

COMMISSIONER PROCEEDINGS

APRIL 15, 2024

GRANT, NEBRASKA

The regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Perkins County, Nebraska, was held at 8:30 a.m. in the County Courthouse in Grant, Nebraska.

Present: Commissioners Mark Bottom, Steve Tucker, Sid Colson, County Attorney Richard Roberts, and Clerk Rita Long.

Chairman Bottom called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. It was announced that notice of this meeting had been published in the Grant Tribune-Sentinel on April 11, 2024. Chairman announced the location of the Open Meetings Act Poster in the Commissioner's Room. Commissioner Colson made the motion to approve the minutes of April 1, 2024, meeting as published in the Grant Tribune-Sentinel. Commissioner Tucker seconded, roll call vote, 3 ayes, motion carried. The agenda was reviewed. Motion was made by Commissioner Tucker to approve the continuing agenda, seconded by Commissioner Colson, roll call vote, 3 ayes, motion carried.

COUNTY EMPLOYEES SALARIES:	\$ 65280.13
GENERAL	
Adams Bank & Trust - Grant	337.50
AFLAC	1647.06
Al's Lock & Safe Inc	415.00
Ameritas, Retirement Plans Division	8377.78
AT&T Mobility	1311.48
Black Hills Gas Distribution, LLC	930.39
Jim Brueggeman	51.76
City Of Grant	1235.00
Culligan Water Conditioning	67.50
DAS State Accounting-Central Finance	200.50
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Datashield	125.25
Eakes Office Plus	220.01
Election Systems & Software, Inc	1323.02
Law Office of Steven E Elmshaeuser	875.00
Ensz Hardware	78.05
Fiduciary Trust Co. of New Hampshire	1250.00
Frenchman Valley Coop	1037.78
City of Grant	1801.91
Great Plains Communication	1142.38
Robert S. Harvoy	150.00
High Plains News North LLC	449.95
Keith County Jail	1600.00
Stephanie Larson	46.05
MOCIC	100.00
MIPS Inc	2488.68
NACO	50.00

NE Assoc Co. Hwy Supt, Engineers, Surv.	110.00
Nebraska.Gov	7.50
Office Service, Inc	1065.20
Perkins Co. Sheriff	56.00
Pinnacle Bank	14582.11
Pinnacle Bank - Grant	2523.42
Pinnacle Bank - Omaha	417.54
Pinnacle Bank	20517.96
Prairie States Comm. Inc.	105.30
Pro Printing & Graphics	43.75
Relx Inc.dba Lexisnexis	295.18
Sandhills State Bank	437.50
Secretary of State	20.00
State of NE -- Dept of Revenue	3721.33
Thomson Reuters-West	145.00
US Bank	7.14
UNL Extension Perkins County	45.16
USDA, Aphis, General	24.71
Verizon Wireless	42.86
ROADS	
Adams Bank & Trust - Grant	37.50
AFLAC	589.28
Ameritas, Retirement Plans Division	1296.84
Aurora Cooperative	741.03
Classic 1 Welding	992.50
Cornhusker International Trucks Inc	1192.55
Deaver Computer Service 1, LLC	19.12
Ensz Hardware	36.25
Fastenal Company	171.17
Frenchman Valley Coop	8.00
Guynan Machine & Steel, Inc	1935.01
Chris Henthorn	13.24
Highline	49.00
Imperial NAPA	545.79
Madrid Blacksmith Shop, LLC	1069.42
MCI	29.51
Midwest Electric Cooperative Corp.	90.56
NE Child Support Payment Center	250.00
NMC, Inc	8914.69
Perkins Co Comm Hospital	182.00
Pinnacle Bank	4635.07
Pinnacle Bank - Grant	262.50
Pinnacle Bank	412.48
Powerplan	722.97
Prairie States Comm. Inc.	566.90
Quality Diesel Inc	1689.22

