

Sterling Board of Assessors
Minutes to Meeting
March 9, 2009

MEMBER ATTENDEES: Don Murray, Michael Olson

OTHER ATTENDEES: Evelyn McNamara Harald Scheid

Meeting began at 9:00 am

Mr. Larry Pape came to the Board's meeting to speak to the Board regarding releasing prior year's overlay surpluses. Mr. Pape acknowledged that this would help to balance the budget for this year. Discussion followed by the Board with Don Murray making the motion to release \$300,000 from the overlay account. Mike Olson 2nd the motion. It was voted 2 ayes in favor of releasing the money.

Evelyn presented to the Board a proposal from the Treasurer and Tax Collector's office that they received to install a Security System in the perspective offices. Donna Ericksen suggested the idea since there is a door between the Assessors Office and the Collector's. It was agreed by the Board that would be a good idea.

Harald went over a portion of the Real Estate Abatements that had been received with the Board which they agreed to grant or deny each one.

Another meeting will be set up once Harald has worked on the rest of them.

The meeting adjourned at 11:15 a.m