

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**JANUARY 7, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, January 7, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, January 2, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and County Clerk, Rachel King. Secretary Rachel King opened the meeting and announced the open meeting law poster is posted on the east wall of the meeting room. King called for nominations for Chairman to the Board of Commissioners. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to keep the Chairman as Ron Seitz. Voting: Seitz (abstain), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Heidemann moved and Seitz seconded to keep Vice-Chairman as Jan Lang. Voting: Lang (abstain), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Chairman Seitz took over the meeting. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the December 24, 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve Resolutions 25-1 through 25-6 with Resolution 25-1 Setting the Holidays for 2025, Resolution 25-2 Setting the Payroll Periods for 2025, Resolution 25-3 Setting the Commissioner Meeting Dates for 2025, Resolution 25-4 Setting the County Newspaper and Website of Pawnee County for 2025, Resolution 25-5 Setting the Bank Depositories for 2025, Resolution 25-6 Setting the Banks of Investment for 2025. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve Resolution 25-7 Setting the Appointments for 2025 with the stated corrections. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

The Board reviewed the December month end Clerk, Register of Deeds, Clerk of District Court, Treasurer, July through December, Treasurer 6-month July through December, Sheriff fourth quarter service record and year end quarterly reports.

The Board reviewed the cash in lieu insurance payment and decided to leave it as is.

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

The Board reviewed the Employee Handbook updates, Resolution 25-8, and tabled the discussion for further review.

Larry Bradbury, Veteran's Services, met with the Board and gave his resignation effective January 31, 2025.

Lang moved and Heidemann to go into executive session at 9:26 am for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual or individuals. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to exit executive session at 9:30 am. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve paying \$1200 for burial assistance out of General Assistance. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Dale Buman met with the Board from Veterans Services and discussed advertising and filling the Veterans Services position.

The Board discussed the Daikin proposals and are going to wait until they have more information regarding possible bonds to move forward with replacing the HVAC system for the courthouse.

Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager met with the Board and gave updates. Reminder that the courthouse will be closing at 3 PM on January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025 for an emergency training for the courthouse employees.

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

Judd Allen Jr. from NACO met with the Board and discussed the insurance renewal update. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to stay with the same plan with United Healthcare. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 44210.08; FWH 4891.60; SWH 2070.59; FICA 3797.33; MICA 888.11; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 870.00; RETIREMENT 7340.72; DELTA DENTAL 327.92; AMERITAS 89.10; AMERICAN HERITAGE 89.49; MADISON LIFE 83.92; UNITED HEALTHCARE 11827.56; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Capital Business Systems, Sheriff supplies 84.65; City of Pawnee City, courthouse water 162.02; Constellation, courthouse heating 535.66; Cheryl Dahlgreen, retirement prior service 96.00; Donahue & Sisco, Jan. utilities 12.50, Jan. rent 150.00, Jan. telephone 20.83; Haug Communications, Burchard repeater 91.40; John Jones Auto Group, patrol vehicle 21102.34; Johnson County Clerk, quarterly emergency manager 5012.25; Johnson County Dispatch, quarterly dispatch agreement 15517.93; Johnson County Hospital, inmate medical 129.65; Johnson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 2600.00; Cindy Johnson, mileage reimbursement

273.36; Olivia Kalin, retirement prior service 132.00; LaQuinta Inn & Suites, Johnson lodging 124.95, King lodging 374.85, Lang lodging 374.85, Seitz lodging 374.85; MIPS, treasurer supplies 88.65, programs & support 2276.55; NE Association of County Assessors, 2025 NACA Annual Dues 100.00; NE Clerks of District Court Association, 2025 Dues 50.00; NPPD, courthouse electricity 528.62; Pawnee County Court, uncollectible court costs 135.00; Pawnee County District Court, uncollectible court costs 216.00; Pawnee Republican, publishing 233.20; SEI, courthouse repair 615.71; Ron Seitz, mileage reimbursement 265.32; Soarin Group, IT Security 824.00; US Bank, courthouse supplies 320.00, retirement brunch 30.96, Seitz- travel 227.32, sheriff fuel 868.93, sheriff repairs 118.98, sheriff training 175.00, sheriff dues 15.00, inmate transport 60.61, sheriff misc. 289.00, sheriff vehicle 414.86; Verizon Wireless, sheriff phones 431.20; Windstream, courthouse telephones 971.22; Carol Young, retirement prior service 60.00;

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

City of Pawnee City, water 87.98; Garry Harris, retirement prior service 180.00; LaQuinta Inn & Suites, Rauner lodging 374.85; Mainelli Wagner & Associates Inc, bridge inspections 8010.00, engineering 27511.25; Martin Marietta Materials, rock 38872.91; Clarence McClintock, retirement prior service 204.00; State of NE Motor Fuel, fuel tax 950.00; NMC Exchange, repairs 108991.00; OPPD, electricity 33.08; Turnbull Ag Tires, repairs 258.00; US Bank, fuel 41.00

**DRUG LAW ENFORCEMENT FUND:**

John Jones Auto Group, patrol vehicle 15000.00

**ARPA FUND:**

Daikin, HVAC project 25000.00; Haug Communications, Burchard repeater 9000.00

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

MIPS, Programs & support 175.15

**K-9 FUND:**

John Jones Auto Group, patrol vehicle 9357.16

**911 FUND:**

Johnson County Clerk, quarterly 911 2354.76

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:52 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**JANUARY 22, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Wednesday, January 22, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, January 2, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and County Clerk, Rachel King, Ron Seitz was absent. Vice-Chairman Jan Lang opened the meeting and announced the open meeting law poster is posted on the east wall of the meeting room. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the January 7, 2025 Commissioner meeting. Voting: Seitz (absent), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the agenda as presented. Voting: Lang (yes) Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent), Lang (yes).

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

The Board reviewed the Employee Handbook updates, Resolution 25-8. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve Resolution 25-8 Employee Handbook Updates. Voting: Seitz (absent), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

Jacob Robison & Randall Gyhra met with the Board regarding a dam structure build.

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, met with the Board and discussed 2024 open/ closed cases and the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter and annual reports.

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

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials and supplies.

The Board reviewed the Environmental Services Agreement for project BRO-7067(24). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the agreement for Environmental Services with Olsson, Inc. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent).

The Board reviewed the agreement for Engineering Services for project BRO-7067 (24). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the agreement for Engineering Services with Speece Lewis. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent), Lang (yes)

Andy Forney, DA Davidson, met with the Board and discussed bond options to complete the HVAC project.

Kira Vredenburg, Project Response, met with the Board and gave updates.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 43514.77; FWH 4425.42; SWH 1954.05; FICA 7112.52; MICA 1663.42;  
NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 870.00; RETIREMENT 6959.02; DELTA DENTAL 327.93; AMERITAS  
89.10; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37; MADISON LIFE 78.94; UNITED HEALTHCARE 11827.65;  
DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 216.69; Larry Bradbury, postage reimbursement 146.00; Capital Business Systems, 2025 service contract 756.02, Extension copier lease 176.00; DAS State Accounting, data processing 230.00; Handley Law Office, court appointed counsel 1368.00; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1002.19; Kyles Service Center, sheriff repairs 212.50; Mid-States Organized Crime Information Center, sheriff 2025 dues 100.00; MIPS, Clerk Printing 130.00, Assessor printing 126.77; NE Association of Co Treasurers, treasurer dues 75.00; Paper Tiger Shredding, sheriff supplies 40.00; Pawnee City Thriftway, janitor supplies 23.94; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from General to Road per Resolution 24-20 93829.57; Pawnee County Sheriff, service fees 49.00; Pawnee Republican, publishing 124.01; Petty Cash- Clerk, postage reimbursement 10.45; Planet Technologies, IT Security 868.56; Richardson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 1705.00; SE District Assessor's Association, 2025 dues 75.00; Tichy Land Survey oc., surveyor 750.00; Pawnee True Value, building repair 157.87, janitor supplies 94.46; US Bank, retirement gift 130.00; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 166.18; Wherry Mortuary, burial assistance 1200.00.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 525.65; Den's County Meats, fuel 6663.59; Farmer's Cooperative, fuel 8136.07; Friedly Oil, fuel 2295.61; Kyles Service Center, repairs 3859.00; Martin Marietta Materials, rock 14259.46; Metal Culverts, supplies 486.000; Midwest Service & Sales, supplies 70.00; NPPD, electricity 302.90; Speers Truck Repair, repairs 215.00; Windstream, telephone 210.11.

Vice-Chairman Lang adjourned the meeting at 10:52 a.m.

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk



**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**FEBRUARY 4, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, February 4, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, January 30, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the January 22, 2024 Commissioner meeting. Voting: Seitz (abstain), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the agenda as presented. Voting: Lang (yes) Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board discussed HVAC options, no action taken at this time.

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

Austin Partridge, Northland, met with the Board and discussed bond options to assist in the HVAC system upgrade.

Dale Buman, Veterans Services, met with the Board to discuss the veterans services officer appointment. The Veteran's Service Board was unanimously in agreement on this applicant. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the Veteran's Service Board recommendation for appointment. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

The Board reviewed the Blue River Agency on Aging correspondence. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the support services of \$841.50 annual payment to Blue River Area Agency on Aging. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Braden Lang, Sheriff, and Nancy Tilton, met with the Board to discuss getting rid of the old patrol vehicles. They also discussed concerns with the Employee Handbook policy regarding lunch hours if mandatory or not. No action taken at this time.

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

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials and supplies. There was no rock report due to weather.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 44713.05; FWH 4666.64; SWH 2032.99; FICA 7334.32; MICA 1715.53; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 870.00; RETIREMENT 7182.73; DELTA DENTAL 327.92; AMERITAS 89.10; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 78.74; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14670.16; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Capital Business Systems, Extension copier 202.00; Constellation, courthouse heating 767.23; Fankhauser, Nelsen, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin, PC., court appointed counsel 1292.00; Gage County Clerk, quarterly bailiff expenses 962.06; Kyles Service Center, sheriff repairs 977.30; Midwest Process Services, service fees 20.80; MIPS, treasurer postage 1566.43, treasurer printing 1883.09, programs & support 2276.55; NPPD courthouse electric 660.98; NE State Fire Marshal, annual inspection 72.00; Nestor & Mercure, court appointed counsel 399.00; Pawnee County Sheriff, postage reimbursement 33.30; Pawnee Republican, publishing 71.25; Elizabeth Samuelson, court appointed counsel 2821.50; Secretary of State, election costs 100.00; U-Line, janitor supplies 171.42; US Bank, assessor supplies 80.99, assessor postage 3.42, treasurer subscription 45.00, sheriff fuel 1155.72, sheriff postage 65.75. sheriff equipment 528.66, sheriff misc. 2.99, inmate transport 76.09; Windstream, courthouse telephones 970.03.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Heritage Tractor, repairs 600.68; H & H Auto Parts, parts & supplies 1026.08; Little Falls Machine, repairs 532.00; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 3069.07; Pawnee True Value, supplies 137.74; RDO Truck Center, repairs 504.00; Smith Auto, repairs 150.00; Speers Truck Repair, repairs 125.00; Turnbull Ag Tires, tires 258.00; US Bank, fuel 98.02; Zees Backhoe Services, building repairs 639.77.

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

MIPS, Programs & support 175.15

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:36 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk



**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**FEBRUARY 19, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, February 19, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, January 30, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the February 7, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board discussed surplus property. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to sell the surplus patrol vehicles to Smith Auto after decommissioning. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

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

The Board reviewed the Treasurer fund balance report and the 6-month accumulated report. The Board reviewed correspondence from Veteran's Affairs. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to appoint James Duff as the Pawnee County Veterans Service Officer. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

The Board discussed the HVAC options and possibly getting another bid on the project. No action taken at this time.

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

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, met with the Board and discussed public defender updates.

The Board reviewed and approved the updated interlocal agreement to create the SE Weed Management Association.

