

Kalkaska County Board of Commissioners
Negotiating Committee Meeting Minutes
September 18, 2018
(UNAPPROVED)

Meeting called to order by Committee Chair Fisher at 5:00 PM, Commissioner Chambers, Administration Building, 605 N Birch Street, Kalkaska, MI. Present Commissioners Kohn Fisher, Truman Bicum and Dave Comai.

Public Input: None

Purpose of Meeting:

Committee Chair Fisher called for continued review of salaries and wages of Department Heads, Appointed and Elected, and non-union employees.

Attendees:

Sheriff Whiteford addressed Committee providing documents for review of comparison counties wages for Sheriff Department.

Court Administrator Teresa Hill addressed Committee inquiring process of review for Department Heads and non-union.

Veterans Affairs Counselor Melanie Pauch addressed Committee noting upcoming step increases for her position.

Zoning Administrator Karen VanHorn addressed Committee noting her continued concern regarding her longevity pay and reduced hours.

County Treasurer Valerie Thornburg addressed Committee providing documents for review regarding comparable counties wages and salaries.

Discussion regarding previous reviews of Commission on Aging and Kaliseum employees; noted review of union settlements and settlements still pending; where the non-union staff fall with in various divisions.

Consensus to Motion to approve a 2% wage increase for Department Heads, Elected and Appointed, and non-union employees, with retroactive date to be determined.

Public Input: None

Meeting adjourned at 7:13 PM.

Deborah Hill, Kalkaska County Clerk and
Clerk of Board of Commissioners

Stuart McKinnon, Chair of
Kalkaska County Board of Commissioners

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