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**PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE COMMITTEE
MONDAY – MAY 17, 2021 – 5:00 P.M.
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PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE COMMITTEE
MONDAY - MAY 17, 2021 – 5:00 P.M.

Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Adoption of Agenda
3. Public Comment
4. Approval of Minutes – May 3, 2021
5. Consent Calendar
 - a. Transfers
6. Resolutions and Committee Approval
 - a. Recognizing Rock County Assistant District Attorney Mark Jahnke
 - b. Proclaiming May 2021 Treatment Court Month
 - c. Authorization for Cielo Microwave Radio Updates
7. Committee Requests and Motions
8. Adjournment

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PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE COMMITTEE
Minutes – May 3, 2021

Call to Order. Chair Beaver called the meeting of the Public Safety and Justice Committee to order at 5:00 P.M. via teleconference.

Committee Members Present via Phone/Video: Supervisors Beaver, Knudson, Bomkamp, Taylor and Rynes.

Committee Members Absent: None.

Staff Members Present via Phone/Video: Josh Smith, County Administrator; Randy Terronez, Assistant to the County Administrator; Sheriff Troy Knudson; Melissa Wittwer, Child Support Director; Brent Sutherland, Facilities Director; Kathren Sukus, Communications Center Director; Jenny Stanek, DA Office Manager; David O’Leary, District Attorney; Captain Curt Fell; and Terri Carlson, Risk Manager.

Others Present. John Sabinash with Venture Architects, Barb Tillman

Adoption of Agenda. Supervisor Knudson moved approval of the agenda as presented, second by Supervisor Taylor. ADOPTED.

Public Comment. Kathy Sukus mentioned the Communications Center annual report and offered to answer questions.

Sheriff Knudson reported zero COVID cases in the jail.

Approval of Minutes – April 19, 2021. Supervisor Bomkamp moved approval of the minutes of April 19, 2021, second by Supervisor Taylor. ADOPTED.

Consent Calendar.

Transfers None.

Review of Payments The committee accepted the payments.

Resolutions and Committee Approval.

Recognizing Emergency Medical Services Week

“NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled this _____ day of _____, 2021 does hereby proclaim May 16-22, 2021 as Emergency Medical Services Week and expresses its appreciation for the life-saving work of these professionals in our community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Clerk is directed to send a copy of this resolution to each EMS agency within Rock County”

Supervisor Knudson moved approval of the above resolution, second by Supervisor Bomkamp. ADOPTED.

Recognizing Joyce Ritter For Service To Rock County

“NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled this _____ day of May 2021, does hereby recognize Joyce Ritter for her years of service and extends their best wishes to her in her future endeavors; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Clerk be authorized and directed to furnish a copy of this resolution to Joyce Ritter.”

Supervisor Taylor moved approval of the above resolution, second by Supervisor Bomkamp. ADOPTED.

Recognizing Deputy Sheriff Mark J. Johns

“NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled this _____ day of _____, 2021, does hereby recognize Deputy Mark J. Johns for his over 22 years of faithful service and recommends that a sincere expression of appreciation be given to Deputy Mark J. Johns along with best wishes for the future.”

Sheriff Knudson commended Deputy Johns on the work that he has done.

Supervisor Knudson moved approval of the above resolution, second by Supervisor Taylor. ADOPTED.

Update, Discussion, and Possible Action

Sheriff’s Office Building Project Update

Sheriff Knudson presented an update on the Sheriff’s Office Building. Sheriff Knudson addressed some of the issues with the current building and the need for the redesign. He elaborated on the updated floor plans for the building. Brent Sutherland followed up with the general overview of where the plan is currently and what the plan is for the future. Brent informed the committee that the estimated completion date of the entire project is June 2025. Josh Smith discussed options to pay for this redesign and the impact on taxes for the redesign of the Sheriff’s Office Building.

Committee Requests and Motions. None.

Adjournment. Supervisor Rynes moved adjournment at 5:45 P.M., second by Supervisor Taylor. ADOPTED.

Respectfully submitted,

Haley Hoffman
Office Coordinator

NOT OFFICIAL UNTIL APPROVED BY COMMITTEE.

RESOLUTION

ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

DISTRICT ATTORNEY
DAVID J. O'LEARY
INITIATED BY

PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE
SUBMITTED BY



DAVID J. O'LEARY
DRAFTED BY

MAY 10, 2021
DATE DRAFTED

RECOGNIZING ROCK COUNTY ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY MARK JAHNKE