Stephanie Kaster, Assessor, met with the Board and introduced her new deputy, Jill Hatfield.

Kay Wissmann, SENCA, met with the Board and discussed the Pawnee County transit match. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve resolution 25-11 to match of \$3179.00 per year for two years to the Pawnee County Transit Program. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes)

Josh Black, Zoning, met with the Board and discussed zoning regulations on solar. Heidemann suggested drawing up a moratorium/ resolution regarding solar/ wind facilities for Pawnee County.

Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager met with the Board and gave updates. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to send a letter of gratitude to the Otoe county Commissioners and the Otoe County Emergency Management Agency for their assistance to Pawnee county in an emergency situation. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials and supplies. There was no rock report due to weather.

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board for the One & Six Year Hearing at 10:30 am. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve Resolution 25-12 One & Six Year Plan. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Seitz closed the One & Six year hearing at 10:38 am.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 41016.64; FWH 4170.01; SWH 1823.66; FICA 6172.62; MICA 1569.88; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 870.00; RETIREMENT 6595.08; DELTA DENTAL 327.93; AMERITAS 89.10; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37; MADISON LIFE 78.95; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14670.23; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, courthouse heating 239.11; Joshua Black, mileage 377.44; Capitol Business Systems, sheriff supplies 109.13; Central Plains Valuation, rural review 12225.00; City of Pawnee City, courthouse water 165.26; Corporate Warehouse Supply, courthouse supplies 528.80; DAS State Accounting- Central Finance, data processing 230.00; Donahue & Sisco, February utilities 12.50, February rent 150.00, February telephone 20.83; Douglas County Sheriff, service fees 8.73; Eakes, veterans service supplies 106.09, courthouse supplies 418.96; Holiday Inn, lodging- Black 279.90; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1003.23; MIPS, 2025/2026 Jury List 213.67; Morrissey, Morrissey & Dalluge, county court costs 456.00; NACO, registration- Seitz 40.00, registration- Lang 40.00; NACREC, 2025 clerk dues 50.00; NWCA, registration- weed 150.00; Paper Tiger Shredding, sheriff supplies 40.00; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from general to road fund per resolution 24-20 93829.57; Pawnee County Memorial Hospital, sheriff testing 34.00; Pawnee County Sheriff, district court costs 6.00, county court costs 77.70; Pawnee Republican, publishing 15.50; Peterson Reporting, county court costs 116.20; Petty Cash- Clerk, postage reimbursement 20.20; Planet Technologies, IT Security 894.74; Schendel Pest Control, bug spraying 140.00; Emily Sisco, attorney supplies 92.72; Soaring Group, IT Security 824.00; Tichy Land Survey, January 2025 surveyor 750.00; TKE, building repair 325.65; TO Haas, sheriff repairs 129.00; Pawnee True

value, building repairs and supplies 288.72, U-Line, building repairs 267.51; US Bank, clerk postage 3.81, retirement brunch 38.68; Verizon Wireless, sheriff telephones 431.17; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 58.52.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 635.38; City of Pawnee City, water 87.98; Den's Country Meats, fuel 368.33; Eggers Bros, repairs 21.16; Farmers Coop, fuel 6809.10; HH Auto Parts, repairs and supplies 1404.14; Kyles Service Center, repairs 1474.30; Little Falls Machine, repairs 655.40; NACO, registration- Rauner 40.00; NMC Exchange. Repairs 2237.83; NPPD, electricity 612.48; OPPD, electricity 37.36; Powerplan, repairs 1863.21; RDO, repairs 504.00; Pawnee True Value, supplies 260.10; US Bank, fuel 164.00; Windstream, telephones 210.19.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:43 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**MARCH 4, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, March 4, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, February 27, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the February 19, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board discussed the HVAC project. No action taken at this time.

The Board reviewed Resolution 25-13 Moratorium regarding wind and solar zoning. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve Resolution 25-13 Moratorium. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

At 9:10 public comment was held. Nancy Tilton discussed another option with the Board for getting another quote for the courthouse HVAC system.

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager, met with the Board and discussed missing person policies and procedures. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to send a letter of gratitude to Ashland Police Department and Ashland City Council for their assistance to Pawnee County in an emergency situation. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board and discussed Title 79 review regarding management training for personnel.

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

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board and gave the rock report and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials and supplies, and reviewed bridge inspection quotes. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the bridge inspection quote from Midwest Engineering Inc. for \$19,980.00. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes) Lang (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 41496.50; FWH 3977.11; SWH 1812.33; FICA 6745.58; MICA 1577.52; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 870.00; RETIREMENT 6546.04; DELTA DENTAL 311.85; AMERITAS 99.10; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 78.74; UNITED HEALTHCARE 13731.23; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, courthouse heating 239.11; Joshua Black, mileage 377.44; Capitol Business Systems, sheriff supplies 109.13; Central Plains Valuation, rural review 12225.00; City of Pawnee City, courthouse water 165.26; Corporate Warehouse Supply, courthouse supplies 528.80; DAS State Accounting- Central Finance, data processing 230.00; Donahue & Sisco, February utilities 12.50, February rent 150.00, February telephone 20.83; Douglas County Sheriff, service fees 8.73; Eakes, veterans service supplies 106.09, courthouse supplies 418.96; Holiday Inn, lodging- Black 279.90; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1003.23; MIPS, 2025/2026 Jury List 213.67; Morrissey, Morrissey & Dalluge, county court costs 456.00; NACO, registration- Seitz 40.00, registration- Lang 40.00; NACREC, 2025 clerk dues 50.00; NWCA, registration- weed 150.00; Paper Tiger Shredding, sheriff supplies 40.00; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from general to road fund per resolution 24-20 93829.57; Pawnee County Memorial Hospital, sheriff testing 34.00; Pawnee County Sheriff, district court costs 6.00, county court costs 77.70; Pawnee Republican, publishing 15.50; Peterson Reporting, county court costs 116.20; Petty Cash- Clerk, postage reimbursement 20.20; Planet Technologies, IT Security 894.74; Schendel Pest Control, bug spraying 140.00; Emily Sisco, attorney supplies 92.72; Soaring Group, IT Security 824.00; Tichy Land Survey, January 2025 surveyor 750.00; TKE, building repair 325.65; TO Haas, sheriff repairs 129.00; Pawnee True value, building repairs and supplies 288.72, U-Line, building repairs 267.51; US Bank, clerk postage 3.81, retirement brunch 38.68; Verizon Wireless, sheriff telephones 431.17; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 58.52.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 635.38; City of Pawnee City, water 87.98; Den's Country Meats, fuel 368.33; Eggers Bros, repairs 21.16; Farmers Coop, fuel 6809.10; HH Auto Parts, repairs and supplies 1404.14; Kyles Service Center, repairs 1474.30; Little Falls Machine, repairs 655.40; NACO, registration- Rauner 40.00; NMC Exchange. Repairs 2237.83; NPPD, electricity 612.48; OPPD, electricity 37.36; Powerplan, repairs 1863.21; RDO, repairs 504.00; Pawnee True Value, supplies 260.10; US Bank, fuel 164.00; Windstream, telephones 210.19.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:50 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**MARCH 18, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, March 18, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, February 27, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the March 4, 2025 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 Seitz seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (abstain).

The Board discussed the surplus property/ spring cleaning, no action taken at this time.

The Board discussed HVAC options, no action taken at this time.

The Board reviewed the interlocal agreement between the City and the County regarding the kenneling of animals. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the interlocal agreement between City of Pawnee City and Pawnee County for the kenneling of animals.

Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes)

The Board reviewed resolutions 25-14 & 25-15. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve resolution 25-14 to transfer monies from the STOP fund to General fund. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes) Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve resolution 25-15 to transfer monies from General fund to Drug Law Enforcement fund. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes)

The Board reviewed the February reports for Treasure fund balance and 6-month accumulated, and month-end reports form Clerk, Register of Deeds and District Court.

The Board reviewed correspondence from Northland regarding bond numbers.

The Board reviewed correspondence from Prochaska & Associates regarding the Sheriff evidence room.

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

Mary Moser, Extension Office, met with the Board and gave the Extension report.

Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board and discussed outfitting a patrol vehicle and accreditation.

Rachel King, Clerk, met with the Board to discuss the re-hiring of personnel. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the re-hiring of Candi Nicholas on a part-time basis. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes) Heidemann (yes).

Justyce Stankoski, Sheriff Deputy, met with the Board to discuss a new patrol vehicle and K-9. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the purchase of a new patrol vehicle from John Jones Auto Group for \$41,943.50 with \$20,000 coming out of Inheritance Fund. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes)

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

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

Bid letting was set for 10:30 am for 711 Rd. W of Hwy 50, project C-67 (169):

Husker Engineering, Inc., PO Box 505 Burwell, NE 68023, Bid Bond included- \$249,700 – July 10 through July 25, 2025

Malone Construction Co. Inc., Douglas NE Bid Bond included - \$182,525.34 – July 15<sup>th</sup> through August 17, 2025

Sisco Construction, 61448 735 Rd. Sterling, NE 68443, Bid Bond included - \$195,300.60 – July 2025 through August 31, 2025

Van Dorn Valley Construction, LLC, PO Box 417 Denton, NE 68339, Bid Bond included - \$198,442.00 – July 1 through August 31, 2025

Bauer Infrastructure, LLC., 18570 SW 29<sup>th</sup> St., Martell, NE 68404, Bid Bond included - \$291,085.04 – Spring 2025 through Summer 2025

Nebraska Digging, 190 Main St., Alvo, NE 68304, Bid Bond included - \$272,845.20 – August 1 through September 1, 2025

Vogt Enterprises Inc., 8901 S 83<sup>rd</sup> St., Ste. D, Lincoln, NE 68516, Bid Bond included - \$228,160.00 – July through August 2025

Kerns Excavating Co., 2507 Smith Avenue, Plattsmouth, NE 68048, Bid Bond included - \$384,459.00 – Spring 2025 through 9/1/2025

Gyhra Construction & Drainage, 61640 Hwy 8, Pawnee City, NE 68420, Bid Bond included - \$303,672.00 – July 1 through September 1, 2025

MC Wells Contracting, LLC, 15823 Cottonwood St., Omaha, NE 68136, Bid Bond included - \$247,790.00 – July 14 through August 29, 2025

Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to accept the bid from Malone Construction Co. Inc., for \$182,525.34. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 41496.50; FWH 3977.11; SWH 1812.33; FICA 6745.58; MICA 1577.52;

NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 870.00; RETIREMENT 6546.04; DELTA DENTAL 311.85; AMERITAS

99.10; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 78.74; UNITED HEALTHCARE 13731.23; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, courthouse heating 214.58; Capitol Business Systems, courthouse supplies 187.85; Central Plains Valuation, rural review 10500.00; City of Pawnee City, courthouse water 161.75; County Veteran's Service Association, registration-Duff 60.00; DAS State Accounting-Central Finance, data processing 230.00; Eakes, veterans service supplies 263.60, clerk supplies 18.68; Johnson County Sheriff's Office, inmate lodging 2275.00; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1001.46; Jan Lang mileage reimbursement 114.10; Nebraska State Patrol, sheriff data processing 436.50; Nestor & Mercure, court appointed attorney 3838.50, inmate evaluation 1815.00; Paper Tiger Shredding, sheriff supplies 40.00; Pawnee County Thriftway, janitor supplies 32.03; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from General fund to Road/ Bridge per Resolution 24-20 93829.57; Pawnee County Sheriff, district court costs 18.50; Pawnee Republican, publishing 90.75; Petty Cash- Clerk, postage reimbursement 20.20; Radiology Associates, inmate medical 6.36; Soaring Group, IT Security 1021.00; Tichy Land Survey, February 2025 surveyor 750.00; Pawnee True Value, janitor supplies 17.99, building repairs 15.90; U-Line, janitor equipment 43.50; United State Treasury, Federal Tax Deposit 341.59; US Post Office, PO box rentals, extension 154.00, Assessor 100.00, Treasurer 154.00, Clerk 154.00, Sheriff 100.00, Veteran's Services 154.00; Verizon Wireless, sheriff telephones 431.13; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage reimbursement 28.07; Windstream, courthouse telephones 974.00.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 518.98; City of Pawnee City, water 87.44; Den's Country Meats, fuel 330.34; Diversified Drug Testing, personnel 180.00; Farmers Coop, fuel 320.48; HH Auto Parts, repairs and supplies 409.49; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 12056.16; NPPD, electricity 197.00; OPPD, electricity 66.73; US Post Office, PO box rental 72.00; Windstream, telephones 219.42.

