

Joint Meeting Minutes between Emmet County Board of Supervisors and Palo Alto County Board of Supervisors  
February 2, 2021 at 10:05 a.m.  
Conference Call, Courthouse Boardroom

**Emmet County**

Present: John Pluth  
Jeff Quastad  
Roger Hash  
Todd Glasnapp  
Tim Schumacher  
Amy M. Sathoff, Emmet County Auditor

**Palo Alto**

Present: Roger Faulstick  
Ronald Graettinger  
Linus Solberg  
Keith Wirtz  
Craig Merrill  
Carmen Moser, Palo Alto County Auditor

Others Present: Mike Tidemann, Armstrong Journal  
Joe Schany, Emmetsburg Reporter/Democrat

Motion by Ron Graettinger, second by Jeff Quastad, to appoint Linus Solberg as Chair and Carmen Moser as Secretary of the joint meeting. All ayes, motion carried.

Linus Solberg asked Emmet County if they will have a review with Ben Huntley and Emmet County replied that the Board of Health would have a review with Ben.

Linus Solberg asked about the COVID vaccine and both counties are still waiting to receive more vaccine.

Jeff Quastad gave an update on the opioid settlement and if Emmet County receives money they are hoping to put towards public health and schools to correct problem. Tim Schumacher stated that there is separate money to pay the attorney fees.

Emmet County asked about sharing an IT person. Palo Alto County shared the date of the upcoming Public Safety Building referendum.

Motion by John Pluth, second by Ron Graettinger, to approve the minutes from last meeting of the two Boards held on February 25, 2020. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by Tim Schumacher, second by Roger Faulstick to adjourn the joint meeting at 10:16 a.m. All ayes, motion carried.

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Carmen Moser, Palo Alto County Auditor &  
Commissioner of Elections

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Linus Solberg, Chairman