

PAWNEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

AUGUST 18, 2026

The Pawnee County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., which was open to the public, on Tuesday, August 18, 2026, in the first-floor meeting room in the Pawnee County Courthouse, Pawnee City, Nebraska. Notice of such meeting was published in the Thursday, July 23, 2026, issue of the Pawnee Republican. Present were Ron Seitz, Jan Lang, Lavon Heidemann and County Clerk, Lindsay Kostecka. Chairman Seitz opened the meeting and announced the open meeting law copy available in the meeting room. Lang moved and Heidemann seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the August 4, 2026, Commissioner meeting as presented. 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 the motion to approve the claims as presented. Voting: Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes), Lang (yes).

The Board reviewed office inventories for 2026. After discussion motion made by Lang, seconded by Heidemann to approve all office inventories for 2026. Voting: Seitz (yes), Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes).

At 9:12 public comment was held. There was no public comment.

The Board reviewed the July month end, and 6 month accumulated report from Treasurer. After review, no action taken.

The Board discussed Surveyor county/state reimbursements to get clarification on claims submitted by surveyor. After discussion board will ask Rob Tichy to attend next meeting to discuss.

The Board discussed the 911 and dispatch agreements. After discussion no action taken.

Apace, Matt Kasik and Region 5 Systems, Patrick Kreifels, met with the Board to give annual report and updates. After discussion no action taken.

Howard Blecha, met with the Board to discuss special liquor license for event at Pleasant Valley School House. After discussion and review motion made by Lang, seconded by Heidemann to approve liquor license application for Pleasant Valley School House Foundation for an event on 9/5/26 at 71175 628 Blvd, Table Rock, NE contingent on they get insurance for the event. Voting: Lang (yes), Heidemann (yes), Seitz (yes).

Megan Buckley, Emergency Management, met with the Board to give updates. After discussion no action taken.

Chris Rauner, Hwy Supt, met with the Board to discuss rock report, project list, personnel, equipment and materials/supplies. After discussion no action taken.

The following claims were reviewed and signed:

NET PAYROLL 44111.33; FWH 3576.51; SWH 1730.69; FICA 7127.35; MICA 1666.90; NATIONWIDE RETIREMENT 600.00; RETIREMENT 6922.80; DELTA DENTAL 383.50; CHILD SUPPORT 213.56; GARNISHMENT

480.54; AMERITAS 107.10; AMERICAN HERITAGE 61.35; MADISON LIFE 82.53; UNITED HEALTHCARE 19119.43; DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE 10.00.

GENERAL FUND:

Black Hills, heat 57.63; City of Pawnee City, water 364.80; DAS State Accounting-Central Finance 230.00; Donahue & Sisco, dues 550.00; Eakes, supplies 517.40; Evergreen Cemetery, cemetery maintenance 100.00; Falls City Mercantile, janitor supply 218.14; Fiber Platform-Segra, phone 706.89; Johnson County Clerk, dispatch 16649.85; Kraviec Maurstad Law, child support enforcement 1505.46; Kyles Service Center, repair 1179.94, tires 820.00; Lancaster Co. Sheriff, district court cost 26.27; NACO, registrations 80.00; Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center, training 8017.00; Paper Tiger Shredding, supply 48.00; Pawnee City Trifway, janitor supply 23.94; Pawnee County Clerk, postage 38.70; Pawnee County Court, county court costs 117.00; Pawnee County District Court, district court costs 277.00; Pawnee County Sheriff, supply 195.66; postage 11.31; Pawnee Republican, publishing 47.63; Pawnee True Value, janitor equipment 124.98, supply 1.77; Region 5, dues 1244.00; Seneca Sanitation, garbage 120.00; Tichy Land Survey, surveyor 850.00, reimbursement 790.13; US Bank, postage 23.65, registration 80.00, supply 83.99; Verizon, sheriff phones 408.32;

ROAD/BRIDGE FUND:

Black Hills, heat 52.98; City of Pawnee City, water 90.17; Dave Menninga, boot reimbursement 102.18; Dens Country Meats, fuel 858.32; Eggers, steel 447.48; Farmers Cooperative, supply 22.46, fuel 5077.70; HH Auto Parts, parts 731.95, supply 219.77, tools 786.92, oil 133.84; Kyles Service Center, parts 670.00, repair labor 675.00, tires 190.00; Martin Marietta, rock 31,711.16; Midwest Service & Sales, signs 196.25; NACO, registration 40.00; NPPD, electric 147.36; OPPD, electric 34.44; Pawnee True Value, supply 364.50, tools 51.99; Powerplan, parts 1405.28; Sapp Bros., fuel 4690.63; Seneca Sanitation, trash 120.00; Windstream, phone 216.99.

OPIOID FUND:

Region 5, dues 224.00.

Chairman Seitz adjourned the meeting at 9:54 a.m.

S/ Ron Seitz

S/Jan Lang

S/Lavon Heidemann

Attest: Lindsay Kostecka, Pawnee County Clerk