**VISITORS IMPROVEMENT FUND:**

Pawnee County Promotional Network, building improvement 5000.00

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:00 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk



**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**APRIL 1, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, April 1, 2025, 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, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the March 18, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (abstain), Lang (yes).

The Board discussed HVAC options, no action taken at this time.

The Board reviewed the request from SENCA to display pinwheels for National Child Abuse Prevention Month. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve SENCA displaying pinwheels at the courthouse for the month of April which is National Child Abuse Prevention Month. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes)

The Board reviewed the BraveBe Child Advocacy Agreement. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the annual contribution of \$880 for the Annual Agreement with BraveBe Child Advocacy center, Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

The Board reviewed the application for use of the courthouse grounds for the annual Easter Egg Hunt. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the use of the courthouse grounds for the Annual Easter Egg Hunt on April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes)

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

Kira with Project Response met with the Board and gave the quarterly updates.

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, did not appear to meet with the Board to discuss Public Defender updates. Lindsey Gyhra, county attorney assistant, appeared and gave updates. The Board for public defender has been set and applications for interested parties must be received at the Clerk's office by April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, did not appear, and Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board to discuss evidence room options. No action taken at this time.

Justyce Stankoski, Sheriff Deputy, met with the Board to discuss a possible K-9 unit for Pawnee County. He can get a grant for a dog, training would cost \$4500 for a 12 week course that is

done in Texas. Lang moved and Heidmann seconded to approve the K-9 unit and outfitting the new patrol vehicle for this purpose. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes)

Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board to discuss personnel. Deputy Taylor Bredemeier has given his resignation, his last day is set for April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

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

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board and gave the rock report and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials and supplies, and reviewed grader quotes.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 41496.50; FWH 4283.39; SWH 1925.54; FICA 7112.82; MICA 1663.46; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 970.00; RETIREMENT 6956.32; DELTA DENTAL 319.64; CHILD SUPPORT 113.08; AMERITAS 99.10; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 78.74; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14163.11; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Central Plains Valuation, rural review 2261.00; Constellation, heating 742.82; Handley Law Office, court appointed counsel 3087.50; Johnson County Clerk, quarterly emergency manager 5012.25; Johnson County Dispatch, quarterly dispatch agreement 890.79; Johnson County Hospital, inmate medical 3501.76; Kyles Service Center, sheriff repairs 20.00; Midwest Alarm Services, annual inspection 779.88; NACO, conference registrations King 175.00; Seitz 175.00, Lang 125.00; Nebraska Association of County Treasurers, conference registration- Johnson 175.00; NPHEL, sheriff testing 105.00; NPPD, electricity 576.32; Pawnee County Court, court costs 17.00; Pawnee Republican, publishing 235.25; Region V Systems, Nov 2024 1498.00; Richardson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 1540.00; Secretary of State, election supplies 10.00; Ron Seitz, lodging 165.45; Soarin Group, treasurer office equip. 1197.00; Joshua Sterkel, lodging 230.00, meals 20.00, mileage 694.40; Table Rock Appliance, building repairs 678.50; US Bank, sheriff fuel 1118.12, sheriff equip 137.52, inmate transport 123.50, sheriff dues 30.00, sheriff supplies 9.89, sheriff training 575.00, clerk postage 168.00, Sietz travel reservation 208.18; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 671.30

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Heritage Tractor, repairs 733.54; Kyles Service Center, tires 60.00; Mainelli Wagner & Associates Inc., engineering services 45892.80; Martin Marietta Materials, rock 44371.05; NE Association of City Engineers, Hwy. Supt., & City Surveyors, 2025 dues 50.00, summer conference registration- Rauner 110.00; NPPD, electricity 60.87, Speers Truck Repair, repairs 2734.59; US Bank, fuel 139.00.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:34 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**APRIL 15, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, April 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, March 27, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and Candi Nicholas. 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the April 1, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board discussed correspondence regarding Noxious Weed Control Compliance and solar zoning options.

The Board reviewed the March reports for Treasurer fund balance and 6-month accumulated, and month-end reports from Clerk, Register of Deeds and District Court.

At 9:10 public comment was held. Nancy Tilton spoke regarding part of 626 Road that is being farmed to the edge of the county road.

Mark Tegtmeier, Building & Grounds, did not attend. The Board discussed the HVAC system.

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, and Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board to discuss evidence room options.

Justyce Stankoski, Sheriff Deputy, met with the Board to discuss the K-9 unit.

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

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board and gave the rock report and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials, supplies and farming road right of way.

Taylor Wenzl, Murphy Tractor, met with the Board to discuss grader quotes.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 43411.97; FWH 4175.51; SWH 1913.57; FICA 7079.18; MICA 1655.58;  
NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 970.00; RETIREMENT 6952.54; DELTA DENTAL 319.65; CHILD

SUPPORT 113.08; AMERITAS 89.10; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37; MADISON LIFE 78.95; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14163.17; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 115.68; Capital Business Systems, Sheriff supplies 94.86, Extension supplies 1077.43; City of Pawnee City, water/sewer 124.71; DAS State Accounting, data processing 230.00; Donahue & Sisco, April utilities 12.50, April rent 150.00, April phones 20.83, postage reimbursement 9.68; Eakes, Extension supplies 59.16; FHP, plat maps 650.00; Fillmore County Sheriff, service fees 70.08; Handley Law Office, court appointed counsel 3049.50; Lisa Hunzeker, Court equipment reimbursement 90.90; J.F. Ahern, annual inspection 387.00; John Hones Auto Group, Patrol vehicle 21943.50; Kraviec Maurstad, child support enforcement 1001.46; Kyles Service Center, Sheriff repairs 76.30; MIPS, programs & support 2276.55; Pawnee City Thriftway, janitor supplies 22.74; Pawnee County Treasurer, Transfer from General to Drug LE Fund 3000.00, Transfer from General to Road/Bridge Fund 93829.57; Pawnee Republican, publishing 325.50; Petty Cash- Clerk, postage reimbursement 10.10; Elizabeth Samuelson, court appointed counsel 12554.00; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 120.00; Soarin Group, IT Security 932.00; Tichy Land Survey, surveyor 850.00; US Bank, Clerk postage 336.00; Verizon Wireless, Sheriff phones 571.12; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 392.70; Windstream, courthouse phones 979.66.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

City of Pawnee City, water/sewer 87.76; Dens Country Meats, fuel 381.92; Farmers Cooperative, fuel 630.85; Fastenal, supplies 345.80; Friedly Oil, fuel 6489.97; H&H Auto Parts, supplies/parts 316.37; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 34945.20; Medical Enterprises Inc., testing 77.00; State of NE Motor Fuel, fuel tax 524.00; NMC Exchange, repairs 2685.56; NPPD, electricity 138.19; OPPD, electricity 64.48; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 120.00; Speers Truck Repair, repairs 2608.01; Turnbull Ag Tires, repairs 258.00; Vogtsapes Inc., C-67(172) 32021.84; Windstream, telephones 219.42.

**INHERITANCE FUND:**

John Jones Auto Group, patrol vehicle 20000.00

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

MIPS, programs & support 175.15

**SPECIAL ROADS/ BUYBACK STREETS FUND:**

Bauer Infrastructure LLC, C-67(276) & C-67(277) 84144.00

**STOP FUND:**

Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from STOP to Misc. General fund 3000.00

**K-9 FUND:**

JIREH K-9, training 4500.00

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 12:05 p.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Candi Nicholas

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**APRIL 29, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, April 29, 2025, 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, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the April 15, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (abstain), Lang (yes).

The Board discussed the evidence room options. Lavon suggested splitting the current probation room between an evidence room and a maintenance office. No actions taken at this time.

The HVAC system was discussed by the Board. No action taken at his time.

The Board reviewed ClearGov information. No action taken at this time.

The Board discussed safety committee. No action taken at this time.

The Board reviewed the documents from Region V. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the county matching funds for behavioral health and substance use disorder in the amount of \$5079.00 and additional match of \$791.00. Voting: Seitz (yes, Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes)

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

Susan Keholm & Danielle Lewis with SENCA met with the Board and gave their annual report. SENCA encourages the public to participate in the annual golf tournament on June 14<sup>th</sup> at Kirkmans Golf Course to help support the SENCA/ Headstart programs.

Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to proclaim May as Community Action Month. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Chris Reece, PSC Coordinator for SENADC, met with the Board to discuss the 2025-2026 budget, the County interlocal agreement and State interlocal agreement. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the SENADC County funds of \$1993.10. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the SENADC State interlocal agreement. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the SENADC County interlocal agreement. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Melanie Stormer, Chief Probation Officer, met with the Board to give the probation and legislative updates.

Rachel King, Clerk, met with the Board to introduce the new deputy clerk Lindsay Kostecka, and to discuss/ approve the Table Rock Bank authorization.

Stephanie Kaster, Assessor, met with the Board to discuss the Central Plains Appraisal Bid.

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

Travis Boyll, NMC, met with the Board to discuss the grader quote.

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board and gave the rock report and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials and supplies. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the purchase of the 770GP John Deere Motor Grader from Murphy Tractor off of the Sourcewell contract number 011723, for the purchase price of \$355,500.00, with a trade of a 2017 CAT 12M3 Motor Grader for \$100,000.00. For a trade difference of \$255,500.00. Of which, \$55,000 will be paid from the Inheritance Fund and the Road Department paying the remainder of the balance. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, met with the Board and gave the quarterly open/closed cases report.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 57585.65; FWH 7910.07; SWH 2926.26; FICA 9591.42; MICA 2243.08; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 6441.68; DELTA DENTAL 319.64; CHILD SUPPORT 113.08; AMERITAS 105.05; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 78.7414158.09; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14163.17; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Capital Business Systems, Extension supplies 183.00; Constellation, courthouse heating 264.87; James Duff, vet services mileage 402.64; Eakes, courthouse supplies 294.00; Midwest Radar, Sheriff certification 120.00; National Assoc of Co Veterans Service, annual dues 50.00; Norfolk Lodge & Suites, conference lodging-Duff 375.00; NPPD, courthouse electric 552.84; Pawnee City Thriftway, janitor supplies 11.87; Pawnee County Sheriff, service fees 18.50, postage 67.72; Pawnee Republican, publishing 98.67; Petty Cash- Clerk, postage reimbursement 10.10; Planet Technologies, IT Security 104.58; Richardson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 4345.00, inmate medical 156.23; Security Equipment, Inc., annual contract 524.16; Ron Seitz, lodging

reimbursement 125.92, mileage 100.80; Pawnee True Value, janitor supplies 353.34; US Bank, Clerk postage 560.00, Treasurer postage 438.00; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 77.84.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 241.46; Kyles Service Center, repairs 2169.44; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 31301.31; Speers Truck Repair, LLC, repairs 104.36; US Bank, fuel 126.00.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:53 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**MAY 13, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, May 13, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, May 1, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the April 29, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the Treasurer fund balance report, the 6-month accumulated report, The April month end reports from Clerk, Register of Deeds, and District Court

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

Christopher Meeks, OPPD, met with the Board and gave the annual updates.

Braden Lang, Sheriff and Nancy Tilton, met with the Board to discuss sheriff vehicles and their policies and procedures. The Board recommended that a copy of the Sheriff policies & procedures be supplied to the County Attorney.

