

PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

APRIL 2, 2024

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, April 2, 2024, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, March 27, 2024, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the March 19, 2024 Commissioner meeting. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the agenda as presented. Voting: Lang (yes) Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the Johnson County /Pawnee County Radio Dispatching Agreement Addendum. No action was taken at this time.

And the Detention Service Agreement for the Lancaster youth service center for juvenile detention services. The Board discussed the agreement and Lang motioned and Heidemann seconded to approve the Detention Service Agreement. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes)

The Board discussed who will be designated to do the budget. No action was taken at this time.

At 9:10 Public comment was held. No public comment was made.

Damian Vrtiska met with the Board to dispute a decision made by the Assessor. It was stated that property disputes must be corrected in Civil court. No action taken.

Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager, met with the Board and gave updates.

Trina Janis from Region V Services met with the Board and let them know what options are available to use the Opioid Settlement Funds. No action taken at this time.

John DeFreece for Pawnee County Assisted Living sent a letter to the Board and gave updates to the by-laws and for the PCAL.

Cindy Johnson, Treasurer, met with the Board and gave tax sale updates.

Joshua Black, Noxious Weed, met with the Board and discussed Control Resolutions for weed spraying. Also discussed purchasing a laptop for on-site data entry.

Rachel King, Clerk, introduced her new Deputy Clerk Jessica Bock and discussed staffing with the Board.

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board and gave the rock report. He then discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials/ supplies.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 42666.56; FWH 3751.47; SWH 1845.23; FICA 6875.62; MICA 1607.98;
NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 850.00; RETIREMENT 6616.59; DELTA DENTAL 374.79; AMERITAS
103.90; AMERICAN HERITAGE 89.49; MADISON LIFE 83.92; UNITED HEALTHCARE 12725.61;
DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

GENERAL FUND:

Joshua Black, mileage 269.34; Capitol Business Systems, sheriff copier 24.62, extension copier 218.84; Central Plains Valuation, small town review 3700.00; Constellation, heating 414.85; Department Correctional Services, inmate lodging 2620.15; Eakes, sheriff supplies 19.61, extension supplies 63.34; Hasselbalch Pharmacy, inmate medical 30.00; Holiday Inn, Black lodging 404.85; JF Ahern, sprinkler inspection 387.00; Johnson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 2340.00; Cindy Johnson, mileage 94.34; MIPS, programs & support 2298.18; NPPD, electricity 548.77; Pawnee County Clerk, postage reimbursement 9.85; Pawnee Republican, publishing 54.38; US Bank, treasure PO box rental 154.00, treasurer supplies 29.46, sheriff equipment 225.80, sheriff fuel 1020.78, sheriff supplies 48.04.

ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:

Eggers Bros, supplies 173.21; Farwell Tiling, supplies 1600.00; Heritage Tractor, repairs 392.87; Kyles Service Center, tires 120.00; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/ gravel 8916.18; NPPD, electricity 133.86; NMC, repairs 1920.40; Powerplan, repairs 2711.84; Speers Truck Repair, repairs 994.44; Pawnee True Value, supplies 112.36; US Bank, repairs 493.91, fuel 84.00;

ROD PRESERVATION FUND:

MIPS, programs & support 171.36;

K-9 FUND:

Table Rock Appliance, 1183.13

ARPA FUND:

Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 25905.61

911 FUND:

Johnson County Clerk, quarterly 911 2354.76

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:18 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel E. King, Pawnee County Clerk