



following budgets:

1. Commission - The Commission cut per diem line item down to \$5000.00.

2. Sheriff - Commissioner Rardin stated that if the Commission would cut 10% across the board that would cut \$204,000.00 out of the budget. Commissioner Rardin stated that you couldn't cut the vehicles out of the budget because those are a priority. Commissioner Zierlein suggested that the Sheriff's budget should be cut the same rate as last year except for the credit card for gas. The reason for the increase is due to the rise in gasoline prices. Commissioner Rardin questioned the cost for the extradition of prisoners. The Commission instructed Mrs. Hooser to take the 1999/2000 budget and make changes to match the same as that budget except for line item 39 increase it to \$65,000.00.

3. Rifle Range - Add a part-time person.

4. Corrections - The Commission requested \$25,000.00 be cut out of feeding of Prisoners, take \$3000.00 out of equipment rental, and cut part-time to \$25,000.00.

5. Road Fund - Take out \$9,000.00 out of part-time salaries, take \$160,000.00 out of capital outlay leaving it at \$300,000.00, and take out 1 night watchmen for a total budget cut of \$169,000.00.

6. Community Services - Commissioner McGinn suggested that everyone with a budget over \$6,000.00 be cut \$1,000.00. Commissioner Zierlein feels that by doing that it will shut down the Services.

7. Environmental/Convenience Center - Commissioner Zierlein suggested to cut the part time position and leave the full time position. Commissioner McGinn requested that the two part-time positions be left and cut the full time position.

**II. FEMA:**

1. Dennis McQuinn approached the Board and informed him of the events taking place in the Mountain communities due to the fire emergency. Mr. McQuinn stated that there has been an Emergency Declaration for this County. The Declaration provides for funding to public entities for response cost directly associated with the fire. The disaster declaration provides for rental and mortgage assistance, basic home repair, and disaster loans. There are also individual family grants, which provides funding for home repairs, cleaning, household's replacement, clothing and transportation. FEMA will also coordinate with IRS, Department of Labor and other agencies, which can provide services. FEMA has a joint information center in Espanola. There is a Disaster Recovery Center set up at the Methodist Camp located in Sacramento. There will be Red Cross Representatives at the camp. FEMA will only provide services to the primary residents. Those that have vacation homes or whose homes are not their primary residences will not be helped by FEMA. Mr. McQuinn stated it is going to take several more weeks to get this emergency under control. Another problem is going to be when the rain comes with erosion.

There being no further business before the Board Commission adjourned the meeting at 5:20 p.m.

APPROVED:

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Chairman

Attest:

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County Clerk