Braden Lang, Sheriff, Emily Sisco, County Attorney, Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager, and Sheriff Lyon, Johnson County Sheriff met with the Board to discuss dispatching updates. The policies are in the process of being updated so Pawnee and Johnson have uniformity to handle all situations.

A public hearing for the liquor license application for DOE Farm & Market, LLC (Slim Pickins) was opened at 10:04 AM. No public was present, Seitz closed the hearing at 10:12 AM. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the recommendation for the liquor license application for DOE Farm & Market, LLC (Slim Pickins). Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

Bobby Mercier, Segra Fiber, met with the Board to discuss internet supply options. Segra is a business only fiber-optic internet provider.

Byford Schmit met with the Board to discuss the HVAC system repairs and needs.

Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager, met with the Board and gave updates. The hazard mitigation plan was reviewed.

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

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 57585.65; FWH 3980.69; SWH 1867.07; FICA 6976.90; MICA 1631.64; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 6646.28; DELTA DENTAL 319.65; CHILD SUPPORT 113.08; AMERITAS 95.05; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37; MADISON LIFE 44.11; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14158.16; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Allied Concepts, Sheriff equipment 1150.00; Capital Business Systems, Sheriff supplies 105.12; City of Pawnee City, courthouse water/sewer 130.38; Daikin, annual contract 1920.00; Donahue & Sisco, May utilities 12.50, May rent 150.00, May telephones 20.83; Fankhauser, Nelson, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin, PC, court appointed counsel 1893.50; G-Works, annual subscription 11814.00; H&H Auto, Sheriff supplies 31.48; Rachel King, mileage budget conference 177.80; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1002.92; Kyles Service Center, Sheriff repairs 141.00; Braden Lang, meal reimbursement 20.00; MIPS, programs & support 2276.55; Otoe County Sheriff's Office, inmate lodging 3120.00; Pawnee City Thriftway, janitor supplies 11.87; Pawnee County Court, uncollectible court costs 84.00; Pawnee Republican, publishing 60.00; Petty Cash-Clerk, postage reimbursement 10.10; Schulz & Associates, PC, auditor 13850.00; Smith Auto, Sheriff repairs 45.00; Soarin Group, IT Security 932.00; Tichy Land Survey Co., surveyor 850.00; TK Elevator, service contract 325.65; Pawnee True Value, building & ground supplies 392.40; US Post Office, Sheriff postage 219.00; US Bank, Sheriff fuel 1695.84, Sheriff equipment 113.51, inmate transport 149.05, Sheriff dues 30.00, Sheriff training 445.00, Sheriff expenses 506.23; Verizon Wireless, Sheriff phones 431.20; Windstream, courthouse telephones 985.66 .

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

City of Pawnee City, water/sewer 85.87; Den's Country Meats, machine fuel 438.64; Farmers Cooperative, machine fuel 3531.30; H&H Auto Parts, repairs/supplies 660.18; Mainelli Wagner & Associates, engineering 35831.10; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 35847.00; NPPD, electricity 208.65; OPPD, electricity 355.47; Powerplan, repairs 191.10; US Bank, fuel 36.00, supplies 203.05; Windstream, telephone 219.48.

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

MIPS, programs & support 175.15

**HANDI-BUS FUND:**

SENCA, transit vehicle 5851.00

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:19 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**MAY 28, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Wednesday, May 28, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, May 1, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang 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 May 13, 2025 Commissioner 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 amended agreements for Region V and APACE. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the amended agreements for Region V and APACE. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent).

The village law enforcement agreements were reviewed by the Board and amounts were updated for the upcoming year. Seitz moved Lang seconded to increase the law enforcement agreements by 5% for 2025-2026. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes)

The Board reviewed the Child Support enforcement Contract for 2025/2028 with Kraviec Maurstad Law. The Board has decided to table this for now pending more review.

The Board reviewed and discussed the proposal from Segra regarding the courthouse internet supply. Seitz moved and Lang to approve Segra as the courthouse internet/ phone provider on the condition of them coming into the courthouse and doing a review prior to. Voting: Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes)

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

Stephanie Kaster, Assessor, met with the Board to discuss the Central Plains Valuation bid. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the Central Plains Valuation contract for the rural revaluation for 2026 values. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent)

Applications for the Building and Grounds position were reviewed by the Board.

The Board reviewed the MOU regarding alert, warning, and notifications sent through FEMA's integrated public alert and warning system. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the MOU for alerts, warning and notifications through FEMA. Voting: Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

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

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

Bid letting was set for 10:30 am for 626 Ave. and 607 Ave. culverts C-67(165) & C-67(273):  
Gus Construction Co., Inc, 606 McPherson Street, PO Box 77, Casey, IA, Bid Bond Included - \$628,581.40 –Fall 2025 to Fall 2025

Sisco Construction, 61448 735 Rd., Sterling, NE 68443, Bid Bond Included - \$697,621.97- (165) Jan. 2026 (273) Fall 2025 to (165) March 2026, (273) Fall 2025

Nemaha Infrastructure, 541 S 1<sup>st</sup> St., Lincoln, NE 68508, Bid Bond Included - \$584,588.50- - July 2025 to Nov. 2025

Van Kirk Bros. Contracting, 1200 W Ash St., PO Box 585 Sutton, NE 68979, Bid Bond Included - \$493,588.45 - Aug. 2025 to Nov. 2025

Vogt Enterprises Inc., 8901 S 83<sup>rd</sup> St., Suite D, Lincoln, NE 68516, Bid Bond Included - \$513,593.10 - Aug. 2025 to Oct. 2025

KEA Constructors, PO Box M, Milford, NE 68405, Bid Bond Included - \$879,777.05 - Nov. 3, 2025 to Spring 2026

M.E. Collins Contracting Co., Inc., 980 E 25<sup>th</sup> St., PO Box 83, Wahoo, NE 68066, Bid Bond Included - \$454,265.89 - Feb. 20, 2026 to May 1, 2026

Bauer Infrastructure, 18570 SW 29<sup>th</sup> Street, Martell, NE 68404, Bid Bond Included - \$751,541.15 - Fall 2025 to Spring 2026

Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the bid from M.E. Collins Construction for box culvert projects C-67(165 and C-67(273) in the amount of \$454,265.89 to be completed between Feb. 1, 2026 and May 1, 2026. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent)

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 42126.54; FWH 3947.49; SWH 1825.20; FICA 6795.92; MICA 1589.30; RETIREMENT 6538.23; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Benchmark Government Solutions, sheriff meals 8.95; Black Hills energy, courthouse heating 84.77; Capital Business Systems, extension equipment lease 258.88; Community Insurance Group, bond insurance for notary KostECKA 50.00; CHI Health St Mary's, inmate medical 1137.00; Constellation, courthouse electric 128.83; DAS State Accounting Finance, data processing 230.00; Donahue & Sisco, postage reimbursement 5.35; Eakes Office Solutions, extension supplies 184.23, county attorney supplies 51.99, district court supplies 229.16; Fankhauser, Nelson, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin, PC, court appointed counsel 293.50; Gage County Clerk, quarterly bailiff expense 892.38; Lisa Graff, witness fee 20.00, mileage 109.20; H&H Auto

Parts, janitor supplies 11.99; Johnson County Hospital, inmate medical 477.76; Microfilm Imaging Systems, Inc., county court office equipment 552.00; Rachel King, mileage 101.36; Lindsay Kostecka, notary exam reimbursement 32.50; Kyles Service Center, sheriff repair 20.00; Maximus, cost allocation 1750.00; NE County Attorney's Association, attorney dues 825.00; NE Public Health Environmental Lab, sheriff testing 105.00; NLETC, sheriff training 80.00, sheriff lodging- Lang 25.00; Pawnee County Court, uncollectible court costs 175.00; Pawnee County District Court, uncollectible court costs 292.00; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from General to Road Fund per resolution 24-20 93829.57; Pawnee Republican, publishing 154.50; Petty Cash-Clerk, postage reimbursement 20.20; Richardson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 825.00; Eh Soe, witness fee 20.00, mileage 126.00; Tichy Land Survey Co., surveyor contract 7500.00; True Value, sheriff supplies 10.99; US Bank. Ground supplies 25.00, assessor equipment 178.27; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 64.96; Janet Yates, witness fee 20.00, mileage 63.00.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 139.46; Friedly Oil, machine fuel 90433.13; Haug Communication, repeater rent 450.00; Kyles Service Center, repairs 130.00; Martin Marietta, rock/gravel 53013.78; NMC Exchange, repairs 3159.63; NPPD, electric 65.26; Speers Truck Repairs, repairs 3504.31; US Bank fuel 139.00.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:52 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**JUNE 10, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, June 10, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, May 29, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the May 28, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (abstain), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the liquor license application for the Pawnee County Fairgrounds. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the liquor license for the Pawnee County Fair Foundation, scheduled for July 16<sup>th</sup> through the 19<sup>th</sup>. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

The Board reviewed the Treasurer fund balance and the 6-month accumulated reports for May. The Board reviewed the May month end reports for Clerk, Register of Deeds, and District Court. At 9:10 public comment was held. Josie Friedly spoke to the Board regarding daycare facilities in Pawnee County. An invite to a meeting regarding this will be held on June 18, 2025 at 6pm in the Pawnee City school cafeteria to discuss funding the new daycare facility to increase jobs and child care in the community.

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, met with the Board to discuss the 2025/2026 STOP/ Traffic Safety Plus renewal.

Correspondence from NIRMA was reviewed by the Board.

The Board reviewed and signed the village law enforcement agreements that were approved at the May 28, 2025 Commissioner meeting.

The Board signed the Central Plains Valuation contract that was approved at the May 28, 2025 Commissioner meeting.

The Board reviewed the Probation budget proposal for 2025-2026. Lang moved and Heidemann the 2025-2026 budget proposal for Probation. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Correspondence from Schulz & Associates regarding the county audit was reviewed by the Board.

Jenny Stutheit, Senca, did not appear to meet with the Board to discuss a new bus purchase.

Megan Buckley, EMS, met with the Board and gave updates. A new weather station has been purchased for Pawnee County.

Heather Duryea met with the Board on behalf of Chris Rauner, Hwy. Supt., to discuss Resolution 25-16, project SRR-67 (12), and Pawnee City North C006732025 (169) contract. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve resolution 25-16 final acceptance project construction. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board decided to table the discussion of the Building & Grounds position until next meeting.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 42482.57; FWH 3811.22; SWH 1833.05; FICA 6849.82; MICA 1601.92; NATIONWIDE 370.00; RETIREMENT 6411.24; DELTA DENTAL 319.64; AMERITAS 105.05; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 76.15; UNITED HEALTHCARE 12819.15; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Capital Business Systems, Sheriff office supplies 53.22; City of Pawnee City, courthouse water/ sewer 126.60; Eakes, Clerk supplies 58.43, Extension supplies 28.99, Vet Services supplies 91.73; Fankhauser, Nelson, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin, PC, court appointed counsel 1216.00; Grainger, building repair 148.82; Handley Law Office, court appointed counsel 2185.00; Johnson County Clerk, quarterly emergency manager 5012.25; Johnson County Sheriff's Office, inmate lodging 14950.00; Rachel King, mileage 289.80; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1002.96; Lancaster County Sheriff's Office, service fees 25.46; MIPS, programs & support 2276.55; Property Assessment Division, registration- Hatfield 75.00; Nestor & Mercure, court appointed counsel 1225.00; NIRMA, county insurance 88181.00; NPPD, courthouse electric 547.37; Pawnee County Sheriff, service fees 18.00; Pawnee Republican, publishing 554.43, clerk subscription 50.00; Region V Systems substance abuse 791.00; Schendel Pest Control, pest control 145.00; Ron Seitz, mileage 155.40; Soarin Group IT security costs 932.00; Tichy Land Survey, surveyor 343.93; True Value, building repair 14.99; US Bank, Sheriff fuel 1445.887, Sheriff equipment 165.60, Sheriff transport 129.77, Sheriff dues 30.00, Sheriff repairs 51.75, Sheriff miscellaneous 23.93; Verizon Wireless, Sheriff phones 431.24; Windstream, courthouse telephones 993.55;

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Barco Muninipal Products Inc, signs 3306.02; City of Pawnee City, water/ sewer 86.41, Heritage Tractor, repairs 75.98; Kyles Service Center, tires 3736.00; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 35372.06; NPPD, electric 155.99; OPPD, electric 33.08; Power Plan, repairs 6416.00;

US Bank, fuel 74.00; Vogtscapes, Bridge/Road Improvements 34876.70; Windstream, telephones 219.48; Bauer Infrasture LLC, paving 348561.44

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

MIPS, programs & support 175.15

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

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**JUNE 24, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, June 24, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, May 29, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann (absent for a portion of the meeting) 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 June 10, 2025 Commissioner 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).

