

Garfield County Board of Commissioners Record

Burwell, Garfield County, Nebraska

The Garfield County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, August 26th, 2025, 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. Chairman Zulkoski called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. with the following present: Commissioners, Zulkoski, Hurlburt, and Krause.

Motion made by Krause to approve the agenda, second by Hurlburt. Roll call vote: Aye, all; Nay, none.

Motion made by Hurlburt to approve & adopt minutes of the last County Commissioners meeting held August 12, 2025, second by Krause. Roll call vote: Aye, all; Nay, none.

Review of the 2025-2026 Fiscal year was held.

Discussion was held on the agreement with SWMA. County Attorney Sikyta was going to look into further and the item was tabled until next regular meeting.

No public comments.

Highway Road Superintendent, Gary Kinney, presented with Road department updates.

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Resolution 2025-14; Signing of County Annual Certification of Program Compliance. Motion made by Krause to approve Resolution 2025-14, second by Hurlburt. Aye, all; Nay, none. The certification of program compliance to Nebraska Board of Public Roads Classification was signed by Chairman Zulkoski.

Discussion was held over the recycling trailer and the cost of hauling the trailer to Custer County Recycling. The County currently pays \$.70/mile and \$100/trip in addition to the \$.02/lb for recycling. No action taken and item tabled to next regular meeting.

Motion made by Hurlburt to approve payroll and claims for the month of August, second by Zulkoski. Aye, all; Nay, none.

Motion made by Krause to approve the SDL for Caleb Pollard with Kamp Kaleo Junk Jaunt Jamboree, second by Zulkoski. Aye, all; Nay, none.

County Inventories for fiscal year 2025-2026 were reviewed as submitted. Motion made by Hurlburt to approve the inventories, second by Krause. Aye, all; Nay, none.

Sheriff Cox presented information on Law Enforcement in Garfield County and that he recently submitted information for a grant to the NDOT for the additional law enforcement hired during the week of rodeo.

Motion made by Hurlburt to enter into closed session to discuss employee personnel matters, second by Zulkoski. Aye, all; Nay, none. At 3:55 p.m. Chairman Zulkoski cleared the room for the closed session. Those in attendance were members of the board and County Attorney Sikyta. Motion made by Hurlburt to leave closed session and return to regular meeting, second

by Zulkoski. Aye, all; Nay, none. At 4: 25 p.m. Chairman Zulkoski reconvened the regular meeting with no action taken as a result of the closed session.

Motion made by Hurlburt to adjourn the meeting, second by Zulkoski. With no further business, Chairman Zulkoski adjourned the meeting at 4:26 p.m.

Attest: _____
Keri L. Koenigsberg,
Garfield County Clerk

Attest: _____
Jerome Zulkoski,
Chairman of the Board