PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OCTOBER 15, 2025

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Wednesday, October 15, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, October 2, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and County Clerk, Rachel King. Chairman Ron 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 the motion to approve the minutes of the September 30, 2025 Commissioner meeting. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (abstain). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the amended meeting minutes from the September 24, 2025 Budget Hearing. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the agenda as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

The Board reviewed the September month end reports for Clerk, Register of Deeds and District Court.

The Board reviewed the September month end report and the 6-month accumulated reports form the Treasurer.

The Board reviewed and discussed County auditor bids for the 2025/2026 fiscal year. No action taken at this time.

The Board reviewed the Sheriff quarterly report.

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

Kara Vrenburg, Project Response, met with the Board and gave the 3rd quarter updates.

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

Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board to discuss overtime proposals.

Chris Rauner, Hwy. Supt., met with the Board to discuss the project list, personnel, equipment and materials/ supplies.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 46937.37; FWH 5279.22; SWH 2211.04; FICA 7858.32; MICA 1837.80; CHILD SUPPORT 213.56; GARNISHMENT 449.37; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 7545.60; DELTA DENTAL 352.59; AMERITAS 115.95; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37; MADISON LIFE 85.95; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14662.97; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

GENERAL FUND:

Capital Business Systems, Sheriff supplies 80.53; City of Pawnee City, courthouse water 127.43; DAS State Accounting- Central Finance, data processing 230.00; Donahue & Sisco, October Rent 150.00, utilities 12.50, phone 20.83; Eakes Office Solutions, courthouse supplies 276.00, veterans services supplies 230.00; H&H Auto Parts, sheriff expense 4.77; Hampton Inn & Suites, conference lodging- Duff 330.00; Johnson County Dispatch, quarterly dispatch agreement 15517.93; Rachel King, mileage 57.96; Lindsay Kostecka, mileage 281.40; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1504.38; Lancaster County Sheriff, service fees 28.38; Maximus, 2024 cost allocation 1750.00; MIPS, programs & support 2352.28; NACO, registration-Kostecka 25.00; Nestor & Mercure, public defender 3750.00, court appointed counsel 2161.00; Paper Tiger Shredding, sheriff supplies 45.00; Pawnee City Thriftway, janitorial supplies 7.16; Pawnee County Court, uncollectible court costs 1068.00; Pawnee County Sheriff, postage reimbursement 60.93; Pawnee republican, publishing 75.01; Soaring Group, IT security 968.00; Tichy Land Survey, surveyor 850.00; US Bank, sheriff fuel 1239.20, inmate transport 50.09, sheriff dues 137.49, sheriff training 24.06; Verizon wireless, sheriff phones 408.40; Veterans Information Service, dues 70.00; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 282.80; Windstream, courthouse phones 980.42.

ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:

Barco, supplies 656.68; City of Pawnee City, water 89.68; Dens Country Meats, fuel 771.59; ; Eggers, repairs 1493.31; Kyles Service Center, tires 3320.00; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 22468.00; Nebraska Motor Fuels, fuel 1484.00; NPPD, electricity 225.98; OPPD, electricity 34.32; Sapp Bros., fuel 2071.51; Pawnee True Value, supplies 19.61; Windstream, phones 219.35

ROD PRESERVATION FUND:

MIPS, Programs & Support 176.90

K-9 FUND:

Southeast NE Feeds, K-9 supplies 31.30

ARPA FUND:

Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 19452.13

911 FUND:

Johnson County Clerk, quarterly 911 2354.76

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:21 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk