

November 13, 2006  
Le Mars, Iowa

The Plymouth County Board of Supervisors met in the Boardroom on November 13, 2006 at 9:00 a.m. to canvass the election of November 7<sup>th</sup>. All members were present. All votes following are aye unless otherwise indicated.

The agenda for the November 13, 2006 meeting was approved.

Minutes of the November 6, 2006 meeting were approved.

The Canvass of the November 7, 2006 election was presented with the following results:

For the office of State Representative, District 3 there were four thousand four hundred thirty-seven (4437) votes cast as follows: Chuck Soderberg received four thousand four hundred twenty-five (4425) votes; scattering received twelve (12) votes.

For the office of State Representative, District 53 there were one thousand seven hundred seventy-seven (1777) votes cast as follows: Dan Huseman received one thousand seven hundred seventy-five (1775) votes; scattering received two (2) votes.

For the office of State Senator, District 27 there were one thousand eight hundred thirty-one (1831) votes cast as follows: Ron Wieck received one thousand eight hundred twenty-nine (1829) votes; scattering received two (2) votes.

For the office of United States Representative, District 5 there were eight thousand sixty (8060) votes cast as follows: Cheryl L. Brodersen received forty-five (45) votes; Steve King received five thousand four hundred forty-five (5445) votes; Roy Nielsen received four hundred fifty-two (452) votes; Joyce Schulte received two thousand one hundred fourteen (2114) votes; scattering received four (4) votes.

For the office of Secretary of State there were seven thousand six hundred four (7604) votes cast as follows: Mary Ann Hanusa received four thousand eight hundred seventy-seven (4877) votes; Michael A. Mauro received two thousand seven hundred twenty-four (2724) votes; scattering received three (3) votes.

For the office of Auditor of State there were five thousand nine hundred thirty-one (5931) votes cast as follows: David A. Vaudt received five thousand nine hundred fourteen (5914) votes; scattering received seventeen (17) votes.

For the office of Treasurer of State there were four thousand five hundred seventy-one (4571) votes cast as follows: Michael L. Fitzgerald received four thousand five hundred fifty-two (4552) votes; scattering received nineteen (19) votes.

For the office of Secretary of Agriculture there were seven thousand eight hundred eighty-nine (7889) votes cast as follows: Bill Northey received five thousand four hundred forty-two (5442) votes; Denise O'Brien received two thousand four hundred forty-four (2444) votes; scattering received three (3) votes.

For the office of Attorney General there were four thousand eight hundred three (4803) votes cast as follows: Tom Miller received four thousand seven hundred eighty-six (4786) votes; scattering received seventeen (17) votes.

For the office of Governor and Lieutenant Governor there were eight thousand one hundred thirty-one (8131) votes cast as follows: Barth/Johnson received twenty-seven (27) votes; Culver/Judge received two thousand seven hundred seventy-five (2775) votes; Litten/Nelson received thirty-nine (39) votes; Martin/Dwire received eleven (11) votes; Nussle/Vander Plaats received five thousand two hundred seventy-five (5275) votes; scattering received four (4) votes.

For the office of Board of Supervisor-District 1 there were seven thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (7927) votes cast as follows: C. Gordon Greene received four thousand eight hundred seventy-five (4875) votes; Kirk Klohs received

three thousand forty-eight (3048) votes; scattering received four (4) votes. We therefore declare C. Gordon Greene duly elected for the office of Board of Supervisor-District 1 for the term of 4 years.

For the office of Board of Supervisor-District 3 there were eight thousand sixty-six (8066) votes cast as follows: Don Kass received four thousand five hundred sixteen (4516) votes; Paul J. Sitzmann received three thousand five hundred forty-five (3545) votes; scattering received five (5) votes. We therefore declare Don Kass duly elected for the office of Board of Supervisor-District 3 for the term of 4 years.

For the office of Board of Supervisor-District 4 there were six thousand one hundred sixteen (6116) votes cast as follows: Craig A. Anderson received six thousand ninety-seven (6097) votes; scattering received nineteen (19) votes. We therefore declare Craig A. Anderson duly elected for the office of Board of Supervisor-District 4 for the term of 4 years.

