

July 28, 2025
North Platte, Nebraska

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

Chairwoman Wuehler 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 Hewgley, seconded to Wuehler to approve minutes of Lincoln County Board of Commissioners meeting on July 21, 2025. Bruns and Woodruff abstained so the motion did not pass.

Motion by Bruns, seconded by Hewgley to lay the minutes back on the table. Upon roll call vote Bruns, Hewgley, Wuehler, and Woodruff (with reservations) voted "aye". Nays, none. Weems absent.

Motion by Hewgley, seconded by Wuehler to approve the minutes of the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners meeting on July 21, 2025. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Wuehler, Bruns and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Weems absent.

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

Motion by Bruns, seconded by Woodruff to approve the special Designated Liquor Permit submitted by Creative Printers LLC for a wedding reception to be held on September 13, 2025, at The Farmhouse located at 3102 E State Farm Road, North Platte. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Wuehler, Bruns and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Weems absent.

Motion by Woodruff, seconded by Bruns to adopt Resolution No. 2025-15 to update fees for the Lincoln County Planning Commission on the Lincoln County Fee Schedule. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Wuehler, Bruns and Woodruff voted "aye". Nays, none. Weems absent.

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

Chairwoman Wuehler 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 along with County Treasurer, Sheri Newton.



Motion by Hewgley, seconded by Wuehler to approve the minutes regarding the Lincoln County Board of Equalization meeting held on July 21, 2025. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Wuehler, and Bruns voted “aye”. Nays, none. Woodruff abstained. Weems absent.

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

Motion by Hewgley, seconded by Bruns, to accept the letter of late filing of homestead exemption application submitted by Marion E. Reinholdt. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Wuehler, Bruns and Woodruff voted “aye”. Nays, none. Weems absent.

Motion by Bruns, seconded by Woodruff to accept the letter of late filing of homestead exemption application submitted by Patsy A. Marrs. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Wuehler, Bruns and Woodruff voted “aye”. Nays, none. Weems absent.

Motion by Woodruff, seconded by Hewgley to accept the letter of late filing of homestead exemption application submitted by Harold Grandy. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Wuehler, Bruns and Woodruff voted “aye”. Nays, none. Weems absent.

Motion by Hewgley, seconded by Bruns to approve the motor vehicle tax exemption application submitted by North Platte Catholic Schools as recommended for approval by the County Treasurer. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Wuehler, Bruns and Woodruff voted “aye”. Nays, none. Weems absent.

The Lincoln County Board of Equalization adjourned at 9:24 A.M. and the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners reconvened.

Planning Director, Judy Clark, appeared to read the review comments and stated that planning had no objections to the subdivision application.

Motion by Bruns, seconded by Woodruff to approve the application by Randal and Linda Laubner for Laubner Second Administrative Subdivision on property located at 23634 West Suburban Road in a TA-1 Transitional Agricultural District on property described as part of the W ½ of the NE ¼ of Section 13, Township 14 North, Range 33 West of the 6th P.M., Lincoln County, Nebraska. Upon roll call vote Hewgley, Wuehler, Bruns and Woodruff voted “aye”. Nays, none. Weems absent.

Annual presentation by Region II Human Services supporting people with development disabilities. Kylie Joyce of Region II and North Platte Opportunity Center Administrator Tina Gastineau appeared.

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

Lincoln County Commissioners Committee Reports.

Lincoln County Employee Recognition:



Paula Fitzgerald	5 Years
Rebecca Brittenham	5 Years
Jeff Snyder	10 Years
Joe Hewgley	40 Years

Joe Hewgley was honored with several additional awards and a reception for his dedicated service to Lincoln County.

Approve the following claims for payment. Motion carried.

GENERAL		TOTAL
AT&T	se	3092.58
ACME PRNT CO	se	70
AMZN CPTL SERV	su	454.23
A PAWLOSKI	se	95.55
BRRCKMN & BZTA	se	3125
BOB BRKR CO	su	513.92
CPTL BSN	se	1759.09
CRPNTR MEML CHPL	se	1800
CNTRL NE RPRTNG	se	120
CHRM TEX	su	211.6
COHAGEN	se	309.98
CLFR,WD,LYNS & WD	se	1786.9
CLMN SFTWR	se	36
CULLIGAN	se	78.02
DAS ST ACCT	cont	813.06
DR DEBS	se	500
EAKES	su	93.38
EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	eq	352.27
GALLS AN ARMRK CO	su	184.95
GRT PLNS COM	se	284
H MILLER	mi	77
HOME DPT CRD SERV	eq	1329.76
HMTWN LSNG	eq	71.51
NOBELS	se	519
LNCSTR CO	se	1000
LNDMR LAW	se	11044.98
M BELLAMY	se	187.2
MENARDS	se	369.79
MENTZER	su	758.55
NRFLK FIRE DPT	se	11604.46
NP ANML SHLTR	se	385
NP HRDWR	su	1.99

NRTHWSTRN	se	1661.72
OFFICE SRVCS	su	16.9
PTHLGY SRVCS	se	60.32
PEOPLE	su	135
PHYSCNS LAB	se	4900
PTNY BWS RSRV ACCT	se	30000
PLTT VLLY COM	eq	697.5
RAPID FIRE PRTCTN	se	331
REGION II HMN SERV	se	12627.79
SNELLS	se	1147.5
SQRD AWY LSR ENGRVNG	se	122.28
HD SUP	su	89
WLDNGR CORP	su	168.01
U S BANK	su	100
VERIZON	se	59.04
WTHRCRFT	se	3307
ROADS		
ANDRSN & SNS	eq	83.96
BILL SMMRS	re	171.2
CAR QUEST	re	1337.57
CNSLDTD TELE	se	279.13
CROELL	su	496.73
DAWSON PP	se	52.93
FLOYDS	re	43.1
IDEAL LINEN	se	152.72
MNCPL L&W	se	520.68
MURPHY	re	2988.97
NP HRDWR	su	6.19
OREILLY	re	5.48
PAULSENS	su	5399.03
STHRLND F&A	su	57.97
TITAN MACH	eq	831.91
SELF FUNDED INS		
FIRST CONCORD	ins	1324.29

The meeting was adjourned at 10:33 A.M.

Advance notice and the agenda for the July 28, 2025, 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 July 25, 2025; and was also emailed to the media on July 25, 2025.



The agenda for the meetings to be held on Monday, August 4, 2025, 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

