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HUERFANO COUNTY GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

Date: January 23, 2024
To: Huerfano County Board of County Commissioners
From: Carl Young, County Administrator
Re: Report for the January 23rd Regular BOCC Meeting

Commissioners please accept the following report of accomplishments, updates, and upcoming activities.

Cold Snap Sheltering Operations

During the recent arctic cold snap, the County conducted sheltering operations with the support of the Red Cross from 4PM on Saturday, January 13th through 8AM on Tuesday, January 16th. Initial operations were housed at the Huerfano County Community Center from 4PM Saturday to 4PM on Sunday because of anticipated demand. We had one person who sought shelter, a stranded motorist, who we transitioned to a hotel before we closed the Community Center. County Staff remained available to re-open the Community Center if needed throughout the cold snap.

Certifying the Mill Levy

On Thursday January 18, 2024 we submitted the certified mill levys to the Department of Local Affairs, Division of Property Taxation.

Marijuana Ordinance

Ordinance 23-01 was published after second reading on Thursday January 4, 2024 and will go into effect on February 4, 2024. The final ordinance will be posted to the County Website later this week.

Communication to County Staff

Please see the attached communication to County Staff on the personnel changes from the 2024 Budget. This is a follow-up from our November 30th all staff meeting.

Procurement Update

We currently have one open solicitation. RFQ 23-12 for a County Attorney, which closes February 2, 2024. RFP 23-11 for a Waste Transfer Station Operator closed on Friday, January 19, 2024 with one submission and one request for consideration.

Current Board Vacancies

- 1 Vacancy on the Federal Mineral Lease District Board
- 2 Vacancies on the Board of Adjustment
- 2 Vacancies on the Board of Review
- 3 Vacancies on the Huerfano County Building Authority Board; and
- 2 Vacancies on the Planning Commission