## MINUTES OF THE DODGE COUNTY SAFETY COMMITTEE

**September 21, 2022** 

Agenda Item #

Date 10/5/

Meeting of the Dodge County Safety committee began at 11:02 am with the following members present: Lon Strand, Robert Reynolds, Micki Gilfry, Dana Nielsen, Jean Andrews NIRMA contact person and Tom Smith, Emergency Manager.

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

Tom Smith ordered 21 weather radios, one for each office and one at the security station, they are in. Tom will schedule a time for each office to attend a meeting and program them all at once. Each office also can decide which counties they want on their weather radio's.

Dana still checking about getting an active phone line by the security station. Table this for a later meeting. Sidewalks on the North side of the building is in the process of being replaced. Dana will also go to the city to pay for the replacement of the curbs.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

December all ID cards for county employees will expire. The safety committee agreed to change the color to yellow so that security would be able to easily identify any old ones. Tom Smith, Emergency Manger will coordinate with Micki on current employees and the new ID badges will be issued early December. Robert Reynolds asked Dana to check on replacing some carpet in their office. Inside one of the doors there is a snag, and he is concerned someone could catch their shoe on it and trip or fall.

Tom Smith and Dustin Weitzel with the Sheriff's Department have been in contact with Applied Connective Technologies and have walked the building to discuss security cameras and push button alarms inside the offices. The cameras would be placed both inside and outside the building. Jean reminded them that this would qualify to be submitted for an assist grant, it was also mentioned that it may help with insurance premiums.

We had no workmen's comp claims this quarter. The 1 workmen's comp claim from last quarter did not result in any claims.

Sheriff Reynolds asked if it had been approved through the Board of Supervisors for the fence to be put up at the Schneider St. building for the Sheriff's vehicles. This may have been ARPA funds. This will be checked into.

With no other new business, the meeting adjourned at 11:40am until the next scheduled meeting date of December 28, 2022.

Respectfully Submitted

Micki Gilfry Secretary