

November 12, 2024
North Platte, Nebraska

Meeting of the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners. Present were Commissioners Joe Hewgley, Kent Weems, Micaela Wuehler, Jerry Woodruff and County Clerk, Rebecca Rossell. Woodruff offered prayer. Hewgley called the meeting to order at 9:00 A.M. Commissioner Bruns was absent.

Chairman Hewgley announced the Open Meeting Act with amendments is posted for public review and the county board will comply with the open meeting requirements.

Motion by Weems, seconded by Woodruff to approve the minutes regarding the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners meeting held on November 4, 2024. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Weems, Wuehler, and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Bruns absent.

Motion by Wuehler, seconded by Woodruff to receive and order filed the treasurer's receipts. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Weems, Wuehler, and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Bruns absent.

Motion by Woodruff, seconded by Wuehler to receive and order filed the fee report submitted by Register of Deeds for \$26,526.75. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Weems, Wuehler, and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Bruns absent.

Motion by Weems, seconded by Woodruff to authorize the Chairman to sign the Certificate of Cost Allocation plan for fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, for Maximus. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Weems, Wuehler, and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Bruns absent.

Motion by Wuehler, seconded by Weems to authorize the Chairman to sign an annual lease agreement with Central Bob Car for a compact track loader for the Building & Grounds Department. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Weems, Wuehler, and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Bruns absent.

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners recessed at 9:15 A.M. and the Lincoln County Board of Equalization convened.

Chairman Hewgley announced the Open Meeting Act with amendments is posted for public review and the county board will comply with the open meeting requirements.

County Assessor, Julie Stenger appeared.

Motion by Woodruff, seconded by Weems to approve the minutes regarding the Lincoln County Board of Equalization meeting held on November 4, 2024. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Weems, Wuehler, and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Bruns absent.

No certificates of correction or refund submitted by the County Assessor.

The Lincoln County Board of Equalization adjourned at 9:16 A.M. and the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners reconvened.

The following informal bids were received for a truck snowplow for Lincoln County Department of Roads:

Kohler Trailer Sales - \$10,500.00
Matt Friend Truck Equipment - \$13,454.25
Maxwell's Offroad - \$9030.00

Motion by Wuehler, seconded by Woodruff to approve the purchase of a truck snowplow from Kohler Trailer Sales for \$10,500.00 for Lincoln County Department of Roads at their recommendation. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Weems, Wuehler, and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Bruns absent.

Discussion was held concerning the upcoming vacancy for the Clerk of District Court due to the retirement of Deb McCarthy which will be effective December 31, 2024.

Chairman Hewgley explained there is several methods that could be used such as appointment of the Deputy Clerk of District Court or open applications.

Commissioner Weems asked about the possibility of having the state court administrator take over the office functions.

Deputy County Volkmer explained that he has been researching to find the state statute that allows this.

Commissioner Wuehler was interested in the possibility but did note that she was at a meeting where the elected Clerk of District Court Association were opposed. Wuehler was in favor of an open application process.

Commissioners Weems and Woodruff were in favor of promoting the Deputy Clerk of District Court.

This item was tabled and will be on the November 18, 2024, agenda.

Hear concerns from Elected Officials, Department Heads, or their representative.

Lincoln County Commissioners Committee Reports.

Approved the following claims as presented for payment. Motion carried.

ACE HARDWARE	SE	309.68
ALLO COMMUNICATIONS	SE	2503.55
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	SE	164.89
BARRY JOHNSON	SU	132

BILL SUMMERS FORD LLC	SE	43786.57
BOBCAT OF NORTH PLATTE	EQ	5500
BROWNS SHOE FIT	EX	165.75
CAPITAL BUSINESS SYSTEMS INC	SE	2448.03
CAPITAL ONE	SU	444.38
CENTURY LINK	SE	6.97
CHARM TEX	SU	302.28
CITY OF NORTH PLATTE	SU	42086.77
CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT	SE	2247.43
COLUMN SOFTWARE PBC	SE	32.72
CRYSTAL SCHLIEP	MIL	207.7
CULLIGAN	SE	73.54
DEVENY FORD	SU	72.38
DXP ENTERPRISES, INC	SE	1600
EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	SU	1612.55
G-WORKS	EQ	3543.67
GREAT PLAINS HOMECARE EQ	SE	14
HOMETOWN LEASING	CONT	504.85
J C AUTO WASH	SU	33.48
JACK'S UNIFORMS	EX	601.53
JODIE ORR	MIL	57.62
KNAPP ELECTRIC INC	SU	46.36
LINCOLN COUNTY COURT	SE	4251.45
MALCOM, NELSEN & WINDRUM	SE	1143.92
MARC	SU	405.54
MARTIN TROSHYNSKI	CONT	8250
MENARDS	SE	702.43
MENTZER OIL CO	SU	458.36
MICROFILM IMAGING SYSTEMS INC	CONT	170
MIDWEST CONNECT	SE	74.3
MIPS INC	SE	2815.28
MODERN TIRE PRO	SU	95.59
NACO	REQ	480
NCEA	REQ	165
NACT	SE	360
NE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING CE	SE	75
NEBRASKA SHERIFF'S ASSOCIATION	SE	520
NE STATE FAIR	SE	106
O'REILLY AUTO PARTS	SE	504.07
OFFICE SERVICES, INC	SU	568.21
PLATTE VALLEY COMMUNICATION	EQ	295.5
POPLAR STREET CAR WASH	SU	24
PRODIGY SOLUTIONS INC	SU	6595.81

