

July 2, 2024

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners met for a budget meeting on July 2, 2024, in the Lincoln County Courthouse, Libby, Montana. Present were Commissioner Hammons, Commissioner Letcher, Commissioner Teske and Clerk and Recorder Corrina Brown.

Zoom participation: Present were Chanel Geer and Dallas Bowe.

10:00 AM **Lincoln Sheriff's Office Budget Meeting**: Present were Brett Faulkner, Darren Short, John Davis and Joe Nagle,

Discussion of the Sheriff's Office purchasing new vehicles using PILT funds, allocating \$320,000 for four vehicles, with each vehicle's upfit total of \$80,000. The camera improvement budget of \$75,000 will be evaluated. It was also agreed to find another \$105,000 to meet a \$500,000 budget reduction target. The conversation included manpower, scheduling alternatives and a review of current budget variances. The importance of essential services was emphasized.

10:30 AM **Adjourned**

LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Josh Letcher, Chairman

ATTEST: _____
Corrina Brown, Clerk of the Board