

Deuel County Commissioner Meeting
November 19, 2024

The Deuel County Commissioners met on the above date with the following present: Chairperson Jim Reichman, Commissioner William Klingman, Commissioner Jean Timm, County Attorney Jon Stellar, County Assessor Michele Bartlett, County Treasurer Alicia Adams, Sheriff Scott DeCoste, Sheriff's office administrator Leslie Snell, Deputy Josh Deines, Roads Superintendent Kelly Kopetsky, Highway Superintendent Tony Krajewski, Kristian Fusilier, Brent Fletcher and Clerk Tammy Sherman. The meeting, notice of which was published in the Chappell Register according to law, was called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by a moment of silence. Reference was made to open meeting laws, posted at the entrance of the room. Commissioner Klingman made a motion, second of Commissioner Timm to approve the consent agenda, November 19th agenda, minutes of the regular meeting November 5, 2024, and warrants in the amount of \$124,807.86 (payroll \$37,575.89 and claims \$87,231.97). Timm, aye, Reichman, abstain, Klingman, aye.

GENERAL

PAYROLL		26390.33
AT&T	TELEPHONE	53.12
AT&T MOBILITY	TELEPHONE	423.00
BEV WRIGHT	ELECTION WORKER	270.00
BOONDOCK DESIGNS	SERVICES	125.00
CAMPBELL DRUG	INMATE MEDICAL	135.42
CENTURY LINK	TELEPHONE	213.16
CENTURY LINK	TELEPHONE	22.94
CHAPPELL LUMBER	SUPPLIES	17.34
CHAPPELL REGISTER	PUBLICATIONS	1379.68
CHEYENNE CO SHERIFF	BOARDING	1100.00
CREDIT MANAGEMENT	PAYROLL DEDUCT	253.89
CYD HANSON	ELECTION/MILEAGE	379.48
DAS MATERIAL	SERVICES	154.00
DEUEL CO DISTRICT COURT	FEES	108.00
DEUEL COUNTY COURT	FEES	288.00
DISCOVER BANK	PAYROLL DEDUCT	210.48
FAIRFIELD INN	LODGING	247.90
FIRST CONCORD	PAYROLL DEDUCT	100.00
GARDEN COUNTY SHERIFF	BOARDING	2400.00
GOTO COMMUNICATIONS	SERVICES	535.27
GREAT PLAINS UNIFORMS	SERVICES	1267.38
HAMILTON COMM	TELEPHONE	29.00
HANSENS PETROLEUM	FUEL	1441.37
IDEAL LINEN	SERVICES	2.90
INTRALINKS	SERVICES	2938.75
JIM REICHMAN	CELL PHONE	50.00
LAUREEN KUTCHARA	ELECTION WORKER	270.00
LESLIE SNELL	ELECTION WORKER	270.00
MARJORIE RADKE	ELECTION WORKER	169.48
MIPS	SERVICES	1551.19
NACO	DUES	1054.44
OPTK NETWORKS	SERVICES	300.00
POINTS WEST COMM BANK	SERVICES	5.00
PREMIER AUTO	REPAIRS	85.37
ROBERT HARVOY	COURT APPT. ATRNY	220.00
RON'S CHAPPELL AUTO	REPAIRS	108.85
SCOTTSBLUFF DETENTION	SERVICES	2790.00
SPRING CREEK CLEANING	SERVICES	793.88
T.T.L. - STATE	PAYROLL DEDUCT	1310.90
T.T.L. - RETIREMENT	PAYROLL DEDUCT	1935.26
T.T.L. - RETIREMENT	COUNTY SHARE	3756.05
TRANSUNION	SERVICES	75.00
T.T.L. - SOCIAL SECURITY	PAYROLL DEDUCT	2766.74
T.T.L. - SOCIAL SECURITY	COUNTY SHARE	3889.88
T.T.L. - FEDERAL	PAYROLL DEDUCT	3298.58
US POSTMASTER	POSTAGE	104.50
VERIZON	TELEPHONE	320.08
WILLIAM KLINGMAN	MILEAGE	255.94
ANNA COLLINS	ELECTION WORKER	270.00