The Board reviewed the county audit proposal from GBE. No action taken at this time.

The annual report from SENDD was reviewed by the Board.

The Board reviewed the child support enforcement agreement. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the Child Support Enforcement Contract with Laura Maurstad. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent)

The Board reviewed the recommendation for the Public Defender position for Pawnee County. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the Public Defender application for 1 year with Nestor & Mercure for \$45,000. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes)

Bobby Mercier, Segra, met with the Board to review the internet contract. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the internet/ telephone services contract with Segra. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent)

Mary Moser, Pawnee County Extension, met with the Board to discuss the extension budget.

James Duff, Veterans Services, met with the Board to discuss the Veterans Services budget.

Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board to discuss the Sheriff department budget

Emily Sisco, Attorney, met with the Board to discuss the application for subdivision. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the application for subdivision (partial S ½ of 14-2-9) Resolution 25-17. Voting Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes).

Chris Rauner, Hwy. Supt., to give the rock report and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment and materials/supplies.

Heidemann moved and Seitz seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (abstain).

The Board set protest hearing dates for property valuations for July 8, 2025 from 1pm to 4pm, July 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> 9am to 12pm and 1pm to 4pm, if needed and July 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1pm to 4pm.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 43586.92; FWH 4203.23; SWH 1923.50; FICA 7073.88; MICA 16543.34; NATIONWIDE 370.00; RETIREMENT 6662.83; DELTA DENTAL 319.64; AMERITAS 105.05; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 76.15; UNITED HEALTHCARE 12819.15; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

Clear Creek Cemetery, 2025 cemetery upkeep 100.00; Black Hills Energy, courthouse heating 135.72; Comfort Inn, conference lodging-King 404.85; Cornhusker State Industries, office equipment-clerk 1272.00, office supplies- county court 259.40; Crown Plaza, conference lodging- Lang 289.90, Seitz 289.90; DAS State Accounting- Central Finance, data processing 230.00; Department of Revenue- Property Assessment Division, registration- Kaster 715.00; Donahue & Sisco, conference registration- Sisco 550.00, county attorney postage 73.00, June rent 150.00, June utilities 12.50, June telephone 20.83; James Duff, mileage 136.50; Evergreen Cemetery, cemetery upkeep 1000.00; Fankhauser, Nelson, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin, PC, court appointed counsel 1199.00; Lisa Hunzeker, county court supplies 146.75; Cindy Johnson, mileage 109.90; Kyles Service Center, sheriff repair 50.00; Jan Lang, mileage 305.20; Lynn Peavey Company, sheriff equipment 156.58; MIPS, treasurer supplies 170.32, assessor postage 2390.38; NACO, 2025-2026 first half dues 1537.67, assessor workshop registration 400.00; Pawnee County Court. Uncollectible court costs 118.15; Pawnee County District Court, uncollectible court costs 144.00; Pawnee County Sheriff, postage 69.90; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from General to Road per Resolution 24-20 93829.57; Pleasant Valley Cemetery, cemetery upkeep 100.00; Quill, treasurer office equipment 202.15, county court office supplies 355.55, treasurer supplies 833.57; Richardson County Treasurer, 2025 drug court contribution 1993.10; SENDD, member dues 5763.00; Seneca Sanitation, courthouse garbage 489.00; Soarin Group, veterans services office equipment 1305.00; Burgert-Branek Cemetery, cemetery upkeep 100.00; Justyce Stankoski, meal reimbursement 38.02, lodging reimbursement 232.00; Streicher's, sheriff inspections 1495.14, sheriff equipment 377.76; USPS, county court postage 1614.00, US Bank, treasurer supplies 484.34, treasurer postage 730.00, treasurer equipment 451.75, treasurer lodging 350.80, courthouse supplies 36.25.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 78.14; Dan Cumro, uniform allowance 96.74; Farmers Cooperative fuel 5150.08, supplies 54.30; Friedly Oil, fuel 2241.88; H&H Auto Parts, repairs 78.93, tools 577.69, supplies 41.88; Martin Marietta Materials, rock 47052.46; Metal Culverts Inc., supplies 25074.00; Midwest Service & Sales, supplies 13850.00; Murphy Tractor, equipment 200500.00;

NPPD, electricity 97.89; Sapp Bros., fuel 4946.36; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 120.00; Speers truck Repair, repairs 13747.57; True Value, supplies 24.40; US Bank, fuel 166.00.

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

Cornhusker State Industries, office equipment- clerk 1272.00

**INHERITANCE FUND:**

Murphy Tractor, road equipment 55000.00

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:04 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**JULY 8, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, July 3, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the June 24, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the Treasurer fund balance, 6-month, and 12-month accumulated reports for June.

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

The Board discussed the Building & Grounds position.

The Board discussed the County Auditor possibilities, no action taken at this time.

The quarterly sheriff report was reviewed by the Board.

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

Hunter Scott with Secure Tech Systems Inc. met with the Board to discuss courthouse security. No action taken at this time.

Nancy Tilton, met with the Board to discuss road conditions, personnel, sheriff vehicles and evidence room. The Commissioners suggested splitting the probation room into two parts, half for the usage of probation and the other half for remodeling into the evidence room. The current janitors' office would be cleaned out to be used for attorney/ client usage and jury deliberation. Personnel: There has only been one application for the open deputy position so far, more advertising may be necessary.

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, met with the Board to give the open/closed cases update. The Board reviewed the Pawnee County Public Defender appointment contract. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the Public Defender contract with Mercure. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

Dennis Schardt met with the Board to discuss MFO mill levy, Dennis proposed lowering the MFO mill levy to 1.75 from 2. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to set the MFO mill levy at 1.75. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board to discuss policies & procedures.

Megan Buckley, EMS, met with the Board and gave updates.

Chris Rauner, Hwy. Supt. met with the Board and gave the rock report and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials/supplies, Resolution 25-18 to certify proper completion of project Bridge Match Program CBMP 6 and to review and possibly sign contracts for Box Culvert Package that were approved on May 28, 2025. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve Resolution 25-18 to certify proper completion of project Bridge Match Program CBMP 6. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 42609.36; FWH 3989.28; SWH 1847.35; FICA 6895.08; MICA 1612.52; NATIONWIDE 370.00; RETIREMENT 6439.52; DELTA DENTAL 319.65; AMERITAS 95.05; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 76.15; UNITED HEALTHCARE 12819.15; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

**GENERAL FUND:**

South Fork Pioneer Cemetery, cemetery upkeep 100.00;Capitol Business Systems, extension office equipment 183.00, sheriff office supplies 62.32; Central Plains Valuation, rural review 1500.00; City of Pawnee City, water/sewer 123.36; Eakes Office Supplies, courthouse supplies 276.00; Donahue & Sisco, July utilities 12.50, rent 150.00, phones 20.83; Falls City Mercantile, janitor supplies 205.79; Fankhauser, Nelson, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin PC, court appointed counsel 2316.50; Grainger, building repair 148.82;H & H Auto Parts, sheriff miscellaneous 5.99; Johnson County Dispatch, quarterly dispatch agreement 15517.93; Kyles Service Center, grounds equipment 90.00, sheriff supplies 91.00; MIPS, programs & support 2352.28; Nestor & Mercure, court appointed counsel 506.00NPPD, electricity 632.75; Pawnee County Sheriff, postage 28.10; Pawnee Republican, publishing 83.63; Soarin Group, IT security 968.00; Tichy Land Supply, surveyor 850.00; U-line, janitor supplies 103.50; US Bank, sheriff fuel 1177.94, inmate transport 90.47, sheriff subscription 30.00, sheriff expense 199.73; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 218.40.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

City of Pawnee City, water/sewer 86.41; Dens Country Meats, fuel 688.80; Diversified Drug Testing, supplies 180.00; Eggers Bros, repairs 830.96; Harmony Inn & Suites, conference lodging- Rainer 516.00; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 20108.72; Nebraska Motor Fuel,

fuel 1276.00; NPPD, electricity 130.97; OPPD, electricity 33.1; Petty Cash, reimbursement 35.75; Sapp Bros., fuel 2293.01; US Bank, office supplies 39.94.

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

MIPS, programs & support 176.90

**K-9 FUND:**

US Bank, supplies 199.73

**911 FUND:**

Johnson County Clerk, quarterly 911 2354.76

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:25 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**JULY 22, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:05 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, July 22, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, July 3, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and County Deputy Clerk, Lindsay Kostecka. 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 July 8, 2025 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 except the claim to Rural Water District to discuss with Road Superintendent. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

After discussion, Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to designate MIPS via NACO to print the joint public hearing postcards if needed for Pawnee County. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

After review Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the Transit Agreement between County of Pawnee and the City of Pawnee City for the amounts of \$2312.73 for 2025 and \$2312.72 for 2026 to be paid to Pawnee County by The City of Pawnee City. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

At 9:10 There was no public comment.

Kira with Project Response met with the Board and gave the quarterly report.

Mike Weiss, Nemaha County Commissioner, met with the Board to discuss 720 Rd that is an adjoining road with Nemaha County.

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board. Rauner discussed the rock report, project list, personnel, equipment, materials/ supplies. After discussion with Rauner, Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the Pawnee County Rural Water claim. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 42240.74; FWH 4030.64; SWH 1858.49; FICA 6918.52; MICA 1618.04;  
NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 6345.18; DELTA DENTAL 319.65; AMERITAS

95.05; GARNISHMENT 449.37; CHILD SUPPORT 113.08; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37; MADISON LIFE 76.36; UNITED HEALTHCARE 12819.25; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

DAS State Accounting- Central Finance, data processing 230.00; Grainger, janitorial supplies 26.28; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enf. 1001.46; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from general to road/ bridge fund per resolution 24-20 93829.62; Pawnee County Memorial Hospital, testing 34.00; Petty Cash- Clerk, postage reimbursement 11.00; Richardson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 9020.00, inmate medical 197.11; US Bank, clerk postage 31.00; Windstream, courthouse telephones 976.34; Verizon, sheriff phones 431.12.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 50.77; Diversified Drug Testing, personnel services 225.00; Farmer's Cooperative, fuel 4109.35; H & H Auto Parts, repairs/ supplies 906.86; Kyles Service Center, repairs 4056.30; Mainelli Wagner & Associates Inc., consult services 30574.55; Medical Enterprises, personnel services 77.00; NMC LLC, repairs 619.00; NPPD, electricity 130.52; Rural Water District No 1, road improvements 7039.27; Sapp Bros., fuel 4378.84; Speers Truck Repair, repairs labor 1100.50; Windstream, telephones 219.48.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:08 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Lindsay Kostecka,  
Pawnee County Deputy Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**AUGUST 5, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, August 5, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, July 31, 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 July 22, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the office inventories for 2025. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the 2025 office inventories. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

At 9:10 There was no public comment. No public was present.

The Board reviewed correspondence from Heritage Highway. No action taken.  
The Board reviewed July month end for Clerk, Register of Deeds, Clerk of District Court.  
The Board reviewed correspondence from NRIN. The Board has tabled this at this time.

