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HUERFANO COUNTY GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

Date: October 8, 2024
To: Huerfano County Board of County Commissioners
From: Carl Young, County Administrator
Re: Report for the October 8th Regular BOCC Meeting

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

Open Positions

- Deputy Officer – Open Until Filled
- Detention Officer – Open Until Filled

All County Job Openings, including duties, qualifications, and wages are posted on the County Website at <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/huerfano>

Notes to the Board

- The Preliminary FY2025 Budget will be presented to you on October 15th during a special 10AM Meeting.

Activities

- Wednesday, September 11, 2024 – Attended HMAC meeting which included a briefing for the CEPA
- Wednesday, September 11, 2024 – Met with State Internet Portal Authority regarding portions of the GovGrant Award, particularly around support services
- Thursday, September 12, 2024 – Attended Gardner Water After Action Review
- Friday, September 13, 2024 – Met with Statewide Internet Portal Authority about the complete GovGrant award and steps moving forward
- Friday, September 13, 2024 – Met with Ashley Schrauth of Los Huerfanos Animal Welfare Society, Heather Hillis of La Veta, and Roger Tinklenburg of Walsenburg regarding animal sheltering.
- Friday, September 13, 2024 – met with OneDigital regarding options for Dental, Vision, Life, and Disability Insurance
- Monday, September 16, 2024 – Met with the Department of Local Affairs regarding the Strong Communities and Local Planning Capacity Grants

- Wednesday, September 18, 2024 – Met with OneDigital about Health Insurance Transition
- Wednesday, September 18, 2024 – Met with District Health Department about EPA Community Change Grant
- Friday, September 20, 2024 – Met with 39 North CEO about Health Insurance and Employee concerns
- Friday, September 20, 2024 – Attended Fox Theatre Walsenburg Phase 2 Grant Kickoff with the State Historical Fund
- Friday, September 20, 2024 – Attended McKinstry Project Check-in Meeting
- Wednesday, September 25, 2024 – Attended South Central 4PM Meeting with CDOT
- Thursday, September 26, 2024 – Met with Sky Tallman regarding pending Land Use applications
- Thursday, September 26, 2024 – Met with Colorado State Forest Service regarding the Community Wildfire Protection Plan grant project
- Thursday, September 26, 2024 – Attended meeting with Rep Bacon on minority and women owned business procurement
- Friday, September 27, 2024 – Held CR 543 Bridge Bid Opening
- Friday, September 27, 2024 – Attended McKinstry Project Check-in Meeting
- Monday, September 30, 2024 – Met with Health Department regarding EPA Community Change Grant
- Wednesday, October 2, 2024 – Met with One Digital regarding Health Insurance
- Wednesday, October 2, 2024 – Met with Dan Richards about Badito Ranch on the River Telemetry
- Wednesday, October 2, 2024 – Attended meeting with HCED, Chae Organics, and OEDIT about funding for Chae Organics expansion project
- Wednesday, October 2, 2024 – Attended Public Building Electrification Grant kickoff meeting
- Thursday, October 3, 2024 – Attended FY2025 Airport Construction Improvement Plan Meeting with FAA and CDOT Aeronautics
- Friday, October 4, 2024 – Met with Ken Clayton and Mike Williams regarding Cuchara Mountain Park Operating Agreement

- Friday, October 4, 2024 – Attended McKinstry Project Check-in Meeting
- Monday, October 7, 2024 – Met with Health Department regarding EPA Community Change Grant