- 1 WHEREAS, Mark Jahnke graduated from Marquette University in 1986 with a Bachelor of Arts, majoring in
- 2 history and criminology with a law minor; Mark graduated from Marquette University Law School in 1989 where
- 3 he earned his Juris Doctorate; Mark has 32 total years in the legal profession; and
- 4
- 5 WHEREAS, Mark began his legal career in private practice from 1989-1995; Mark was hired as a Special
- 6 Prosecutor in the Columbia County District Attorney's office from 1995-96; Mark was hired as a full-time
- 7 Assistant District Attorney (ADA) in Dodge County, WI, from 1997-98. Mark was subsequently hired as an
- 8 ADA in the Rock County District Attorney's Office on March 15, 1998; Mark has served as a general prosecutor
- 9 focusing on domestic violence, gun and drug prosecutions; and
- 10
- 11 WHEREAS, Mark has served Rock County as an Assistant District Attorney since 1998 and intends to retire
- 12 with over 23 years of service to the citizens of Rock County; and
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- 14 WHEREAS, Mark has been an active member of Nativity of Mary Parish (St. Mary's) since moving to Janesville
- 15 in March of 1998, currently serves as the Chair of the Finance Council; Mark is married to his wife, Deb, and has
- 16 two sons, Mark Jr. and Andrew; and
- 17
- 18 WHEREAS, Mark has worked for most of his career in order to make Rock County a better, safer community;
- 19 Mark will retire as an Assistant District Attorney for Rock County on May 28, 2021.
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- 21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled this
- 22 _____ day of _____, 2021, does hereby recognize Mark Jahnke for his years of faithful service and
- 23 recommends that a sincere expression of appreciation be given to him along with best wishes for the future.
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- 25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Clerk be authorized and directed to furnish a copy of this
- 26 resolution to Rock County Assistant District Attorney Mark Jahnke.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE COMMITTEE

COUNTY BOARD STAFF COMMITTEE

Mary Beaver, Chair

Rich Bostwick , Chair

Brian Knudson, Vice Chair

Wes Davis, Vice Chair

Jacob Taylor

Tom Brien

Ron Bomkamp

Kevin Leavy

Danette Rynes

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Mary Beaver

RESOLUTION NO. _____

AGENDA NO. _____

RESOLUTION
ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

CJCC
INITIATED BY

Public Safety & Justice Committee
SUBMITTED BY



Elizabeth Pohlman McQuillen/NADCP
DRAFTED BY

May 7, 2021
DATE DRAFTED

PROCLAIMING MAY 2021 TREATMENT COURT MONTH

1 **WHEREAS**, treatment courts have been restoring lives and families for more than three decades; and,
2
3 **WHEREAS**, there are nearly 4,000 treatment courts nationwide; and,
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5 **WHEREAS**, treatment courts are the cornerstone of justice reform sweeping the nation; and,
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7 **WHEREAS**, treatment courts have served 1.5 million individuals; and,
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9 **WHEREAS**, they are recognized as the most successful justice system intervention in our nation’s
10 history; and,
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12 **WHEREAS**, they save an average of \$6,000 for every individual they serve; and,
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14 **WHEREAS**, treatment courts significantly improve substance use disorder treatment outcomes,
15 substantially reduce addiction and related crime, and do so at less expense than any other criminal justice
16 strategy; and,
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18 **WHEREAS**, treatment courts improve education, employment, housing and financial stability, promote
19 family reunification, reduce foster care placements, and increase the rate of addicted mothers delivering
20 babies who are fully drug free; and,
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22 **WHEREAS**, treatment courts facilitate community-wide partnerships, bringing together public safety
23 and public health professionals; and
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25 **WHEREAS**, treatment courts demonstrate that when one person rises out of substance use and crime,
26 we all rise; and,
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28 **WHEREAS**, Rock County started its Drug Court in April 2007, and has had 684 total participants and
29 318 successful graduates as of May 7, 2021; and,
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31 **WHEREAS**, Rock County started its Veterans Court in September 2009, and has had 88 total
32 participants and 62 successful graduates as of May 7, 2021; and,
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34 **WHEREAS**, Rock County started its OWI Court in October 2012, and has had 141 total participants and
35 96 successful graduates as of May 7, 2021.
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37 **WHEREAS**, Rock County started its Family Recovery Court in August 2019, and has had 31 total
38 participants, 1 successful graduate, and 4 families unified, as of May 7, 2021.
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40 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly
41 assembled this _____ day of _____, 2021, does hereby declare that a “Treatment Court Month”
42 be established during the month of May 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE COMMITTEE

Mary Beaver, Chair

Brian Knudson, Vice Chair

Ron Bomkamp

Danette Rynes

Jacob Taylor

RESOLUTION NO. _____

AGENDA NO. _____

**RESOLUTION
ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Kathren Sukus
INITIATED BY



Kathren Sukus, Director
DRAFTED BY

Public Safety and Justice
SUBMITTED BY

May 11, 2021
DATE DRAFTED

AUTHORIZATION FOR CIELO MICROWAVE RADIO UPDATES

- 1 **WHEREAS**, the 911 Communications Center is responsible for the continuous operation of the public safety radio
- 2 system infrastructure in Rock County; and,
- 3
- 4 **WHEREAS**, the existing Cielo microwave radios for the public safety radio system are thirteen years old and
- 5 require equipment updates; and,
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- 7 **WHEREAS**, the links between County A tower to the Rock County SO tower & County A tower to the Beloit
- 8 Memorial Hospital tower will be updated this year; and,
- 9
- 10 **WHEREAS**, General Communications, Inc. of Madison, Wisconsin is the maintenance provider for the Rock
- 11 County public safety radio system infrastructure and an authorized Cielo reseller and service provider for our area;
- 12 and,
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- 14 **WHEREAS**, total cost for equipment, tower climbing and labor for this project is \$28,870; and,
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- 16 **WHEREAS**, this project was budgeted and approved for 2021; and,
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- 18 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled this
- 19 _____ day of _____, 2021 that a contract be awarded to General Communications, Inc. of
- 20 Madison, Wisconsin, in the amount of \$28,870 to coordinate and implement this project.