Rachel King, Clerk, met with the Board and presented three scrap tire bids for 2025 Scrap Tire Amnesty Program. Bids received were Champlin Tire Recycling, Concordia, KS \$169 per ton, The Tire Cutters, Centralia, KS \$174.99 per ton, and Butler County Landfill, David City, NE \$175 per ton. After discussion, Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to go with the bid from The Tire Cutters at \$174.99 per ton from Centralia KS, due to Tire Cutters ability to haul tires away on the day of clean up. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board discussed the maintenance personnel position. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve hiring Joshua Smith for the full-time maintenance position. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

Elise Edgar, AFLAC, met with the Board to discuss insurance options for county employees.

Nanette Smith, Pawnee County Ag Society, met with the Board to share the Pawnee County Fair results.

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

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

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 43855.09; FWH 46229.92; SWH 2003.32; FICA 7262.16; MICA 1698.38; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 674566; DELTA DENTAL 319.64; CHILD SUPPORT 113.08; GARNISHMENT 449.37; AMERITAS 105.05; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 76.15; UNITED HEALTHCARE 12525.84; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Blue Rivers Area Agency on Aging, 2025-2026 county match 841.50; Capital Business Systems, Inc., extension equipment 183.00, sheriff supplies 202.31; Constellation, courthouse heating 7.43; Gage County, bailiff expense 1013.26; Johnson County, dispatch agreement 2023-2025 51361.29; Johnson County Hospital, sheriff testing 25.00; Johnson County Sheriff's Office, inmate lodging 3900.00; Rachel King, mileage 253.54, conference lodging 874.40, conference parking 68.00; Midwest Alarm, building repair 173.95; MIPS, programs & support 2352.28; Nestor & Mercure, court appointed counsel 4465.00; NPHEL, sheriff testing 315.00; NPPD, courthouse electric 1124.48; Thriftway, building supplies 11.07; Pawnee Republican, publishing 329.26; Poster Compliance Center, dues 81.95; SWMA, dues-Black 250.00; US Bank, sheriff fuel 1062.57, sheriff equipment 49.00, sheriff dues 30.00, sheriff training 425.00, sheriff postage 21.62; US Postal Service, clerk postage 1443.25.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Barco, signs 131.39; Martin Marietta, rock 57459.66; Medical Enterprises, personnel services 114.25; NACO, registration- Rauner 40.00; NPPD, electricians 145.99; OPPD, electric 33.11; True Value, supplies 21.99; Sapp Bros, fuel 1383.20; Speers Truck Repairs. Repairs 67.34; US Bank, fuel 63.00.

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

MIPS, programs & support 176.90

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:41 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel E. King,  
Pawnee County Clerk



**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**AUGUST 19, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, August 19, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, July 31, 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 August 5, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the Treasurer month end and 6-month accumulated reports for July.

At 9:10 There was no public comment. No public was present.

Patrick Kriefels, Region V, and Matt Kasik, Apace met with the Board and gave the annual reports.

Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board and discussed prisoner transport, sheriff vehicles and progress on hiring another deputy.

Jeff Vaughn & Lindsey Kirkendall, Eakes, met with the Board and discussed IT/ Network options.

Jon Cannon, NACO, met with the Board and gave updates.

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

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board. Rauner discussed the rock report, project list, personnel, equipment, materials/ supplies. The Interlocal Cooperation Agreement for Joint application to the Bridge Investment Program between Saline County and Participating Counties was reviewed. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement for Joint Application to the Bridge Investment Program between Saline County and Participating Counties. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 42570.42; FWH 4066.38; SWH 1863.91; FICA 6995.74; MICA 1636.08;  
NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 6543.75; DELTA DENTAL 319.65; CHILD

SUPPORT 213.56; GARNISHMENT 449.37; AMERITAS 95.05; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37; MADISON LIFE 82.75; UNITED HEALTHCARE 12525.94; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, courthouse heating 18.93; Central Plains Valuation, rural review 1500.00; City of Pawnee City, water/sewer 129.57; Constellation, courthouse lights 7.43; Eakes, clerk office equipment 1414.99, clerk supplies 13.50; Fankhauser, Nelson, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin PC, court appointed counsel 1433.50; H & H Auto Parts, sheriff repairs 15.86; Hasselbach Pharmacy, inmate medical 25.00; Jill Hatfield, mileage 109.48; Johnson County sheriff's Office, inmate lodging 2925.00; Kyles Service Center, sheriff repairs 603.00; Lindsey Kostecka, mileage 228.26; Kraviec Maurstad Law PC, child support enforcement 1502.19; NACO, registration Seitz 40.00, Lang 40.00; Napa Auto Parts, lawn equipment 27.06; Nestor & Mercure, court appointed counsel 4572.75; Olowolafe Law Firm LLC court appointed counsel 1023.00; Pawnee Republican, treasurer supplies 70.00, publishing 401.42; Petty Cash- Clerk, postage reimbursement 11.00; Quill, sheriff supplies 79.98; Region V Systems, mental health 676.31; Schendel Pest Control, pest control 145.00; John W Schmit, building repairs 276.00; Sejkora Mowing, courthouse lawn 450.00; Seneca Sanitation, courthouse garbage 120.00; Soarin Group, IT Security 968.00; Justyce Stankoski, meal reimbursement 265.12, lodging reimbursement 1522.87; Tichy Land Survey Co., surveyor 850.00; US Bank, lawn equipment 95.25; Verizon Wireless, sheriff phones 408.40

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 51.81; City of Pawnee City, electric 88.03; Den's Country Meats, fuel 416.99; Farmers Coop, fuel 413.14; H&H Auto Parts, repairs 64.28, supplies 213.46; Kyles Service Center, repairs 6068.38; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/ gravel 40292.20; Medical Enterprises, testing 5.00; NMC Exchange, repairs 2588.48; NPPD, electric 130.52; Sapp Bros, fuel 1291.21; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 120.00; Speers Truck Repair, repairs 3037.79; Windstream, telephones 219.35.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:58 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel E. King,  
Pawnee County Clerk



**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**SEPTEMBER 3, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Wednesday, September 3, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, August 28, 2024, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann, Ron Seitz was absent, and County Clerk, Rachel King. Vice-Chairman Lang opened the meeting and announced the open meeting law poster is posted on the east wall of the meeting room. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the August 19, 2025 Commissioner meeting. Voting: Seitz (absent), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the agenda as presented with the change of the meeting being on Wednesday, not Tuesday. Voting: Lang (yes) Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the levy allocation requests for the Ag Society and Fire Districts. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve Resolution 25-19 Setting the 2025-2026 levy authority for the Pawnee County Ag Society at .004519 and Fire Districts at .0175. Voting: Seitz (absent), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

The IT proposal from Eakes was reviewed by the Board. No action taken at this time.

The Board reviewed the interlocal agreement for Johnson, Nemaha, Pawnee and Richardson Counties for Juvenile Diversion. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the Four County Juvenile Diversion Interlocal Agreement for 2025-2026. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent)

At 9:10 There was no public comment. No public was present.

Cindy Johnson, Treasurer, met with the Board to discuss Distress Warrants.

Susan Eisenhauer met with the Board and requested support for the FSA office to keep it open in Pawnee. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to send letters out to support the local FSA office in Pawnee City, NE. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent), Lang (yes).

Jerad Reimers, District Coordinator, met with the Board to give updates from Rep. Smith concerning his work on behalf of Nebraska in the U.S. House.

Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the Board and discussed strategies to reduce overtime in the Sheriff Department. No action taken at this time.

Mary Droge, ZCJB Hall, met with the Board to submit an application for a liquor license.

Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the liquor license application for ZCJB Hall for October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Voting: Seitz (absent), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager, did not appear.

Chris Rauner, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board. Rauner discussed the rock report, project list, personnel, equipment, materials/ supplies, review agreement with Farmers Cooperative and BNSF regarding the closure of Railroad crossing on 711 Rd. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve Resolution 25-20 Agreement with BNSF for closing procedures of the railroad crossing at 711 Rd. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent).

Pam Bourne, legal counsel, met with the Board by telephone and requested closed session to discuss possible litigation for the protection of the public interest. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to go into closed session at 10:40 am to discuss possible litigation. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to come out of closed session at 12:03 pm with no action taken at this time. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (absent), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the 2025/2026 budget

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 44605.76; FWH 4485.43; SWH 1998.28; FICA 7377.50; MICA 1725.34; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 6928.49; DELTA DENTAL 319.64; CHILD SUPPORT 213.56; GARNISHMENT 449.37; AMERITAS 136.47; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 82.53; UNITED HEALTHCARE 13709.00; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Capitol Business Systems, sheriff supplies 1324.14; Constellation, courthouse heat 8.26; CVSOA, veterans officer dues 60.00; DAS State Accounting- Central Finance, data processing 230.00; Eakes, veterans services supplies 11.50; Falls City Mercantile, janitorial supplies 238.49; Jill Hatfield, mileage 285.60, meal reimbursement 39.00; Kyles Service Center, sheriff repairs 101.30; NPHEL, sheriff testing 105.00; MIPS, data processing 2352.28; Morrissey, Morrissey & Dalluge, special prosecutor 883.50; NACVSO, veterans services registration 400.00; NPPD, courthouse electric 1018.00; Pawnee City Thriftway, janitorial supplies 14.76; Pawnee Republican, publishing 316.50; Richardson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 4015.00, inmate medical 77.44; Elizabeth Samuelson, court appointed counsel 1263.50; Secretary of State- Nebraska, election supplies 10.00; US Bank, clerk lodging- King 89.99, sheriff fuel 1598.68, sheriff transport 129.23, sheriff dues 30.00, sheriff training 175.00, lawn equipment 246.03; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 262.29; Zerotrace, electronic disposal 100.00.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Beatrice Fire protection, shop safety 502.29; Kyles Service Center, repairs 9690.00; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 48006.70; Metal Culverts Inc., tubes 2479.40; NPPD, electric 144.65; Powerplan, repairs 995.42; Sapp Bros Inc., fuel 4868.19; Speers Truck Repair, repairs/labor 450.58; US Bank, fuel 117.00

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

MIPS, data processing 176.90

Vice-Chairman Lang adjourned the meeting at 12:43 p.m.

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel E. King,  
Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**SEPTEMBER 16, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, September 16, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, August 28, 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 September 3, 2025 Commissioner meeting. Voting: Seitz (abstain), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the agenda as presented. Voting: Lang (yes) Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the August month end reports for Clerk, Register of Deeds, District Court and Treasurer as well as the 6-month accumulated report.

The Board reviewed the 2025/2026 budget, the Budget Hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, September 24, 2025 at 9AM.

The proposal submitted by Eakes was discussed by the Board. No action taken at this time.

At 9:10 There was no public comment. No public was present.

John Werner, Pawnee City Hospital, met with the Board to discuss hospital board members. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to re-appoint Jackie Hippen and appoint Katie Kriefels to the Pawnee City Hospital Board. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

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

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

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 44199.77; FWH 4669.34; SWH 2026.40; FICA 7347.24; MICA 1718.24;  
NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 6883.27; DELTA DENTAL 319.65; CHILD  
SUPPORT 213.56; GARNISHMENT 449.37; AMERITAS 126.47; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37;  
MADISON LIFE 82.75; UNITED HEALTHCARE 13709.12; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, courthouse heating 59.56; Capital Business Systems, extension equipment 183.00; City of Pawnee City, water/ sewer 123.90; DAS State Accounting- Central Finance, data processing 230.00; Donahue & Sisco, August utilities 12.50, August rent 150.00, August telephone 20.83, September utilities, 12.50, September rent 150.00, September phone 20.83; Eakes Office Supplies, veterans services supplies 224.00; Fairfield Inn & Suites, lodging- Kaster 404.85, lodging – Hatfield 404.85; Fankhauser, Nelson, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin, court appointed counsel 1925.00; Handley Law Office, court appointed counsel 5030.00; Johnson County Clerk, quarterly emergency manager 5012.25; Johnson County Sheriff Office, inmate lodging 4940.00; Stephanie Kaster, meal reimbursement 22.70; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1504.38; Kyles Service Center, sheriff tire repair 40.00; Lancaster County Sheriff's Office, service fees 18.73; NACO, registration Dec. conference Seitz 160.00, Lang 160.00, Johnson 160.00, King 160.00; Nestor & Mercure, public defender August & September 7500.00; Pawnee Republican, publishing 454.68; Petty Cash Clerk, postage reimbursement 11.00; Region V Systems, mental health systems 1243.55; Richardson County Sheriff, service fees 19.00; Soarin Group, IT Security 1004.00; Nebraska State Fire Marshal, building repair 120.00; Tichy Land Survey, surveyor 850.00, contracted surveys 2110.52; US Bank, ground supplies 28.53, SE district meeting registration- Johnson 40.00, clerk supplies 141.70; Verizon Wireless, sheriff phones 408.38; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 236.60; Windstream, courthouse telephones 980.60.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 52.36; City of Pawnee City, water/ sewer 86.41; Dens Country Meats, fuel 295.74; Farmers Copp, fuel 3539.29; H & H Auto Parts, repairs 231.73, supplies 66.26, tools 91.99; Heritage Tractor, repairs 42.36; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/ gravel 57987.00; NACO, registration Dec. conference – Rauner, 160.00; Nebraska Labor Law Posters, 2026 posters 99.50; NPPD, electricity 97.89; OPPD, electricity 33.00; Powerplan, repairs 1530.22; Sapp Bros., fuel 5485.54; Pawnee true Value, supplies 34.81; Windstream, telephones 219.35.

