



Gage County Board Minutes



Board of Supervisors Meeting – December 15, 2021

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The Gage County Board of Supervisors met on December 15, 2021, at 8:45 a.m. with Emily Haxby, Erich Tiemann, Eddie Dorn, Dennis Byars and Gary Lytle present. Terry Jurgens & Don Schuller absent.

Notice of said meeting was posted at the County Clerk’s Office and published prior to the meeting in compliance with State Statutes.

Let the record show that all proceedings are electronically recorded.

Pledge of Allegiance recited.

Chairman Tiemann announced that a complete copy of the Open Meetings Act is posted at the back of the Board of Supervisors Room.

Consent Agenda included the following items: 1. General Agenda; 2. Minutes from previous meeting and committee meetings; 3. claims audit in the amount of \$2,588,438.86 which does not include claim #21120179 to Johnny’s Welding in the amount of \$4,592.00 and claim 21120189 to R.L. Tiemann Construction in the amount of \$3,159.14, to be voted on separately; 4. approve correspondence received and place on file; 5. District Court Summary Fee Report & Register of Deeds Fee Report for the month of November, 2021; 6. Sheriff’s distress warrant report; 7. Utility Permit 1230 to Windstream Nebraska LLC, – Will start at damaged pedestal 924OI located just West of Residence 17540, replace pedestal and then plow a new line going East to 176th road along roadway in North ditch. Once at intersection of 176th and Apple Road, Windstream will then bore a 2” in diameter by 60” deep line under Apple Road to pedestal 919OJ in South grader ditch. Windstream will then pick up all temp cable laid over a year ago. Located Southeast quarter section of 2 & Northeast quarter section of 11, T-6-N, R-8-E of Adams Township.

<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount Allowed</u>
Courthouse Employees	Salaries	142,536.99
Advanced Auto Dealers	Shf website maint.	29.00
Advanced Correctional Healthcare	Jail onsite medical svcs	6820.27
All Copy Products	EM copier maint.	140.00
Axon Enterprises	Taser supplies	1368.00
Beatrice Board of Public Works	Utilities	4527.58
Beatrice Iron & Metal	Shf veh w/s repair	19.95
Beatrice Public Schools, MAPS	Community based juvenile svcs aid grants	13,238.73
Blackburn Technologies	Repairs	2768.76
Blue Valley Community Action	Funding	3725.00
Bragg Animal Control	Animal control	60.00
Business Communication Systems	Prob. labor, parts, mlg	259.63
Butler Co. Detention Center	Boarding inmates	500.00
Capital Business Systems	Co Ct equip.	81.04
Capital City Transfer Svc., Inc.	Autopsy expense	539.75
Capital One	Prob supplies	14.54
City of Beatrice	Qtrly EMS, Prob. Offc lease	62,557.00
CLIA Laboratory Program	Lab svcs	180.00
CMH Clinics	Pre-empl. physical	19.60
Consolidated Management	Meals at training	120.86
Correctional Risk Services	Inmate medical	170.70
Credit Information Systems	Mbrshp	50.00
Culligan of Lincoln	Water cooler	37.11
DAS St. Acctng. Cntrl Fin 6507	Clk & Dist Ct. svcs	54.60
DataShield	Doc shredding	53.60
Dept. of Correctional Svcs.	Inmate medical	1017.16
Diode Communications	Monitoring cths & Vet’s Offc.	80.85



