

Kossuth County Convention

Date: March 8, 2014

Time: 6:34 meeting called to order

Location: Burt Activity Center, Burt IA

Attendance:

Open with Prayer: Pastor Hollinger, Chaplain

Pledge of Allegiance: Led by Tedd Gassman

Delegates elected for district convention April 26, 2014 and state convention on June 14, 2014. Delegates need to pay \$40.

Jim Wachels

Isaac Wachels

Adam Wachels

Kevin Hollinger – not available June 14

Dennis Swanson

Rita Prunty

Ken Clark

Wendell Steven

Eldon Jorgenson

Diane Jorgenson

David Winter

Lyle Prunty

Kendall Pals

Pam Wymore

Alternates

Bobbi Clark

Jim Black

Dennis Wymore

Karen Benscotter

Junior Delegate

Peter Hollinger, hollingerkids@netamumail.com

District 4 Will meet March 15, 2014

District 4 Committees:

March 15 ~ 4 hrs.

Platform – get together with district people from each county to discuss planks.

Kevin Hollinger

Rules

Credentials

Organization – helps get district and state convention ready.

Ted Gassman, House Representative – Running for 7th District. Passed largest decrease in taxes in history of state last year. Increased base wage for beginning teachers. Homeschools, parochial and bible schools were given more autonomy. ~\$240 more in student aid. Human trafficking – young women will not be treated as criminals, they will be handled by DHS. Harsher penalties for handlers. May be increase in tax to repair roads and bridges. Budget set at 6.718 Billion Dollars which is less than previous year. Will be holding forums in Algona, March 29, 2014.

Adam spoke on behalf of Mark Jacobs.

Lyle Prunty spoke on behalf of Sam Clovis.

Letter from Dennis Guth was read.

Reviewed and made amendments to planks (see separate platform document).

Vote on acceptance of platform. Passed

Meeting adjourned 9:25.