**OPIOID FUND:**

Region V Systems, Opioid recovery 223.76.

**K-9 FUND:**

Southeast NE Feeds, K-9 costs 31.30.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:01 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel E. King,

Pawnee County Clerk

## **BUDGET HEARING MINUTES**

The 2025-2026 Pawnee County Budget Hearing was held the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in the first-floor meeting room of the Pawnee County Courthouse. Members present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and Rachel King.

Public Comment was held at 9:05 a.m.- Chris Rauner spoke regarding the Road budget.

### **Budget Approval**

The budget summary was given by Rachel King, Clerk. There is a total of \$11,136,084.00 budgeted disbursements plus \$450,000.00 for necessary cash reserve totaling \$11,586,084.00 in disbursements. There is \$8,871,688.71 in available revenue before property taxes plus \$2,804,395.29 property taxes totaling \$11,676,084.00 in revenue. For 2025-2026 we are asking for \$2,804,395.29 in personal and property taxes which is \$77,314.77 or a 2.84% increase from the 2024-2025 tax request of \$2,727,044.52. The budget has \$111,316.64 in unused budget authority. Pawnee County valuation for 2025-2026 is \$1,018,902,897.00 which is an increase of \$120,881,034.00 or 13.46% from the 2024-2025 valuation of \$898,021,863.00.

The 2025-2026 tax levy is .275237 compared to the 2024-2025 tax levy of .303672 which is a decrease of 1.09% in the levy.

After discussion Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to adjourn the 2025-2026 budget hearing at 9:32 a.m. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

Chairman Seitz adjourned the budget hearing at 9:32 a.m.

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

## **FINAL TAX REQUEST HEARING**

The 2025-2026 Pawnee County Final Tax Request Hearing was held on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2025, at 9:35 a.m. in the first-floor meeting room of the Pawnee County Courthouse. Members present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and Rachel King. No public attended.

Rachel King, Clerk, presented the final tax request of \$2,804,395.29 which is a levy of .275237 for the 2025-2026 budget year which is a decrease of .028435 from the 2024-2025 tax levy of .303672.

After discussion, Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to adjourn the 2025-2026 final tax request hearing at 9:43 a.m. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Chairman Seitz adjourned the final tax request hearing at 9:43 a.m.

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk



**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**SEPTEMBER 30, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, September 30, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, August 28, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang and County Clerk, Rachel King. Lavon Heidemann was absent. 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 16, 2024 Commissioner 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 and discussed County auditor bids for the 2025/2026 fiscal year. No action taken at this time.

The Board reviewed the proposal from Eakes for IT security. No action taken at this time. An application for use of the courthouse grounds for the October 10, 2025 pep rally was reviewed. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the application for use of the courthouse grounds for the October 10, 2025 pep rally. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent).

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

The Board reviewed the budget for 2025/2026 and the resolutions. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve the Resolution of Adoption and Appropriations for the 2025/2026 budget. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes). Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve Resolution 25-21 Setting the Property Tax Request \$2,804,395.29 and a mill levy of .267645 per \$100 of assessed value for 2025/2026. Voting: Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes). Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve Resolution 25-22 to transfer monies necessary in the amount of \$1,163,088.47 to the Pawnee County Bridge/ Road Fund. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent).

Josh Smith, Building and Grounds, met with the Board to discuss landscaping ideas for the Courthouse as well as repair quotes for the chiller.

Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager met with the Board and gave updates. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to go into executive session at 9:32 am for the protection of the public interest and prevention of needless injury. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes). Lang moved and Seitz seconded to exit executive session at 9:49 am with no action taken. Voting: Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

Heather Duryea, met with the Board and gave the rock report and discussed the project list, personnel, equipment, materials and supplies.

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, and Mike Donahue, attorney, met with the Board to discuss applications for subdivisions. Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve Resolution 25-23 for the subdivision 3.58 acres for Pepperl 12-2-9. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent). Lang moved and Seitz seconded to approve Resolution 25-24 for the subdivision of 7 acres for Wilkinson 2-2-9. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (absent), Seitz (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 45620.25; FWH 5047.70; SWH 2116.87; FICA 7630.84; MICA 1784.58; CHILD SUPPORT 213.56; GARNISHMENT 449.37; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 7389.51; DELTA DENTAL 352.58; AMERITAS 125.95; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 85.72; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14662.84; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Capital Business Systems, Extension copier 183.00; Constellation, courthouse heating 7.43; Eakes Office Solutions, clerk supplies 49.69; Hampton Inn & Suites, lodging- Duff 330.00; James Duff, mileage 660.80; Morrissey, Morrissey & Dalluge, special prosecutor 755.00; NACO, registration Lang 55.00, King 55.00; NPPD courthouse electric 990.64; Nestor & Mercure, court appointed counsel 1738.50; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from General to Road & Bridge fund 290772.09; Pawnee Republican, publishing 899.00; Planet Technologies Inc., IT Security Costs 81.34; Richardson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 5879.61; US Bank, treasurer equipment 149.99.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Haug Communications, radio repairs 376.19; Mainelli Wagner & Associates, consulting 22581.40; NPPD, electric 32.63; SAPP Bros., fuel 5341.70; Turnbull Ag Tires, tires 2325.50; US Bank, fuel 182.00, supplies 478.91.

**ARPA FUND:**

Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 53482.45

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

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk



**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 from 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 3<sup>rd</sup> 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

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**OCTOBER 28, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, October 28, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the October 15, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the County auditor bid from RCM. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve RCM as the county auditor for Pawnee County beginning year 2025/2026 for three years. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

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

Heather Rose and Katelynn Gildersleeve from Headstart met with the Board and gave the annual updates.

Cindy Johnson, Treasurer, met with the Board to give the tax report and distress warrants. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the Treasurer turning over the tax sales to the County Attorney. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, met with the Board to review open and closed cases.

Stephanie Kaster, Assessor, met with the Board to discuss homestead applications.

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

Chris Rauner, Hwy. Supt., met with the Board to discuss the project list, personnel, equipment, materials/ supplies and the annual certification programs compliance resolution. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve Resolution 25-26 Annual Certification of Program Compliance. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 44881.28; FWH 4441.40; SWH 1983.69; FICA 7283.76; MICA 1703.44;  
RETIREMENT 7098.34; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Adams County Sheriff, service fees 18.50; Black Hills Energy, courthouse heating 60.59; Capital Business Systems, extension supplies 209.00; Central Plains Valuation, rural review 3640.00; Constellation, courthouse heating 8.26; ; Eakes Office Solutions, clerk supplies 127.08; Fankhauser, Nelson, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin PC, court appointed counsel 3301.00; Holiday Inn, lodging- Vetrovsky 134.95; Rachel King, mileage 579.60; Ashton McCown, mileage 121.18; NPPD, courthouse electric 758.65; Pawnee City Thriftway, janitorial supplies 17.96; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer to Bridge/ Road per resolution 25-22 96924.03; Pawnee Republican, publishing 323.04; Quill, sheriff supplies 38.18; Richardson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 5170.00, inmate medical 78.62; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 120.00; Soarin Group, IT security 968.00; US Bank, janitor supplies 34.26; Woods Aitkin LLP, board attorney 365.00.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 53.96; Eggers, repairs 265.00; Farmers Cooperative, fuel 1533.43; H&H Auto Parts, repairs 1531.53, supplies 102.79; Haug Communication, repairs 450.00; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 85506.60; NMC Exchange. Supplies 309.60; NPPD, electricity 32.63; Sapp Bros., fuel 2822.25; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 120.00; US Bank fuel 42.00.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:08 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk



**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**NOVEMBER 12, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Wednesday, November 12, 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 30, 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the October 28, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims except for the claim presented for veterans assistance per review. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the October month end reports for Clerk, Register of Deeds, District Court and the Treasurer reports for October month end and 6-month accumulated.

The Board reviewed the application for use of Courthouse grounds by the Pawnee City Chamber of Commerce for the Chamber Holiday Promotion on 12/4/2025. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the use of Courthouse Grounds for the PC Chamber of Commerce on December 4, 2025 from 5 to 7pm for the Chamber Holiday Promotion. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

The Board reviewed the quote from Eakes regarding IT Security and copiers. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the quote from Eakes for IT security for the offices in the courthouse and copiers for the Sheriff and Extension offices for \$992.50 per month with a 5-year contract. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

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

Kay Wissman, SENCA, met with the Board to discuss funds for transit operations. Due to State/Federal budget cuts, the Pawnee County Transit availability will be cut to 8:00 to 12:30 Monday through Friday, Headsart transport will also remain in place. This is effective starting the week of November 10, 2025.

Joshua Black, Weed & Zoning, met with the Board with updates.

James Duff, Veterans Services, met with the Board to discuss veterans' services aid. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to go into executive session at 9:45am for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Lang

moved and Heidemann seconded to exit executive session at 10:10am. Voting: Heidemann (yes) Seitz (yes), Lang (yes). No action taken at this time.

Hans Rohrbaugh, Deputy, & Nancy Tilton met with the Board to discuss personnel, canine dog, and K-9 vehicle unit in the sheriff department. The canine dog has been returned to the organization that provided the dog to Pawnee County per the contract.

Justyce Stankoski did not meet with the Board to discuss his resignation with the sheriff department due to a scheduling conflict.

Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager met with the Board and gave updates and discussed the Federal Disaster Mitigation Act resolution. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve Resolution 25-27 for the Federal Disaster Mitigation Plan. Voting: Seitz, (yes), Lang (yes) Heidemann (yes).

Chris Rauner, Hwy. Supt., met with the Board to discuss the project list, personnel, equipment, materials/ supplies and gave the rock report. He also presented the Environmental Services Supplement Agreement Project BRO-7067(24). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the Environmental Services Supplement Agreement Project BRO-7067(24). Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 44881.28; FWH 4441.40; SWH 1983.69; FICA 7283.76; MICA 1703.44;  
RETIREMENT 7098.34; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Capital Business Systems, sheriff supplies 97.63; City of Pawnee City, courthouse water 124.24; Comfort Inn, lodging- King 220.00; Crowne Plaza, lodging- King 389.85; Donahue & Sisco, November rent 150.00. utilities 12.50, telephone 20.83; Johnson County Sheriff, inmate lodging 903.5.00; Kyles Service Center, sheriff repairs 83.50; MIPS, programs & support 2352.28; NACO, dues 1537.67; Nestor & Mercure, public defender 3750.00; Pawnee County Sheriff, service fees 55.48; Pawnee Republican, publishing 94.51; Hans Rohrbaugh, lodging reimbursement 354.45; Schendel Pest Control, pest control 145.00; Segra, courthouse internet 456.77; Sejkora Mowing, ground supplies 270.00; US Bank, sheriff fuel, sheriff transport 138.99, sheriff dues 30.00; Verizon Wireless, sheriff phones 408.61; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 133.56; Windstream, courthouse telephones for September & October 1954.20.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

City of Pawnee City, water 88.81; Dens Country Meats, fuel 604.93; Kyles Service Center, repairs 4687.30; Mainelli Wagner & Associates, Inc., engineering 13067.05; Martin Marietta

Materials, rock/gravel 61806.23; NPPD, electricity 161.88; OPPD, electricity 34.41; Sapp Bros., fuel 4419.51; Windstream, phones 219.74.