Regier Truck Sales	338.33
Ross Family Auto Parts, Inc	922.61
Sandhills State Bank	212.50
State of NE -- Dept of Revenue	2107.97
James J. Vak	300.00
Viaero Wireless	32.27
Waste Connections, Inc	230.23
Wolf Auto Imperial	781.20
Woody's Pivot Service, LLC	330.85
FAIR	
Black Hills Gas Distribution, LLC	268.09
City Of Grant	538.79
High Plains News North LLC	9.00
Ideal Linen/Bluffs	30.42
PUBLIC TRANSIT	
Ameritas, Retirement Plans Division	78.82
Black Hills Gas Distribution, LLC	215.27
City of Grant	22.17
Pinnacle Bank	270.38
Pronto Convenience	804.82
State of NE -- Dept of Revenue	34.41
Verizon Wireless	25.77
E-911 SERVICES	
Elsie Communications, Inc	191.37
Frontier Communications	34.19
Great Plains Communication	83.32
AMBULANCE	
Eakes Office Plus	122.84
Ensz Hardware	8.78
Frenchman Valley Coop	418.31
One Billing Solutions, LLC	678.29
Quality Diesel Inc	514.36
Verizon Wireless	80.02
Windesigns, Inc	972.00
Zoll Medical Corporation GPO	957.00
TRANSFER AMBULANCE	
Ameritas, Retirement Plans Division	45.01
AT&T Mobility	46.39
Aurora Cooperative	143.89
One Billing Solutions, LLC	1456.78
Pinnacle Bank	196.27
Pinnacle Bank - Omaha	988.24
State of NE -- Dept of Revenue	47.26
Verizon Wireless	80.02

Claims submitted to the County Board were reviewed. A motion was made by Commissioner Tucker to approve the claims, seconded by Commissioner Colson, roll call vote, 3 ayes, motion carried.

8:40 a.m. Opened Public Forum and closed at 9:15 a.m.

Gaylord Bishop and Ruth Demmel were present to discuss the J Bar J Landfill Host Agreement.

Correspondence: NONE

Unfinished Business: NONE

New Business:

The custodian position for the courthouse will be advertised.

9:15 a.m. Mr. Steve Mossman, Mr. Mark Adams and Mr. Dalton Ellis with Waste Management/J Bar J appeared via zoom to discuss the Landfill Host agreement with the Commissioners. Amber Kuskie from West Central Nebraska Development District, Inc. that administers our planning and zoning for Perkins County was also present. A Host agreement for the landfill will be submitted for review by County Attorney Richard Roberts and forward to a future meeting.

Grant Superintendent Ed Dunn was present to discuss the purchase of the ballfields from the county. Mr. Dunn submitted handouts that included GIS map of the ballfields. The Commissioners will take this under advisement.

Commissioner Colson moved to declare surplus the following items from the County Attorney office. The items are: 2 Dell Precision 3430 without hard drives, 2 Dell Monitors and Belkin N Wireless Router. Commissioner Tucker seconded the motion, roll call vote, 3 ayes, motion carried.

9:00 a.m. Bid Opening District 2 Tractor

Bids received by the deadline were as follows:

Imperial Yost Farm Supply – 2023 New Holland T6 Tractor T6.160	\$179,900
Less Trade-in \$ 50,000	= \$129,900
North Platte Kubota – 2024 Kubota, M6-131DTC-F Tractor	\$114,528
Less Trade-in \$ 28,500	= \$ 86,028
Titan Machinery 2023 Case IH Tractor Maxxum 125	\$ 155,000
Less Trade-in \$55,000	= \$ 100,000

Commissioner Tucker made the motion to authorize Commissioner Bottom to make the purchase that he chooses for Road District 2 and inform the board of his decision at the May 6th, 2024, meeting. Commissioner Colson seconded the motion, roll call vote, 3 ayes, motion carried.

The Board heard reports from County Clerk Rita Long, Sheriff Jim Brueggeman, Highway/Noxious Weed Superintendent Mike Dolezal, and Amber Kuskie with Zoning and Planning.

Rita Long gave fee reports.

The Tree Removal on Lee Road Contract with Chase County will be forwarded to May 6, 2024, meeting.

Amber Kuskie with the West Central Nebraska Development District, Inc. gave her report.

The next regular meeting will be held on Monday, May 6, 2024, at the Perkins County Courthouse in Grant, Nebraska.

10:38 a.m. Commissioner Colson made the motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Commissioner Tucker, roll call vote, 3 ayes, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned.

Rita A. Long
County Clerk