RAMADA MIDTOWN CONFERENCE CENTER	LDG	110
REBECCA SCHROEDER PH D	SE	750
SCHABEN SANITATION	SE	332.73
SEEVERS AUTO CARE INC	SE	377.65
SEILER INSTRUMENT AND MANUFACTURING	SU	249
SHERI NEWTON	REIM	320
SHERIFF COUNTY FEES	SE	1619.75
SHERIFFS FEE ACCOUNT	SE	857
SHRED IT USA	SE	4942.23
SIOUX SALES COMPANY	EQ	250
STAPLES BUSINESS CREDIT	SU	935.04
STERICYCLE INC	SE	109.98
TANIA M FOX	SE	155.9
TK'S WELDING & FABRICATION	EQ	399.85
TKE ELEVATOR CORP.	SE	306.4
TRANSUNION RISK & ALTERNATIVE	SE	125
TRINITY SERVICES GROUP INC	SE	6226.61
UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA	CONT	850
VAN DIEST SUPPLY COMPANY	SU	4480
VERIZON	SE	239.86
WASH TIME CARWASH	SU	139
WEST CENTRAL NE AREA AGING AGY	CONTRIB	24502.24
WEST CENTRAL NE DEVELOPMENT	SE	2730
WESTERN PATHOLOGY CONSULTANTS PC	SE	192.5
WESTFIELD PHARMACY	SE	4300.48
WILKINSON DEVELOPMENT INC.	SU	4615.64
WILLIAM TROSHYNSKI	CONT	4500
WEX BANK	SU	2135.18
YELLOW ROBE CONSULTING	SE	1800
AKRS EQUIPMENT	SE	1383.42
BLACK HILLS ENERGY	SE	210.99
BOMGAARS	SU	37.99
CAR QUEST OF NORTH PLATTE	SE	526.13
COUNTY PARTNERS COOPERATIVE	SE	66
CROELL INC	SU	6826.15
DAWSON TIRE & WHEEL	SU	840.34
FASTENAL COMPANY	SE	87.34
GOTHENBURG TIRE	SU	1526
HERSHEY COOP TELEPHONE	SE	79.65
HOME LUMBER & SUPPLY	SE	31.45
IDEAL LINEN/BLUFFS FACILTIY SLTNS	SU	31.69
INLAND TRUCK PARTS CO	SE	1799.05
NE TRUCK CENTER INC	SE	13410.39

NORTH PLATTE HARDWARE LLC	SE	18.19
NORTH PLATTE TELEGRAPH	SE	20.36
PAULSENS INC	SE	2540.76
PRONTO FUEL	SU	4192.94
ROCKMOUNT RESEARCH AND ALLOYS INC	SU	456.24
SCOTTYS INTEGRATED ENTERPRISES LLC	SE	30
SUTHERLAND FARM AND AUTO SUPPLY	SU	302.09
TOXIC GRAPHICS	SU	300.93
TROYER ENTERPRISES	SE	72.47
VILLAGE OF BRADY	SE	103.91
VILLAGE OF HERSHEY	SE	137.84
VILLAGE OF MAXWELL	SE	70
VILLAGE OF WALLACE	SE	25
WESTERN ENGINEERING CO INC	SE	1667890
WPCI	SU	108
KAHIKINA LLC	SE	236799.6

The meeting was adjourned at 10:11 A.M.

Advance notice and the agenda for the November 12, 2024, board meetings were sent to the county board and all others requesting the same. Advance public notice (includes agenda) of the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners meeting and the Lincoln County Board of Equalization meeting was posted at the Lincoln County Courthouse, City Hall, and the Lincoln County website on November 8, 2024; and was also emailed to the media on November 8, 2024.

The agenda for the meetings to be held on Monday, November 18, 2024, will be kept continually current and open for inspection at the office of the Lincoln County Clerk. The regular meeting of the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will be at the Lincoln County Courthouse in the Commissioners Room at 9:00 A.M. The regular meeting of the Lincoln County Board of Equalization will be at the Lincoln County Courthouse in the Commissioners Room at 9:15 A.M.

Rebecca J. Rossell
Lincoln County Clerk