



Garfield County Board Minutes



Garfield County Board of Commissioners Record

Burwell, Garfield County, Nebraska

The Garfield County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, April 14th, 2020 at 1:30 p.m. via ZOOM conference call per Governor Ricketts executive order 20-3, permitting state and local governmental boards to meet by videoconference, teleconference, other electronic means through May 31, 2020, 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 pm with the following present via ZOOM videoconference: Commissioners, Krause, Hurlburt, and Jeffres.

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

Motion made by Hurlburt to approve & adopt minutes of last County Commissioners meeting held March 24, 2020, second by Jeffres. Aye, all; Nay, none.

In unfinished business, Krause noted agenda item Zulkoski culvert. Gary Kinney, Road Superintendent stated that he had nothing to report at this time.

At 1:32 p.m., Chairman Krause recessed the regular meeting and opened the Board of Equalization. Tax list corrections 520, 521 and 522. Motion made by Krause to approve tax list corrections as presented, second by Jeffres. Aye, all; Nay, none. At 1:34 p.m., Chairman Krause adjourned the Board of Equalization and reconvened the regular County Commissioners meeting.

The District Court month end report and the Treasurer monthly revenue report were reviewed.

Krause addressed the letter received from the City of Burwell, 'notice of proposed change or termination: Economic Development Director' and noted that it was for information only. No discussion held.

Jimmy Petersen, Garfield County Weed Superintendent, presented with information on the Weed Department. Stated that he has been busy lining up new speakers for the August Continuing Education training due to spring training being canceled due to COVID-19.

Gary Kinney, County Road Superintendent, presented with information on the road department and the current road conditions, including the Cedar River Road report and new culverts are ready to be installed there. Kinney also stated that the new notice for tree cutting/brush removal was sent to the paper for publishing.

Commissioner Jeffres asked about the status of the letter received from the City of Burwell and asked if the County could get some more information on what that involves. Krause referred to the State Auditor's report and brief discussion on the status of the agenda item for the City Council meeting and Attorney Crandall noted that the agenda item had been removed. No further discussion.

With no further business, Chairman Krause adjourned the meeting at 1:42 p.m.

Attest: _____
Keri L. Koenigsberg,
Garfield County Clerk

Attest: _____
Scott L. Krause,
Chairman of the Board