Respectfully submitted,

Public Safety and Justice Committee

Mary Beaver, Chair

Brian Knudson, Vice Chair

Ronald Bomkamp

Danette Rynes

Jacob Taylor

AUTHORIZATION FOR CIELO MICROWAVE RADIO UPDATES

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LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to take this action pursuant to secs. 59.01 and 59.51, Wis. Stats. In addition, sec. 59.52(29), Wis. Stats., requires the project to be let to the lowest responsible bidder. General Communications is the sole source provider for Cielo.

s/Richard Greenlee

Richard Greenlee
Corporation Counsel

FISCAL NOTE:

This project was included in the 2021 budget and is being funded by sale tax revenue.

/s/Sherry Oja

Sherry Oja
Finance Director

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.

/s/Josh Smith

Josh Smith
County Administrator

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Microwave radio links are the backhaul of the Rock County public safety radio system. The microwaves provide a network connection to the various tower sites that allows the radio equipment to be connected together vs. having T1 lines or costly fiber connections. Therefore they are an important part of the current radio system infrastructure.

The Communications Center has six Cielo microwave radio units that are thirteen years old and in need of updating. We will be updating two this year:

- County A to Sheriff's Office link
- County A to Beloit Memorial Hospital link

The four remaining Cielo units located at Beloit Mill Street, Clinton, Edgerton and Milton will be placed in the Communications Center's 2022 budget for updating.

General Communications is the current public safety radio system maintenance provider and Cielo service provider. The total cost of the upgrade, tower work and installation labor is \$28,870 for both units. This project was budgeted for in the Communications Center's 2021 budget and the funds are available.



10 May, 2021

Subject: Authorized Dealer and Reseller

Cielo Networks has certified General Communications (GenComm), located at 2880 Commerce Drive, Madison, WI 53719 as a Value Added Reseller and dealer for Cielo Networks, Inc. products. Additionally, General Communications (GenComm) is the only authorized reseller of Cielo Network products located in Wisconsin. GenComm has teamed up with Cielo Networks to support the Rock County Microwave Network over the past 10 plus years. GenComm personnel are also qualified installers and technicians for all Cielo Networks microwave products.

Please feel free to contact me if there are any questions concerning General Communications certifications.

Respectfully,

Sale Lilly

Director of Marketing
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May 6, 2021

Rock County Communications
 3636 N County Highway F
 Janesville, WI 53545

RE: Two Microwave path hardware Updates

The following is our quote to update two microwave path one from the County A tower to sheriff's Department tower the other from the County A tower to Beloit Memorial Hospital.

Rock County 911 Update Two Cielo Microwave Paths

Qty	Description	Price	Ext Price
4	SkyLink CG2X GigE Wideband Enabled IDU (Payload Capacity Key Required)	\$1,550.00	\$6,200.00
4	SkyLink CG2X IDU Initial Payload Capacity: Up to 100 Mbps	\$575.00	\$2,300.00
2	External 16 E1/T1 Multiplexer for SkyLink CG2X IDU	\$1,137.50	\$2,275.00
2	Fiber Patch Cables: Duplex, Multi-Mode 62.5/125, 1 meters (Note 2)	\$35.00	\$70.00
4	SFP Optical Module, 1.25 Gbps, Multi-Mode/850nm, supports interconnection up to 500 meters (Note 1)	\$131.25	\$525.00
1	ODU: 18G Wideband, T-R 1560, SP+, Band C, Tx Low (17700 - 18140 MHz), WR	\$3,062.50	\$3,062.50
1	ODU: 18G Wideband, T-R 1560, SP+, Band C, Tx High (19260 - 19700 MHz), WR	\$3,062.50	\$3,062.50
1	ODU: 11G Wideband, T-R 490, SP+, Band A, Tx Low (10700 - 10890 MHz), WR	\$3,062.50	\$3,062.50
1	ODU: 11G Wideband, T-R 490, SP+, Band A, Tx High (11200 - 11390 MHz), WR	\$3,062.50	\$3,062.50
4	-48 VDC/120 Watts supply, 110 VAC input, DIN rail mount, 3' AC cord & 6' DC hook up wire	\$112.50	\$450.00
16	Tower Labor	\$150.00	\$2,400.00
16	Gencomm Labor	\$150.00	\$2,400.00
		Total	28,870.00
	Note 1 SFP modules required is 2 per terminal.		
	Note 2 Fiber cable required for connection between the IDU and EMMI Module		

If you have any questions, please email rwestgard@gencomm.com or call 608-310-7127.

Sincerely,

Rich Westgard

Rich Westgard
 Service Manager

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