessor Kristi Poler.

The committee discussed assessed values in the county and various options on how to complete a county wide assessment. All assessor positions for the multi-townships are vacant and have been for years. Poler reported that they are using Change Finder to discover properties that have changed who didn't get a permit. She also reported that her office does reassess all properties who received a building permit and that sell. Sarff wondered if someone could be hired to complete a county wide assessment. No one really knows what or if the county can do anything. It was suggested that Sarff calls the state to find out what the county can or can't do. Sarff will report back to the board.

There being no further business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned at 11:15 a.m. Notices will be sent out for the next committee meeting.

MOTION: E. Garlisch made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Kreiling. Motion carried.