



Pawnee County Board Minutes



PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

JUNE 28, 2022

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session, which was open to the public, on Tuesday, June 28, 2022 at 9:04 a.m. in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, May 26, 2022, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and County Clerk, Candi Nicholas. Chairman Seitz opened the meeting and announced the open meeting law poster is posted on the east wall of the meeting room. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the June 14, 2022 Commissioner meeting. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the agenda as presented. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

After discussion Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to raise the mileage reimbursement to \$0.625 per mile for personal vehicle use to follow the recommendations of the State of Nebraska and the IRS. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

After review Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve Resolution 22-17 regarding changes to the purchasing/credit card policy that were approved on March 8, 2022 and June 14, 2022. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

After discussion Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve Resolution 22-18 adding a Canine (K-9) Fund to the Treasurer, Clerk and Budget records. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

After discussion Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to transfer \$6,000.00 to the County Sheriff (100-651) from the Jail (0100-671) all within the General Fund due to the department being short of funds before the end of the fiscal year. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

There was no discussion on ARPA funds.

At 9:15 public comment was held. Vickie Wiers spoke regarding supporting ARPA funds for the Sheriff department radios. Susan Eisenhauer spoke regarding Law Enforcement Agreement between Pawnee County and City of Pawnee City and the use of ARPA funds.

Michael Cirrincione, Deputy Sheriff, met with the Board to introduce the new Pawnee County K-9, Alaric.

After discussion regarding pay raises Lang moved to approve for the year 2023 a 5% raise to Building and Grounds, Veteran Service Officer, Extension Administrative Assistant, new road employees and full pay road employees, a 3% raise to the Highway Superintendent and a \$2000.00 retention pay for full time employees and prorated for part time employees from ARPA funds for the 2023 pay. The motion died for lack of a second. Heidemann moved and Seitz seconded to approve for the 2023 a 5% raise to Building and Grounds,



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Veteran Service Officer, Extension Administrative Assistant, new road employees and full pay road employees and a 3% raise to the Highway Superintendent. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (no).

Chris Rauner, Hwy Supt, met with the Board. There was no rock report. After review Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to sign Resolution 22-19 Certifying Proper Completion of STWD-CBMP(4). Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Chris discussed his budget regarding rock, materials, supplies, projects and equipment.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 39150.66; FWH 3754.25; SWH 1695.71; FICA 6308.94; MICA 1475.34; RETIREMENT 5848.71; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

GENERAL FUND:

American Legion Emblem Sales, supplies 165.80; Antelope County Sheriff, service fee 59.82; Black Hills Energy, 54.40; Clerk of District Court, court costs 72.00; Coast to Coast, office supplies 1317.77; Constellation energy, 29.08; Corporate Warehouse Supply, office supplies 499.85; Dept Correctional Services, inmate lodging 722.80; Farm & Home Publishers, plat books 625.00; Cindy Johnson, reimburse printer 568.68; Terry Kerl, mileage 31.59; Kyle's Service, repairs 111.00; WIN Investments, Nicholas lodging Clerk workshop 229.00; NIRMA 2022-2023 liability, official & workers comp insurance 83168.00; Pawnee County Sheriff, service fee 29.07; Pawnee County Treasurer, reimburse NSF check 119.10 & transfer to Road from General fund 115949.66; Pawnee Republican, publishing 103.83; Postmaster, postage County Court 352.01; Quill, Treasurer supplies 794.17 & Assessor supplies 21.98; Richardson County Sheriff, service fee 52.44; Kris Riekenberg, transcript 297.00; Ron Seitz, mileage 230.49; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 90.00; Smith Auto, Sheriff tires 175.00; TR Ag Sales, chemical 320.00; U.S. Bank, Assessor supplies 212.74, Treasurer postage 464.00 & Sheriff fuel & supplies 1950.22; LaRita Weber, reimburse supply 38.69; Woods & Aitken, services 715.50;

ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:

Black Hills Energy 93.49; Caterpillar Financial, equip payment and principal reduction 43415.47; Hamm Inc, rock 11236.73; Martin Marietta, rock 14955.04; Metal Culverts, supplies 3502.50; NPPD 31.58; Highway petty cash, reimburse CDL license & postage 79.05; Powerplan, repairs 660.67; Speer's Truck Repair, repairs 246.95; True Value supplies 76.54; U.S. Bank, fuel 428.00;

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:49 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Candi Nicholas, Pawnee County Clerk

The next Board of Commissioner meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, July 12, 2022 beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the first-floor meeting room of the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska.



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