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COUNTY OF Aitkin

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Aitkin Independent Age

with the known office of issue being located in the county of:

Aitkin

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Aitkin

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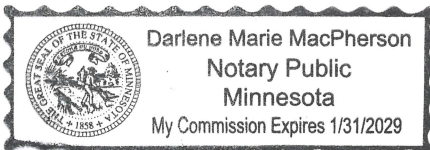
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By: \_\_\_\_\_

Designated Agent

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*Darlene M MacPherson*  
Notary Public



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## AITKIN COUNTY SYNOPSIS OF BOARD MINUTES SYNOPSIS OF THE AITKIN BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING OF JUNE 25, 2024 AITKIN COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER IN PURSUANCE OF MN STATUTE 375.12, SUBD. 1.

The meeting was called to order at 9:03 a.m.

Members present at the meeting were Board Chair J. Mark Wedel, Commissioners Laurie Westerlund, Travis Leiviska, Bret Sample, Michael Kearney, and County Administrator Jessica Seibert.

Motion carried, Sample/Kearney to approve June 25, 2024 agenda, as amended. Removed item 4A and added item 9C.

Public comment: Galen Tveit, Aitkin County Resident, addressed land forfeitures.

Brandon Kellermann, Aitkin County Resident, addressed the Tobacco Ordinance.

Tom Briant, Executive Director of MN Wholesale Marketers Associations, addressed Tobacco Ordinance.

Anita Sonaglia, Hill City Business owner, addressed the Tobacco Ordinance.

Motion carried, Sample/Kearney to approve the consent agenda:

To Approve Aitkin County Board Minutes from June 11, 2024

To Approve Electronic Funds Transfers - \$1,261,190.37

To Approve Commissioner Vouchers - Commissioner Warrants 6-7-24 \$381,027.89

To Adopt Resolution - LG220 Application for Exempt Gambling - Ducks Unlimited Aitkin Area

To Approve Manual Warrants - ELAN 5-23-24 - \$7,344.30

To Approve Auditor Vouchers - Sales/Use & Diesel Tax, May 2024 - \$1,599.21

To Approve Manual Warrants - 6-14-24 Batch 1 - \$2,341.14

To Approve Manual Warrants - 6-14-24 Batch 2 - \$61,604.55

To Adopt Resolution - Application for Temp. On Sale Liquor License - Jacobson Community Center

To Approve Manual Warrants - ELAN 6-6-24 - \$10,884.31

To Adopt Resolution - Application for Temp. On-Sale Liquor License - Wealthwood Rod & Gun Club

To Approve Commissioner Vouchers - Commissioner Warrants 6-21-24 - \$630,525.94

To Approve Affidavit for Duplicate of Lost Warrant

To Auditor Vouchers - May Settlements 6-24-24 - \$4,893,269.57

To Approve Climate Makers contract for jail controls

To Adopt Resolution - Final Contract Payment #20229

Motion carried, Westerlund/Leiviska to Award Grant: Business Development & Recreation Grant.

Motion carried, Sample/Westerlund to Adopt Resolution for Award Contract 20247.

Motion carried, Leiviska/Westerlund to Adopt Resolution for Emergency Interim Zoning on New

or Expanding Cannabis Ordinance.  
Motion carried, Westerlund/Sample to Ratify Local 49 2025-2027 Agreement.  
Motion carried, Westerlund/Sample to Adopt Resolution for State of Emergency.  
Motion carried, Leiviska/Sample, to adjourn meeting at 11:36 a.m.

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