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STRYKER – Employees at the Corrections Center of Northwest Ohio honored a late co-worker, Sue Rastocan, with a year-long charity campaign for CHP Home Care & Hospice. Rastocan had been a Corrections Officer at the regional jail for 20 years at the time of her passing earlier this year. Staff at the jail raised \$4,000 throughout 2019 and will be presenting their donation along with Mrs. Rastocan’s husband to the hospice organization in the coming weeks.

The board for the jail addressed some repair projects needed at the facility at Wednesday’s meeting. The water tower had three fixes to be done at a cost of \$13,672. The jail has an original water line pipe that needs replaced coming in at a price of \$28,840.75 for the project.

Jail officials also requested the purchase of additional cameras, switches, and memory for the facility. The board went into executive session for eight minutes. The purchase of \$23,738.05 was approved after returning to open session.

Executive Director Dennis Sullivan commented that “the cameras are needed to protect staff and inmates from untrue allegations of misconduct or assault and will help deter fights between inmates.” The director added that these cameras have been researched, reviewed, and discussed from many aspects in order to maintain the jail’s compliance with standards.

Two employees were recognized as Employees of the Month for October and November. Jacob Vicic received the honor for being a dedicated and dependable co-worker who always holds a positive attitude. Ray Shunck earned the distinction for discovering a large amount of meth on a new book-in, resulting in felony conveyance charges.

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