Rusk County Sheriff’s Committee
Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, June 10, 2009 – 9:00 A.M.

Present: Skogen, Golat, Lieffring, Willingham and Knops

1. Chairman Skogen called the meeting to order at 9 AM.
2. Golat/Lieffring motion to approve the May 13, 2009 meeting minutes, motion carried.
3. Willingham/Lieffring motion to approve the agenda, motion carried.
4. Rusk County Coroner presentation – absent
5. Old Business

   a. Personnel updates – Sheriff Kaminski advised the committee that interviews for the 80% FTE male dispatch/jailer will be on Monday, June 22, 2009 at 9 AM. Willingham and Golat will sit on the interview committee. One patrol deputy is on paid suspension.

   The COPS grant will be awarded by the end of summer. If Rusk County receives and accepts the grant, a full-time position will be funded at entry-level wages for three years and the County would be required to retain the position for the fourth year.

6. New Business

   a. Monthly report – Sheriff Kaminski presented the May 2009 monthly report. The average daily inmate population was 42 and EMP is 0. Upcoming training requested for Hibbard 6/9-10/09 and Kaminski 8/18-20/09. Lieffring/Knops motion to approve the training, motion carried.

   Chief Deputy Hahn supplied the committee with a break-down of patrol overtime in the month of May. There were 655 vacant hours due to vacation, FMLA, suspension, comp, court, or transports. Of those hours, 238 were unfilled, 195 filled by reassigning shifts and 222 hours were filled with overtime.

   Monthly calls for service were reviewed. There were 1039 calls in May compared to 888 in April. Inmate billing was all contracted bed days. Overtime was reviewed. Bills were signed. Golat/Willingham motion to pay the bills, motion carried.

   b. Rusk County Address and Road Name Ordinance – The purpose of this ordinance is to easily locate properties with signage and to establish a method by which address numbers are assigned. This will include all private and public roads. Sheriff Kaminski has met with the Towns Association and worked with Rich Summerfield and David Kaiser to create this ordinance. Sheriff Kaminski gave each member a copy and requested they review the ordinance and will discuss any changes next month.

   The committee discussed Emergency Government issues. This will be an agenda item for July, 2009

7. The next meeting will be Wednesday, July 8, 2009 at 9 AM.

8. Lieffring/Knops motion to adjourn, motion carried.