

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**FEBRUARY 21, 2024**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Wednesday, February 21, 2024, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, February 1, 2024, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann was absent, and Deputy County Clerk, Rachel King. 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 Seitz seconded to approve the minutes of the February 6, 2024 meeting. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent). Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the agenda as presented. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes). Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the January month end and Treasurer reports for July through November.

After review the Board tabled the addendum to Johnson County/ Pawnee County Radio Dispatching Agreement. No action taken.

After review Lang moved and Seitz seconded to appoint Rachel King as contact person for NIRMA and General Assistance effective March 2, 2024. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes)

The Board reviewed the correspondence regarding the Binder Cattle Feeding Operation

After review Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the application for use of the courthouse grounds for the annual Easter egg hunt. Voting: Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes)

Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager, met with the Board and after review Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the Interlocal agreement to create the Southeast Region. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent). The Board also discussed office policies and procedures, IPAWS policies and procedures and Severe Weather Policy and Guidelines. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the policies as shown. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes)

Col. Scott Brown, Legion #289, met with Board to introduce himself.

After review of correspondence from Legion # 289 regarding their recommendation to appoint Col. Scott Brown as the county veteran representative Lang moved and Seitz seconded to

approve of Col. Scott Brown being appointed as the county veteran representative. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent)

Chris Rauner, Hwy Supt., met with the Board and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials/ supplies, and reviewed bridge inspection quotes for 2024 from Mainelli Wagner and Associates and Midwest Engineering.

At 10:30 AM the Open Hearing for One-and Six-year Plan for Highway Improvements for Pawnee County was conducted. No public appeared. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve Resolution 24- 12 for One-and Six-year Plan for Highway Improvements. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes)

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 43192.26; FWH 4309.85; SWH 1952.10; FICA 7047.34; MICA 1648.14; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 1450.00; RETIREMENT 6843.65; DELTA DENTAL 357.74; AMERITAS 103.90; AMERICAN HERITAGE 98.99; MADISON LIFE 80.93; UNITED HEALTHCARE 13779.18; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Kristina Abbott, jury fee 35.67; Logan Barr, jury fee 48.40; Michelle Bernadt, jury fee 41.70; Black Hills Energy, heating 248.13; Joshua Black, mileage for conference 262.64; Terra Blecha, jury fee 39.69; Cari Burris, jury fee 52.42; City of Pawnee City, water/sewer 113.31; DAS State Accounting, data storage 230.00; Donahue & Sisco, co attorney supplies 13.58; Kent Dunn, jury fee 41.70; First Concord Benefits Group, non-discriminate flex testing 200.00; Douglas Frazee, jury fee 47.06; Jason Glathar, jury fee 40.36; Hasselbach Pharmacy, inmate medical 30.00; Gail Howard, jury fee 39.69; Johnson County Ambulance Service, inmate medical 700.30; Johnson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 325.00; Mark Johnson, jury fee 35.67; Stephen Kraviec, child support enforcement 1003.30; Jean Kwiatkowski, jury fee 35.67; Kay Laun, jury fee 35.67; Jerome Lunsford, jury fee 43.71; John Mathewson, jury fee 55.10; Midwest Alarm Services, fire alarm inspection 742.68; Midwest Special Services, inmate transport 107.30; MIPS, clerk supplies 88.50; Kathryn Monarrez, jury fee 39.69; NACO, registration, Lang & Seitz 80.00; NE Assn of Clerks, ROD, & Election Commissioners, 2024 membership dues 50.00; Norfolk Lodge & Suites, lodging-Black 218.98; Brenda Nouzovsky, jury fee 52.42; Jane Osborne, jury fee 35.67; Pawnee County Treasurer, Transfer to Bridge/Road from general per resolution 23-23 February 95303.64; Pawnee County Clerk, postage 10.40 & jury costs 6.00; Pawnee County Sheriff, service fees 109.00; Pawnee Republican, publishing 872.13; Desmond Petersen, jury fee 39.02; Radiology Associates, inmate medical 397.00; Chris Rauner, jury fee 40.36; Andrew Rogge, jury fee 40.36; Dalton Rohrs, jury fee 45.05; Terri Sargent, jury fee 52.42; Sarpy County Sheriff, inmate lodging 1112.07; Schaardt Lawn Care, lawn spraying 155.00; Lola Seitz, jury fee 45.72; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 108.00; Kimberly Sharpe, jury fee 39.02; Adam Sisco, jury fee 43.71; Natalie Sisco, jury fee 43.71; Emily Sisco, mileage 9.38; James Siske, jury fee 44.38; Patricia

Snyder, jury fee 35.67; Mary Spence, jury fee 52.42; Leonard Steiner, jury fee 45.72; Daniel Sunneberg, jury fee 40.36; Kimberly Tegtmeier, jury fee 48.40; Pawnee True Value, bldg. & ground supplies 331.49; Roberta Turnbull, jury fee 41.03; US Bank, clerk supplies 26.45; US Postal Service, Ext postage 68.00; Andrea Veleba, jury fee 35.67; Verizon Wireless, sheriff phone 390.68; Shannon Vlcek, jury fee 41.70; Troy Walters, jury fee 45.05; Terrance Wenzl, jury fee 43.04; Angela Wilkinson, jury fee 40.36; Windstream, courthouse phones 926.20.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heat 583.67; City of Pawnee City, water/sewer 81.03; Den's Country Meats, fuel 2044.59; Diversified Drug Testing, personel tests 135.00; Eggers Bros., repairs 809.57; Farmer's Cooperative, fuel 7101.82; Friedly Oil, repairs 834.64 & fuel 10017.17; H & H Auto Parts, repairs 2625.78 & fuel 1017.49; Heritage Tractor, repairs 214.41; Kyle's Service Center, repairs 2060.00; Martin Marietta, rock 6613.31; Matheson Tri-Gas Inc., chemicals 431.81; NACO, registration Rauner 40.00; NMC, repairs 4238.28; NPPD 188.51; Office Depot Credit Plan, credit payment 63.34; OPPD, Electricity 33.08; Powerplan, repairs 2248.81; RDO Truck Center, repairs 224.50; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 108.00; Speers Truck Repair, repairs 142.94; Tichy Land Survey Co., surveyor 850.00; US Bank, fuel 164.00; Windstream, phones 191.76.

**ARPA PROGRAM FUND:**

Specialty Vehicle Source, 2024 Dodge Durango Sheriff vehicle 67330.93

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:34 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Deputy