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Diode Technologies	Parts, labor, svc call	517.50
Eakes Office Solutions	Offc supplies	1472.28
Farmers Cooperative	Fuel & generator fuel	499.59
First Wireless	FCC lic. renewal	115.00
Gage County	Fund trnsfr to Rd/Brdg Sinking Fund	1,117,648.13
Gage County Court	Criminal & juvenile court costs	3109.00
gWorks	Redistricting svcs.	8750.00
Hometown Leasing	Prob. copier maint.	313.22
Huls Body Shop	Towing	300.00
Jerry Shelton, Atty	Atty fees	2066.25
Lammel Plumbing	Parts, labor, repairs	597.83
Land Survey Tech	Co. Surveyor operating expense	6141.39
Lincoln Journal Star	Publications	277.22
<u>General Fund cont'd.</u>		
Microfilm Imaging Systems	Court scanning equip. rent	265.00
MIPS, Inc.	Computer programs, support, supplies	3444.20
Nelson, Clark & Timan	Public Defender	6346.15
Norris Public Power	Utilities	40.11
Odell Fire & Rescue	Qtrly EMS svcs.	1500.00
Paper Tiger Shredding	Doc shredding	86.48
Philippi Electric	Supplies	1146.84
Pickrell Rural Fire	Qtrly EMS svcs.	1500.00
Priority Printing	Signs	180.00
Quadient	Equip. lease	2068.17
Quill – Det.	Offc supplies	192.91
Quill – Ext.	Offc supplies	338.46
Quill – Prob.	Offc supplies	296.05
Quill – Treas.	Offc supplies	346.42
Kris Riekenberg	Court reporting	442.25
Sapp Bros.	Shf/Jail fuel	3073.84
Secretary of State	Cert. copies	20.00
Sheridan Industries	Ext. Offc janitorial svcs.	150.00
Solutions Computer Sales & Service	Parts, labor – Prob.	287.59
Stanard Appraisal Svcs.	Appraisal maint., pick-up work	11,295.50
Stephen Kraviec, PC LLO	Child Suppt. Enf. Atty, postage	2338.86
Sumit Food Svc.	Jail meal svc.	3767.64
The Voice News	Publications	557.99
The Wymore Arbor State	Publications	268.31
T.K. Elevator Corp.	Elevator maint.	240.21
U.S. Bank – Purchase cards	Supplies, fuel, meals, etc.	1691.44
Verizon – Shf.	Wireless phones	480.12
Verizon – Prob.	Wireless phones	356.62
Washington Co. Shf.	Boarding inmates	8435.00
Zultys	Prob. phones	494.75
<u>Road Fund</u>		
Highway Department Employees	Salaries	48,180.15
All Copy Products	Copier maint.	59.55
Beatrice Area Solid Waste	Rubbish disposal	223.90
Beatrice Concrete Sand & Gravel	Rock and gravel	35,019.02
Beatrice Iron & Metal	Parts, tools, supplies	765.34
City of Beatrice	Gbg. svc.	74.24



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City of Wymore	Utilities	140.44
Cornhusker Intl.	Parts, labor	5481.29
Echo Group	Bulb	16.05
Filtercare of NE	Clean filters	37.25
Inland Truck Parts & Svc.	Parts	642.30
Johnny’s Welding	Supplies, backhoe repair	4592.00
Landmark Implement, Inc.	Parts	868.35
Matheson Tri-Gas	Welding supplies	133.73
Mead Lumber	Supplies, tools	63.04
Medical Enterprises, Inc.	Drug testing	35.00
Menards	Roofing sealer	339.96
MIPS, Inc.	Hwy. program pkg.	186.72
NMC, Inc.	Parts, oil, blade, tool	2851.66
O’Reilly Auto Parts	Parts, supplies	496.44
Pickrell Lumber	Supplies	72.00
R.L. Tiemann Construction	Hauling material	3159.14
Rock On, Inc.	Hauling material	19,765.29
Rose Equipment, LLC	Part	143.65
Sapp Bros.	Fuel	17,164.75
Westlake Hardware	Supplies	48.52

Visitor’s Improvement Fund

City of Beatrice	Kayak Launch River Access grant	30,000.00
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Register of Deeds Preservation & Modernization Fund

MIPS, Inc.	Deeds online w/ numerical indexes	218.08
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Insurance Fund

Diane Wells	Ins. reimb.	290.37
Gage County Health Insurance	Employee health ins. claims paid	43,112.20

Juvenile Diversion Fund

Beatrice Public Schools, MAPS	Diversion fees collected	5850.00
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Inheritance Fund