**ROD PRESERVATION FUND:**

MIPS, programs & support 176.90

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:42 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Rachel King, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**NOVEMBER 25, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Wednesday, November 25, 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 30, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and Deputy County Clerk, Lindsay Kostecka. 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the November 12, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

After review and discussion Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to approve the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement to join Southeast Nebraska Development District (SENDD). Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

After review and discussion Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the Central Services Cost Allocation Plan from Maximus. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

After discussion Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to accept the resignation of Rachel King. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

At 9:10 public comment was held. Josie Friedly introduced herself as the new Pawnee City Economic Developer.

James Duff, Veterans Services, met with the Board to discuss veteran services aid. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to go into executive session at 9:19 a.m. for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Heideman moved and Lang seconded to exit executive session at 9:31 am. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to pay veteran services aid claims to State Line Propane for \$225.98 and OPPD for \$431.88. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

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

Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to go into closed session at 9:34 a.m. for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual to discuss the County Clerk position. Voting:

Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes). Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to exit out of executive session at 10:00 a.m. Voting: Heidemann(yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

Motion made by Heidemann and seconded by Lang to appoint Lindsay Kostecka as County Clerk. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

Colt Feighner, Schultz CPA, did not meet with the Board.

Braden Lang, Sheriff, Hans Rohrbaugh, Deputy, & Nancy Tilton met with the Board to discuss recruiting, retaining personnel and surplus property. Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to declare the 2018 Ford Explorer, two bicycles, one bike rack and one helmet as surplus property to be sold through auction at Schardt Auction Services. Voting Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

Josh Smith, Building and Grounds, met with the Board to discuss water in the basement of the courthouse.

Chris Rauner, Hwy. Supt., met with the Board to discuss the project list, personnel, equipment, materials/supplies and gave the rock report. After discussion Heidemann moved and Lang seconded to declare the 2007 Chevy Silverado 1500 as surplus property to be sold through auction at Schardt Auction Services. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 45,421.63; FWH 4297.28; SWH 2004.10; FICA 7407.18; MICA 1732.28;  
NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 7006.70; DELTA DENTAL 352.59; CHILD  
SUPPORT 213.56; GARNISHMENT 29.47; AMERITAS 115.95; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37;  
MADISON LIFE 82.75; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14662.97; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heat 82.47; Capital Business Systems, Extension lease 183.00; Constellation Newenergy, heat 81.76; Daikin Applied, building repairs 1250.00; DAS State Accounting, data processing 230.00; Eakes, Attorney supplies 117.88, Clerk supplies 74.46; Falls City Mercantile, janitor supplies 203.50; Fankhauser, Nelsen, Werts & Ziskey, court appointed counsel 435.50; H&H Auto, Sheriff supplies 9.99; Dylan Handley, court appointed counsel 1353.00; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1505.84; Kyles Service Center, sheriff repairs 116.00; MIPS, supplies 42.78; Nemaha County Sheriff, service fee 18.50; Pawnee County District Court, court costs 366.00; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer from General to Road 96924.03; Physicians Laboratory Services, autopsy 2905.00; Pawnee True Value, janitor supplies 140.80;

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heat 141.65; Farmer's Coop, fuel 1543.56; H&H Auto, supplies & repairs 590.44; Kyles Service Center, repairs 240.00; Martin Marietta Materials, rock/gravel 49307.40; Dave Menninga, boot reimbursement 188.11; NMC, repairs 4944.24; NPPD, electricity 97.89; RDO Truck Center, repairs 313.67; Sapp Bros., fuel 3880.62; Speers Truck Repair, repairs 9273.12; Pawnee True Value, supplies 135.89; US Bank, fuel, supplies, 377.13.

**VETERANS AID FUND:**

OPPD,

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:34 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Lindsay Kostecka, Pawnee County Deputy Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**DECEMBER 9, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, December 9, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, November 26, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and County Clerk, Lindsay Kostecka. 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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the November 25, 2025 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). Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the claims as presented with holding Soarin Group claim until confirmation of dates of service. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed the November month-end Register of Deeds, District Court, Treasurer, year to date District Court and six month accumulated Treasurer reports. The Board reviewed correspondence from the Sheriff regarding Distress Warrants.

At 9:10 Public comment was held. There was no public comment.

Lindsay Kostecka, Clerk, met with the board to discuss possible rehire of former Deputy Clerk, Suzanne Sommerhalder. After discussion Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the rehiring of Suzanne Sommerhalder for the Deputy Clerk position. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

Emily Sisco, County Attorney, met with the board to discuss a room for attorneys to use to meet with clients. After discussion Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the use of the former maintenance office on the third floor for an attorney room. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Braden Lang, Sheriff, Nancy Tilton, met with the board to discuss new sheriff vehicle and potential non-certified hiring bonus. No action taken.

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

Chris Rauner, Hwy. Supt., met with the Board and discussed possibly sign resolution for Project BRO-70678(24) and gave the rock report.

After discussion Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve Resolution 25-29 Signing of Preliminary Engineering Services Supplemental Agreement BK2488-001 for Project BRO-70678(24). Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

Board Discussed 2027-2030 county employee salaries. No action taken.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 41423.28; FWH 3667.51; SWH 1778.05; FICA 6730.96; MICA 1574.14; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 6208.74; DELTA DENTAL 352.58; CHILD SUPPORT 213.56; GARNISHMENT 272.89; AMERITAS 125.95; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 82.53; UNITED HEALTHCARE 14836.66; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Capital Business Systems, Sheriff lease 82.74; Central Plains Valuation, reappraisal 14,888.00; City of Pawnee City, water 123.66; CVSOAN, Veteran Services dues 100.00; James Duff, mileage 94.50; Eakes, Veterans services supply 56.00, Clerk supplies 12.40, Sheriff supplies 99.07; Fankhauser, Nelsen, Werts & Ziskey, court appointed counsel 825.00; Gage County, Bailiff 884.16; Dylan Handley, Mental Health Board training 80.00; Johnson County Sheriff, inmate housing 2,145.00; Kollasch Law Office, court appointed council 539.00; Lindsay Kostecka, clerk supplies 6.74; Braden Lang, Sheriff meals, fuel & transport 100.76; MIPS, programs and support 2,529.18; NACVSO, Veterans Service dues 50.00; NPPD, electricity 540.60; Pawnee City Thriftway, janitor supplies 7.58; Pawnee County Hospital, Sheriff CPR training 30.00; Pawnee County Treasurer, real estate taxes 275.86; Pawnee Republican, publishing 83.25; Richardson Co. Sheriff, inmate housing 4,201.64; Segra, internet 295.00; Soarin Group, IT Security 824.00; Table Rock Appliance, courthouse repair 283.00; Tichy Land Survey Co, surveying 1,640.13; TK Elevator Corporation, building repairs 336.87; Pawnee True Value, janitor supplies 49.96; US Bank, Sheriff fuel 861.91, equipment 134.36, transport 44.19, dues 30.00; Verizon Wireless, Sheriff phones 408.49; Windstream, courthouse phone 974.71;

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

City of Pawnee City, water 89.39; Dens, fuel 295.40; Diversified Drug Testing, testing 180.00; Colt Johnson, boot reimbursement 255.83; Malone Construction Co, pay out C006732025-C-67 150,973.63; Martin Marietta Materials, rock 22,028.90; NPPD, electricity 141.95; OPPD, electric 33.00; Pawnee Republican, subscription 50.00; Sapp Bros., fuel 4,948.34; Smith Auto, equipment repair 120.00; Speers Truck Repair, repairs 8,862.18; US Bank, fuel, 36.00.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 11:43 a.m.

S/Ron Seitz  
S/Jan Lang  
S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Lindsay Kostecka, Pawnee County Clerk

**PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**DECEMBER 23, 2025**

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, December 23, 2025, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, November 26, 2025, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and County Clerk, Lindsay Kostecka.

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 Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the December 9, 2025, 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).

Board Discussed 2026-2029 county employee salaries. After discussion motion was made by Lang to approve salary increase of 3% for all county employees for the 2026-2029 years and seconded by Heidemann. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

At 9:10 Public comment was held. There was no public comment.

Josie Friedly, PCPN, met with the board to discuss the possibility of placing a display case in the courthouse. After discussion Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve placement of display case in acceptable area. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Jill Hahn, Juvenile Diversion, met with the board to discuss the possible approval for Four County Juvenile Diversion Grant. After discussion Lang moved and Heidemann seconded to approve the Memorandum of Understanding for the Four County Juvenile Diversion Grant. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

Josh Smith, Bldg. & Grounds, met with the board to discuss building repair quote. After discussion no action taken.

Braden Lang, Sheriff, met with the board to discuss a new sheriff vehicle. After discussion no action taken.

Megan Buckley, Emergency Manager, met with the Board to discuss the NIRMA assist grant for courthouse security with a quote from Big Red Communications. After review motion by Lang to approve camera install with the quote from Big Red Communications with funding

of approximately \$7500.00 from the inheritance tax fund and other half from NIRMA program and seconded by Heidemann. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

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

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 42298.41; FWH 3524.58; SWH 1763.05; FICA 6838.98; MICA 1599.38; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 370.00; RETIREMENT 6471.93; DELTA DENTAL 336.12; CHILD SUPPORT 213.56; GARNISHMENT 272.89; AMERITAS 110.00; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.37; MADISON LIFE 79.55; UNITED HEALTHCARE 17385.13; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00;

**GENERAL FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heating 138.31; Constellation, heating 383.19; DAS State Accounting-Central Finance, data processing 230.00; Donahue & Sisco, reimburse utilities 183.37; Eakes, Clerk supply 269.73; Great Plains Uniform LLC, Sheriff equipment 1076.30; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1504.38; Kyles Service Center, sheriff equipment repair 500.00; NLETC, sheriff training 142.00; Steven Mercure, public defender 3750.00; Pawnee County Clerk, petty cash 2.00; Pawnee City Thriftway, janitor supplies 5.18; Pawnee County Treasurer, transfer to Bridge/ Road per resolution 25-22 96924.03; Pawnee Republican, publishing 85.88; Physicians Lab, autopsy 300.00; Psychological Resources, sheriff training 150.00; Region 5 Systems, mental health 1467.31; Richardson Co. Sheriff, inmate housing 3644.54; Emily Sisco, reimburse atty supplies 156.72; Soarin Group, IT Security 896.00; Southeast District Assessor's Association, dues 75.00; Nebraska State Fire Marshal Agency, inspection 72.00; Tyler Technologies, Veterans subscription 475.94; University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Extension dues 225.00; Jason Vetrovsky, mileage 183.54.

**ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:**

Black Hills Energy, heat 344.01; Farmers Coop, fuel 8533.03; HH Auto, parts 348.62, supplies 315.19; Heritage Tractor, supplies 217.74; Kyles Service Center, repairs and tires 1450.94; Martin Marietta Materials, rock 11613.05; Medical Enterprises Inc, testing 77.00; NMC Exchange, parts 1522.23; NPPD, electricity 98.07; Petty cash, postage 21.70, CDL reimburse 38.00; Powerplan, repairs 15072.95; Seneca Sanitation, trash 120.00; Turnbull Ag, tires 575.00; Windstream, phone 219.74.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 10:54a.m.

S/Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/ Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Lindsay Kostecka, Pawnee County Clerk