BETH MCCRODEN	ELECTION WORKER	270.00
BIG SPRINGS FIRE HALL	ELECTION	125.00
BRENDA RADKE	ELECTION/MILEAGE	449.48
CHAPPELL FIRE HALL	ELECTION	100.00
DARLENE FORD	ELECTION WORKER	270.00
HALEY MAGEE	ELECTION WORKER	395.00
JOAN HANSEN	ELECTION WORKER	125.00
JUSTIN SHAW	ELECTION WORKER	125.00
LORETTA JOHNSON	ELECTION WORKER	245.00
MATTHEW ADAMS	ELECTION WORKER	125.00
ROD HANSON	ELECTION WORKER	125.00
TRAVIS DICKEY	ELECTION WORKER	125.00
ROAD & BRIDGE		
PAYROLL		11185.56
AJK SERVICES, LLC	SERVICES	2592.07
ALL STAR AUTO GLASS	REPAIRS	613.60
BIG SPRINGS TIRE	REPAIRS	121.90
BLACK HILLS ENERGY	UTILITIES	42.29
CENTURY LINK	TELEPHONE	174.16
CHAPPELL LUMBER	REPAIRS	49.96
CORNHUSKER TRUCKS	REPAIRS	486.03
CROELL, INC	COLD MIX	1490.60
FIRST CONCORD	PAYROLL DEDUCT	204.16
HANSENS PETROLEUM	FUEL	7920.85
HEIGEL'S FIELD SERVICE	REPAIRS	3250.00
KELLY KOPETZKY	CELL PHONE	50.00
MUPRHY TRACTOR	REPAIRS	218.79
NE MACHINERY	REPAIRS	3446.11
POWERPLAN	REPAIRS	433.54
PREMIER AUTO	REPAIRS	574.22
S&W AUTO	REPAIRS	855.50
T.T.L. - STATE	PAYROLL DEDUCT	526.68
T.T.L. - RETIREMENT	PAYROLL DEDUCT	669.87
T.T.L. - SOCIAL SECURITY	PAYROLL DEDUCT	1123.14
T.T.L. - FEDERAL	PAYROLL DEDUCT	1176.51
VALLEY TIRE	REPAIRS	15.00
WHEAT BELT	UTILITIES	75.72
FAIR BOARD		
CHAPPELL LUMBER	REPAIRS	59.94
NEBRASKA PRINTWORKS	SERVICES	117.70
911 FUND		
CCECC - 911 COMMUN	SERVICES	5920.85
CENTURY LINK	TELEPHONE	308.14
NPPD	UTILITIES	44.10
COVID FUND		
FRONTIER BASEMENT SOL	REPAIRS	4600.00
REICHMAN CONSTRUCTION	CONCRETE	<u>7843.84</u>
TOTAL		\$ 124,807.86

No public comment.

The Deuel County Tourism report for October was presented for review and filing.

No business for the Board of Equalization.

Brent Fletcher of C-Weed Management presented the contract for 2025. No changes from the 2024 contract. A motion by Commissioner Klingman, seconded by Commissioner Timm to approve the 2025 contract. Reichman, aye, Timm, aye, Klingman, aye.

The Deuel County Fair Board is requesting approval to apply for a grant to improve the well at the fair grounds with the Virginia Smith Charitable Trust. A motion by Commissioner Reichman, seconded by Commissioner Klingman to approve the request to apply for a grant with the Virginia Smith Charitable Trust for improvements to the well. Klingman, aye, Timm, aye, Reichman, aye.

A motion by Commissioner Klingman, seconded by Commissioner Reichman to approve the following building permits per the recommendation of the Deuel County Planning and Zoning Board; 2024-29 cattle shed; 2024-30 removing equipment on a radio tower; 2024-31 renewing an expired permit for a dwelling and improvements in a barn. Timm, aye, Klingman, aye, Reichman, aye.

Highway Superintendent Krajewski updated the Board on the operations in the roads department. A discussion was held on the duties for the assistant highway superintendent. Krajewski will collaborate with Fusilier for the next two years, until Fusilier is eligible to request a class A license. Patch work will continue.

A discussion was held concerning the allocation of the ARPA funds. A motion was made by Commissioner Klingman, seconded by Commissioner Reichman to allocate \$3,107.72 for sewer work at county roads shop number 1. Timm, aye, Klingman, aye, Reichman, aye. A motion was made by Commissioner Klingman, seconded by Commissioner Reichman to allocate \$23,200 for a chairlift for the stairs in the courthouse. Klingman, aye, Reichman, aye, Timm, aye. A motion was made by Commissioner Timm, seconded by Commissioner Klingman to allocate \$111,708.14 for new radios for the Big Springs and Chappell Fire Departments. Timm, aye, Reichman, aye, Klingman, aye. A motion by Commissioner Klingman, seconded by Commissioner Timm to allocate \$5,000 for ADA compliance needs at the annex. Klingman, aye, Timm, aye, Reichman, aye.

Sheriff DeCoste advised that Garden County has a 2021 Ford Explorer patrol vehicle for sale. The Commissioners agreed that it would be to the County's advantage if DeCoste could get it purchased for the Sheriff's Dept.

Sheriff DeCoste reported for the Sheriff's office.

At 9:47 a.m. motion by Commissioner Reichman, seconded by Commissioner Klingman to go into executive session for a personnel matter with the following present; Reichman, Klingman, Timm, Krajewski and Fusilier. Timm, aye, Klingman, aye, Reichman, aye. At 9:55 a.m. a motion by Commissioner Reichman, seconded by Commissioner Klingman to reconvene in regular session. Timm, aye, Klingman, aye, Reichman, aye. A motion by Commissioner Klingman, seconded by Commissioner Reichman to approve a \$2.00 an hour raise for the Assistant Roads Superintendent Fusilier. Klingman, aye, Reichman, aye, Timm, aye.

There being no further business, the board adjourned at 9:56 a.m. The next regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners will be Tuesday, December 3, 2024, upon motion of Commissioner Klingman, second of Commissioner Reichman. Reichman, aye, Timm, aye, Klingman, aye.

Attest: _____

Tammy Sherman, Clerk