



Garfield County Board Minutes



Garfield County Board of Commissioners Record

Burwell, Garfield County, Nebraska

The Garfield County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, February 23rd, 2021 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 pm with the following present: Commissioners, Krause, Hurlburt, and Jeffres.

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

Motion by Hurlburt to approve & adopt minutes of last County Commissioner meeting held February 9th, 2021, second by Jeffres. Aye, all; Nay, none.

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

Tenise Jarecke, representing the CVB, requested approval for the appointment of Sara Holmquist to the CVB Board to fill a vacancy. Motion made by Jeffres to approve the appointment, second by Hurlburt. Aye, all; Nay, none.

Alma Beland, representing Region 26, presented with a request for a road name change. Motion made by Krause to change 466th Ave to S 8th Ave from Burwell City limits until Highway 96, second by Jeffres. Aye, all; Nay, none.

Jordan Rasmussen, GLW Extension Educator, introduced herself to the Board and discussed a little bit about her role with Rural Prosperity Nebraska.

Motion made by Krause to change the Garfield County Courthouse hours to Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:00 pm. to 4:00 p.m., second by Jeffres. Aye, all; Nay, none.

Chairman Krause stated that Garfield County is in discussion with the City of Burwell about contracting law enforcement.

Judy Petersen, CNEDD Executive Director, presented with information on the CDBG grant and the various forms that need to be signed and approved. Motion made by Hurlburt to approve the following: CDBG Procurement Policy and Code of Conduct, Excessive Force Certification Policy, the appointment of Keri Koenigsberg as the representative for fair housing, Financial Management Certification, General Administrator Letter, Authorization to Request Grant Funds and the Memorandum of Understanding between the State of Nebraska, Department of Economic Development, Garfield County, Nebraska and the Garfield County Frontier Fair Association, second by Krause. Aye, Krause and Hurlburt; Nay, none; Abstained, Jeffres.

Commissioner Hurlburt stated that the grant committee who will open bids received for engineering services on the Fairgrounds project has been decided and will be Jess Helgoth, Tony Larsen, Diana Hurlburt, Judy Peterson, Dale Seidel and Colier Cronk.

Jess Helgoth, Garfield County Frontier Fair Association President, presented with minutes from Fair Association board meeting held February 17, 2021. He also thanked the County Board for the effort put forth with this grant.

Motion made by Krause to approve and authorize the County Treasurer to process ACH payments, second by Hurlburt. Aye, all; Nay, none.

Gary Kinney, County Road Superintendent, updated on various projects for the Road Department.

Jimmy Petersen, County Weed Superintendent, updated the Board with information on the Weed Department.



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With no further business, Chairman Krause adjourned the meeting at 2:35 p.m.

Attest: _____
Keri L. Koenigsberg,
Garfield County Clerk

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