

COMMISSIONER PROCEEDINGS

JUNE 1, 2026

GRANT, NEBRASKA

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

Present: Commissioners Darin Robertson, Mark Bottom, and Steven Tucker; County Attorney Richard Roberts; and County Clerk James Brueggeman.

Chairman Robertson called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. It was announced that notice of the meeting had been published in The Grant Tribune-Sentinel on May 28, 2026. The chairman also announced the location of the Open Meetings Act Poster in the Commissioner's Room. The agenda was reviewed. Commissioner Bottom moved to approve the agenda, seconded by Commissioner Tucker. A roll call vote was taken, with three ayes, and the motion carried. Commissioner Tucker moved to approve the minutes from the May 18, 2026, meeting, as published in The Grant Tribune-Sentinel, on Perkins County's website, and made public in the Clerk's Office. Commissioner Bottom seconded. Roll call vote: three ayes, and the motion carried.

The payroll and claims submitted to the County Board were reviewed. Commissioner Bottom moved to approve the payroll and claims. Commissioner Tucker seconded. A roll call vote was taken, with three in favor, and the motion was approved.

COUNTY EMPLOYEES

SALARIES	\$75,491.65
GENERAL	
911 Custom	\$ 452.74
Adams Bank & Trust - Grant	\$ 475.00
Aflac	\$ 942.80
Amazon Capital Services	\$ 88.65
Ameritas, Retirement Plans Division	\$ 11,741.52
CDW Government, Inc.	\$ 1,673.60
CenturyLink	\$ 33.88
Charles Kuskie	\$ 16.00
City Of Grant	\$ 1,934.46

Courtney Ingold	\$ 53.30
Dickinson Land Surveyors, Inc.	\$ 6,300.00
Eakes Office Plus	\$ 400.35
Eastern Sky, Inc.	\$ 811.20
Ensz Hardware	\$ 80.76
Fiduciary Trust Co Of New Hampshire	\$ 625.00
Frenchman Valley Coop	\$ 38.95
Grafix Shoppe	\$ 607.00
Hometown Leasing	\$ 217.02
Jessie Faber	\$ 34.45
Kent's Towing	\$ 250.00
Leibbrandt Lumber, Inc.	\$ 11.44
Lumen Tactical	\$ 719.76
Mar's Service Center, Inc.	\$ 249.47
Mid-American Research Chem. Corp.	\$ 143.22
MIPS, Inc.	\$ 3,531.04
NMC, Inc.	\$ 450.00
Peggy Burton	\$ 99.04
Perkins County Court	\$ (221.00)
Perkins County Sheriff'S Trust	\$ 18.50
Perkins County Fair Fund	\$ 4,810.00
Perkins County Paving Fund	\$165,969.00
Perkins County Road Fund	\$250,000.00
Perkins County Sheriff's Trust	\$ 15.00
Pinnacle Bank	\$ 41,847.98
Pinnacle Bank - Grant	\$ 957.03
Pinnacle Bank - Grant	\$ 5,089.57
Pinnacle Bank - Omaha	\$ 5,747.83
Pitney Bowes Bank, Inc. Reserve Acct.	\$ 2,500.00
Pitney Bowes Global Financial, LLC	\$ 176.19
Pitney Bowes, Inc.	\$ 24.89
Point C	\$ 338.50
Reynolds, Korth, Samuelson PC, LLO	\$ 505.00
Sandhills State Bank	\$ 487.50