For the office of County Treasurer there were six thousand five hundred forty-two (6542) votes cast as follows: Linda A. Dobson received six thousand five hundred thirty-three (6533) votes; scattering received nine (9) votes. We therefore declare Linda A. Dobson duly elected for the office of County Treasurer for the term of 4 years.

For the office of County Attorney there were six thousand one hundred seventy-two (6172) votes cast as follows: Darin J. Raymond received six thousand one thirty-two (6132) votes; scattering received (40) votes. We therefore declare Darin J. Raymond duly elected for the office of County Attorney for the term of 4 years.

For the office of County Recorder there were six thousand three hundred eighty-seven (6387) votes cast as follows: Jolynn Goodchild received six thousand three hundred seventy-eight (6378) votes; scattering received nine (9) votes. We therefore declare Jolynn Goodchild duly elected for the office of County Recorder for the term of 4 years.

For the office of Fredonia Township Trustee there were sixty (60) votes cast as follows: Mike Detloff received fifty-five (55) votes; scattering received five (5) votes. We therefore declare Mike Detloff duly elected for the office of Fredonia Township Trustee for the term of 4 years.

Upon the Fredonia Township public measure "Should the County Board of Supervisors fill the offices of trustee and clerk within a township by appointment?" the votes were sixty (60) votes cast as follows:

**FOR** the question there were twenty-four (24) votes;

**AGAINST** the question there were thirty-six (36) votes.

We therefore declare the public measure as stated above not to be adopted.

For the office of Soil and Water Conservation District Commission there were eight thousand two hundred sixty-one (8261) votes cast as follows: Nancy E. Anderson received four thousand three hundred twenty-five (4325) votes; Pat Winter received three thousand nine hundred twenty-four (3924) votes; scattering received twelve (12) votes. We therefore declare Nancy E. Anderson and Pat Winter duly elected for the office of Soil and Water Conservation Commission for the term of 4 years.

For the office of County Agricultural Extension Council Member there were twenty-three thousand eight hundred sixteen (23816) votes cast as follows: Debra K. Ahlers received three thousand four hundred twenty-two (3422) votes; Michael Beitelspacher received three thousand six hundred twenty-three (3623) votes; Mark Held received three thousand eight hundred sixty (3860) votes; Gregg Junck received three thousand four hundred seventy-seven (3477) votes; Susan Konz received two thousand one hundred fifty (2150) votes; Brad Schindel received three thousand four hundred ninety-two (3492) votes; Gail Lynn Schoenrock received three thousand seven hundred thirty-four (3734) votes; scattering received fifty-eight (58) votes. We therefore declare Michael Beitelspacher, Mark Held, Gregg Junck, Brad Schindel and Gail Lynn Schoenrock duly elected for the office of County Agricultural Extension Council Member for the term of 4 years.

For the public measure "Shall the following judge of the Court of Appeals be retained in office?"

	YES	NO
Anuradha Vaitheswaran	3870	1325
John C. Miller	4197	976
Van D. Zimmer	4037	1072

For the public measure “Shall the following associate judge of the District Court be retained in office?”

	YES	NO
Robert J. Dull	5134	1228
Todd Hensley	4140	999
Timothy T. Jarman	4109	1040

Motion by Greene, seconded by Henrich, to approve the canvass as presented.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Anderson, seconded by Schneider, to appoint the following to the Local Option Sales Tax Advisory Board:  
District 2 - Mark Loutsch and District 5 - Linda L. Popken

Motion Carried.

Motion by Schneider, seconded by Anderson, to appoint Craig Arnold to the Local Option Sales Tax Advisory Board for District 1. Schneider-aye; Henrich-aye; Greene-nay; Anderson-aye; Sitzmann-aye

Motion Carried.

Motion by Anderson, seconded by Schneider, to approve 2 applications for construction on county road right-of-way for the City of LeMars in Sec 30 of America Twp and between Sec 29/30 of America Twp.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Anderson, seconded by Schneider, to table resolution No. 111306 pertaining to the routes used by Powder Players Snowmobile Club to check into an increase of their liability insurance.

Motion Carried.

The Board adjourned at 10:31 a.m.

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K. Kae Meyer, Plymouth County Auditor

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Paul Sitzmann, Chairman