

Garfield County Board Minutes



Garfield County Board of Commissioners Record

Burwell, Garfield County, Nebraska

The Garfield County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, June 25th, 2019 at 1:30 p.m. in the Commissioners Room at the Garfield County Courthouse in Burwell, Nebraska pursuant to public notice posted in three public places & broadcast by KNLV Radio, Ord, NE. Chairman Krause called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. with the following Commissioners present: Krause, Jeffres and Hurlburt.

Motion made by Hurlburt to approve the agenda, second by Jeffres. Aye, all; Nay, none.

Motion made by Jeffres to approve & adopt minutes of last County Commissioners meeting held June 11th, 2019, second by Hurlburt. Aye, all; Nay, none.

In other unfinished business, Chairman Krause addressed the issue of the removal of trees in the right of ways and the need to enforce. Road Superintendent Kinney stated that he will work with County Attorney Crandall to address the issue and draft a notice to be ready at the next meeting. Matter will be added to the July 9th meeting agenda.

County Clerk, Koenigsberg, informed the Board that Tonya Wilson is working on plans to scale for the courthouse restrooms.

Motion made by Krause to approve all claims and payroll submitted for payment for the month of June, second by Hurlburt. Aye, Krause and Hurlburt; Abstained, Jeffres; Nay, none.

Resolution 2019-17; Transfer \$72,000.00 from County General Fund to County Road Fund and \$5,000.00 from County General Fund to Planning/Zoning Fund. Motion made by Jeffres to approve Resolution 2019-17, second by Hurlburt. Aye, all; Nay, none.

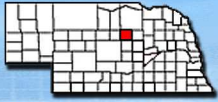
At 1:45 p.m., Chairman Krause directed the meeting to the opening of Gravel Bids. Motion made by Krause to accept the gravel bids, with respect to location, submitted by Emme Sand and Gravel, Ulrich Gravel and Jeffres Sand and Gravel for the 2019-2020 Fiscal Year, second by Hurlburt. Aye, Krause and Hurlburt; Abstained, Jeffres; Nay, none.

County Clerk, Koenigsberg, presented with a letter to withdrawal a TERC appeal and with information on a webinar to be held at the courthouse for Commissioners, Assessors and Clerks on July 11, 2019 at 1:30 p.m. to discuss information on LB512.

County Assessor, Swett, shared information about a GIS flyover. She will gather more information to present at another meeting.

The public hearing scheduled for 1:45 p.m. for Conditional Use Permit-Recreational Use was not held and is rescheduled for 2:00 p.m. on July 9, 2019.

Linda Fryzek, Postmaster for the USPS in Burwell presented with questions and information on the mail route for Cedar River Road. She was requesting a timeframe on when the road might possibly be repaired, otherwise boxes will need to be moved and if over 90 days then they become a permanent location. Kinney stated, "possibly two weeks to a month".



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Gene Zulkoski presented the Board with a request for a culvert to be placed south of his driveway from when it washed out in 2010. Commissioners assured him that there will be a culvert placed. Matter will be added to the July 9th meeting agenda.

At 2:10 p.m., Chairman Krause recessed the regular meeting and opened the Board of Equalization. A report of overvalued, undervalued, clerical error, or omitted real property was presented. Motion by Krause to approve the report as presented, second by Jeffres. Aye, all; Nay, none. At 2:12 p.m., Chairman Krause adjourned the Board of Equalization and reconvened the regular County Commissioners meeting.

Road Superintendent, Gary Kinney, updated the Board with information on the roads, including the federal aid route. Also, he informed the Board that proof of insurance had been received for Dean Copsey and Gene Harris and they have been blading roads and that he will be drafting contracts for them and with truck drivers to haul for the County. Krause stated that he had driven over rutted roads with gravel placed over top and asked how they could be repaired. Kinney stated that straight blading the roads would repair them, but couldn't recall any in the County like that.

The VSO quarterly reports were reviewed. Motion made by Hurlburt to reappoint Randy Johnson to a new 5 year term, second by Jeffres. Aye, all; Nay, none.

With no further business, Chairman Krause adjourned the meeting at 2:40 p.m.

Attest: _____

Keri L. Koenigsberg
Garfield County Clerk

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Scott Krause
Garfield County Board Chairman