State of NE - Dept. of Revenue	\$ 2,863.18
The Lincoln National Life Ins. Co.	\$ 1,710.46
US Bank	\$ 1,191.13
Uline, Inc.	\$ 592.40
University of NE - Lincoln	\$ 64.50
UNL Extension Perkins County	\$ 45.21
Verizon Wireless	\$ 59.62
Wolf Auto	\$ 87.41
ROADS	
Bomgaars Supply	\$ 3,427.56
Consolidated Telcom, Inc.	\$ 120.50
Country Load Trailer Sales	\$ 108.85
NPPD	\$ 295.65
Pinnacle Bank - Grant	\$ 5,218.29
Regier Truck Sales	\$ 6,000.00
Sandhills State Bank	\$ 10,643.08
Vistabeam	\$ 71.95
FAIR	
Perkins County Inheritance Tax Fund	\$ 10,000.00
TRANSIT	
City Of Grant	\$ 19.71
Perkins County Senior Center	\$ 1,252.00
911 SERVICES	
CenturyLink	\$ 1,079.43
Elsie Communications, Inc.	\$ 191.37
Perkins County Inheritance Tax Fund	\$ 20,000.00
WIRELESS 911 SERVICE	
Perkins County Wireless 911 Holding	\$ 51,350.86
LOCAL AMBULANCE	
Eakes Office Plus	\$ 298.52
Fyr-Tek, Inc.	\$ 156.00
TRANSFER AMBULANCE	
Deaver Computer Service 1, LLC	\$ 137.89
Northeastern Junior College	\$ 5,901.60

Correspondence:

Commissioners received correspondence from the Nebraska Equalization and Review Commission regarding a finding and order stating that the property values in Perkins County for the 2026 tax year comply with the law.

Public Comment:

Opened at 8:40 a.m. and closed at 9:00 a.m. No public comment was received.

NACO Update:

Jonathan Cannon, Executive Director of the Nebraska Association of County Officials, met with Commissioners and shared handouts and an update on the association's activities on behalf of Nebraska counties.

Business With Officials:

Commissioners received updates from County Clerk James Brueggeman, Sheriff Jeffrey Miller, Highway Superintendent Steve Leimer, and Advanced EMT Travis Ogg regarding their respective areas. Grant Volunteer Fire Department Chief Donald Softley also informed the Commissioners that the new Perkins County Ambulance would arrive before the end of June.

Unfinished Business:

There was no unresolved business.

Recess:

Chairman Robertson recessed the meeting at 9:41 a.m. for a quick break and reconvened it at 9:44 a.m.

New Business:

Commissioner Tucker moved to approve the updated Master Services Agreement and Managed IT Service Order between Hamilton Information Systems, Inc. and Perkins County, Nebraska, and to have the Chairman sign. Commissioner Bottom seconded the motion. Roll call vote: three ayes; motion carried.

Commissioner Tucker moved to approve the Interlocal Agreements for Law Enforcement Services between Perkins County, Nebraska, and the City of Grant and Villages of Elsie, Madrid, and Venango, and have the Commissioners sign. Commissioner Bottom seconded the motion. Roll call vote: three yes votes; motion carried.

Commissioner Bottom moved to approve a revised Interlocal Cooperation Agreement between Perkins County and the City of Grant for Hastings Memorial Library funding, with the Chairman to sign. Commissioner Tucker seconded the motion. All three voted in favor; the motion carried.

Commissioner Tucker moved to approve the use of the Perkins County Fairgrounds for the July 4, 2026, fireworks display. Commissioner Bottom seconded the motion. Roll call vote: three ayes; motion carried.

Commissioner Bottom moved to adopt Amended Resolution 2026-14, which established fees for noxious weed notices and for Commissioners' signatures. Commissioner Tucker seconded the motion. Roll call vote: three ayes; motion carried.

Commissioner Tucker moved to approve the Engagement Agreement with Torrey J. Gerdes with Baylor, Evnen, Wolfe & Tannehill, LLP, and have the Chairman sign. Commissioner Bottom seconded the motion. Roll call vote: all voted in favor, and the motion carried.

Commissioner Bottom motioned to adjourn the meeting, which was seconded by Commissioner Tucker. A roll call vote was taken, and all three members approved the motion.

The meeting concluded at 10:20 a.m.

The next regular meeting of the Perkins County Board of Commissioners is scheduled for Monday, June 15, 2026, at 8:30 a.m., at the Perkins County Courthouse in Grant, Nebraska.

James D. Brueggeman
Perkins County Clerk