

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
REGULAR MEETING, FEBRUARY 28, 2007**

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CUSTER COUNTY MET IN  
REGULAR SESSION WITH THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS PRESENT:

Dick Downey	Chairman
Carole Custer	Commissioner
Ric Ferron	County Administrator
Debbie Livengood	County Clerk

Absent: Kit Shy – Vice-chair

Also present was Nora Drenner, reporter for the Wet Mountain Tribune.

Meeting was called to order at 8:35am.

The pledge was recited.

County payroll and accounts payable were approved from the following funds.

County General	\$184,360.27
Road & Bridge	76,424.00
Emergency Service	13,718.23
Social Service Dept.	15,048.60
Capital Improvement	1,111.94
Self Insurance	3,808.30
Total	\$294,471.34

Commissioner Custer made a motion seconded by Commissioner Downey to transfer \$4,000.00 from the Lieu of Tax Fund to the Self Insurance Fund. Motion carried unanimously.

**OLD BUSINESS**

Commissioner Custer has contacted Linda Watson, a representative from the Work Force Agency out of Canon City, concerning summer jobs for our youth and employment for our senior citizens as well. According to Carole there are federal monies available to place senior citizens in part-time jobs.

Commissioner Custer suggested that the Board post information on the county website concerning the regional and local meetings that they attend. She feels that this would allow the community to be informed on what the commissioners do outside of the commissioners meetings. Commissioner Downey did not agree because he suggested that it is better to report on the meetings attended as business during the commissioners

meetings, that way not only will the meetings attended by listed on the web page but the subjects discussed and the effects on Custer County will be recorded in the minutes.

The Board met with the Social Service Department.

Chris Riggs met with the Board asking for a letter of support on behalf of the fire department that would be attached to a Mineral Impact Grant that they are applying for. This grant is due April 1<sup>st</sup>, and they are requesting monies to purchase two brush trucks for the department. The Board agreed to write a letter.

The Board adjourned at 11:25am.