First Wireless	Motorola turbo radio system	17,398.11
Pavers, Inc.	Pay App #5 – final – 2020 overlays	855,981.75

General Fund

Ameritas	County share of Employees Retirement	9,898.11
Security First Bank	Co. share of Empl. Soc. Sec. & Medicare	10,329.65
Gage County Clerk – Health Plan	Co. share of Empl. health insurance	29,198.94

Road Fund

Ameritas	County share of Employees Retirement	3,252.11
Security First Bank	Co. share of Empl. Soc. Sec. & Medicare	3,529.94
Gage County Clerk – Health Plan	Co. share of Empl. health insurance	11,875.11

Insurance Fund

Ameritas	County share of Employees Retirement	19.60
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Security First Bank Co. share of Empl. Soc. Sec. & Medicare 22.21

Motion made by Byars, seconded by Lytle to approve the consent agenda. Motion carried 5-0.

Motion made by Lytle, seconded by Dorn to approve claim #21120178 to Johnny’s Welding in the amount of \$4,592.00. Motion carried 5-0.

Motion made by Lytle, seconded Haxby to approve claim #21120188 to R.L. Tiemann Construction in the amount of \$3,159.14, bringing the total amount of claims approved thru December 15, 2021 to \$2,596,190.00. Motion carried 4-0-1 with Tiemann abstaining due to conflict.

Darrell Janda was present at public comments to request the board to pass an ordinance to limit the use of engine braking by trucks. He indicated that there was significant traffic from the ethanol plant. The chairman indicated that they were unable to comment on this item during public comments, but did suggest he contact the State since it was a state highway.

Committee reports were given by: Dave Jones on Building & Grounds; Haxby on Finance & Insurance; Scott Bates on Veterans Service; Lisa Wiegand & Millard Gustafson on Law Enforcement & Emergency Management; Dorn on Road & Bridge. Items discussed were fire alarms going off; County Veterans Aid funds; shop with a cop program; firing range; deputy graduating from academy & the extreme weather/damage.

Motion made by Byars, seconded by Dorn to place Veterans report on file. Motion carried 5-0.

Break in committee meetings after Veterans Service for a timed event.

Scott Bates introduced the Steve Calkins, December Veterans Honor recipient. Mr. Calkin was in the U.S. Navy from 11/3/1966 to 3/24/1970 receiving an Honorable Discharge. He earned the Republic of Vietnam Campaign medal; National Defense Service medal; Vietnam Service medal with 1 Bronze Star & the Navy Unit Commendation medal. Scott also added his personal thanks to Steve for his service as the Quarter Master for VFW #1077 and District 6 VFW Commander for the State of Nebraska. Mr. Calkins indicated that he served mostly in Vietnam. He was on an ammunition carrier then a commander sent him to truck driving school and later he was with the Seebee Unit was a boatsman mate, then went off the boat and with the Seebees becoming a construction mechanic. He served on China Beach, D’Nang & South Vietnam and he stated its not like on TV.

Motion made by Lytle, seconded by Dorn to approve. Motion carried 5-0.

Motion made by Lytle, seconded by Dorn to approve 2023 Community-based Juvenile Services Aid CB Grant Application and EB Grant Application and authorizing Chairman to sign. Motion carried 5-0.

Motion made by Haxby, seconded by Dorn to adjourn at 9:28 a.m. Motion carried 5-0

Chairman declared Board of Supervisors meeting adjourned at 9:28 a.m. until December 29, 2021.

Board minutes can also be viewed on the Gage County website at www.gagecountynebraska.us.

/s/ Dawn Hill
Dawn Hill
Gage County Clerk

/s/ Erich Tiemann
Erich Tiemann, Chairman
Gage County Board of Supervisors

I, Dawn Hill, County Clerk of Gage County, do hereby certify that the above records are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Witness my hand and official seal this 15th day of December, 2021.

(SEAL)

/s/ Dawn Hill



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Dawn Hill
Gage County Clerk