



LINN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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MEMORANDUM

To: Linn County Board of Commissioners

From: Captain Andy Franklin

Date: October 4, 2022

Re: Resolution & Order No. 2022-349

The Linn County Sheriff's Office recently sought bids for laundry/dry-cleaning services due to the current laundry vendor closing their business at the end of the year. In response to those bid requests, Sparkle Laundry Services was selected to continue laundry and dry-cleaning services for the Sheriff's Office. The Sheriff's Office is seeking a contract with the vendor that will begin November 1, 2022 and continue through the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026. The 4-year contract is estimated to be less than \$150,000 over that period.



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TO: Board of Commissioners
FROM: Dee Baley-Hyder *DBH*
DATE: September
RE: Veterans Service Quarterly update July 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022

The Recoveries update, this is awards (money) that the veteran, surviving spouse or family members have received from the claims that we have filed for them.

- Recoveries from for the new quarter July 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022 \$831,820.86
- Recoveries last year July 1, 2021 to September 30, 2021 was \$363,328.52.

Transportation Grant update, this is for our local veteran that do not drive or cannot get a ride for a medical appointment, procedure or surgeries. We are contracted with Quality Medical Transport and we just ask that the veterans call our office and will make the arrangements.

- Transportation Grant award \$11,000 in January 2022
- First quarter (January 1 to March 31) \$727.00
- Second quarter (April 1 to June 30) \$5744.71
- Third quarter (July 1 to September 30) we used all of our Grant money from Oregon Department of Veterans Affairs (ODVA) by the middle of August.
- August 15 to September 30 we have used \$6,617.00 of the county funds that the commissioners awarded us.

PACT ACT 2022

The PACT Act is perhaps the largest health care and benefit expansion in VA history. The full name of the law is The Sergeant First Class (SFC) Heath Robinson Honoring our Promise to Address Comprehensive Toxics (PACT) Act.

Expands and extends eligibility for VA health care for **Veterans with toxic exposures and Veterans of the Vietnam, Gulf War, and post-9/11 eras.**

Adds more than 23 new presumptive conditions for burn pits and other toxic exposures.

The new law had the potential to benefits more than 5 million veterans and estimated to cost around \$300 billion over the next 10 years.

This will take effect in January 2023

Our office will be getting busier as this will not only effect veterans, but will effect surviving spouses and possible family members. If the veteran has applied for one of the new conditions that is added, and it was denied by the VA, the veterans can re-open the claim. If the veteran has passed from a new presumptive, the surviving spouse can apply for the benefit that they are entitled to.



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To: Board of Commissioners

From: Steve Braaten

Date: September 22, 2022

Re: Resolution & Order No. 2022-354

The following item is scheduled to be heard on October 4, 2022:

Resolution & Order No. 2022-354

In the matter of a contract between Pacific Corp and Linn County and delegating authority to execute the original.

Linn County maintains a fiber network throughout Linn County which is used to interconnect owned buildings. To route this fiber, Pacific Corp poles are utilized to mount this fiber and add attachments to keep the fiber secured. This partnership with Pacific Corp requires an updated agreement to continue to add pole attachments, with the last agreement being signed on February 7, 2001.

Financial Impact:

For this agreement, the annual pole rental rates are unchanged. The previous agreement had a pole rental of \$6.73 annually and this agreement maintains this same annual rental cost of \$6.73 annually.

Staff Recommendation:

The recommendation is to proceed forward with this new agreement and maintain the same pole rental costs as previously seen at \$6.73 annually per pole.

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To: Board of Commissioners

From: Linn County Treasurer/Budget Officer

Date: October 4th, 2022

Re: **Order # 2022-361**

Order #2022-361 is a request from Diana Denham from the Health Department. This is a supplemental budget that will bring in to the Health Fund \$ 4,931,947 . This is money that has been allocated to the Health Department.

Financial Impact. There is no financial impact.



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R&O 2022-363

This is a Personal Services Contract between Linn and Intercommunity Health Network (IHN-CCO). This contract is effective from October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2024. IHN-CCO will pay Linn County a not to exceed amount of \$1,062,500.00 to expand Alcohol & Drug treatment to services to parts of Linn County that are more rural and need services locally.