

Greeley County Board Minutes



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The Greeley County Board of Commissioners convened in open and public session at 1:00 p.m. on the 9th day of January 2018 in the Boardroom, Greeley County Courthouse. Notice of the meeting was given by publication in the Greeley Citizen.

Answering present at Roll Call were Michael Goldfish, Doug Wrede and Joe Leslie. Also present was County Attorney Cindy Bassett and County Clerk Mindy Grossart. Goldfish stated a current copy of the Open Meetings Act is posted on the south wall of the boardroom and copies are available for the public if requested. Everyone present joined in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The meeting was then turned over to the County Clerk. Mindy Grossart County Clerk acting as temporary Chairman asked for nominations for a 2018 County Board Chairman, Leslie moved to nominate Michael Goldfish as Chairman for 2018, second by Wrede. Roll Call Vote: Leslie yes, Wrede yes, Goldfish abstain, motion carried. Chairman Goldfish thanked the board and then asked for nominations for Vice-Chairman for 2018. Motion made by Leslie to nominate Doug Wrede, second by Goldfish. Roll Call Vote: Leslie yes, Goldfish yes, Wrede abstain, motion carried.

Motion was made by Wrede to waive the reading and approve the county board minutes from the December 26, 2017 meeting, second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

County payroll and vendor claims were reviewed by the board. Motion made by Leslie to approve payroll and claims, second by Wrede. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. GENERAL: Appeara supplies/service 42.50, Cindy Bassett reimbursement 250., Black Hills Energy service 1,952.17, Blue360 Media supplies 265.81, Center Cable service 97.63, Comfort Inn lodging 989.55, Community Builders & Home Center supplies 308.25, Country Market supplies 45.73, Country Partners fuel 131.09, DAS State Accounting service 331.04, Des Moines Stamp MFG. Co supplies 136.55, Frontier service 1,809.06, Greeley Citizen publishing 177.65, Greeley County Assessor postage 164.56, Greeley County Attorney Expense Account postage 71.11, Heros EMS supplies 150., Holiday Inn lodging 1,209.45, Howard County Clerk 8th Dist. Expenses 1,331.42, Howard/Greeley RPPD service 323.74, K&S Welding & Repair service 71.30, Kraus Repair & Tree Cutting parts/service 650., Joe Leslie mileage 199.02, Deanna Lindsley service 300., Debra Lyions service 300., MCI service 43.38, Microfilm Imaging Systems service 40., Mid-American Benefits service 935.62, Mid-Nebraska Disposal service 630.10, MIPS service/supplies 2,506.84, NE Clerks of District Court Association dues 50., Nebraska Health & Human Services service 93., OfficeNet supplies 311.21, People's Service fuel/tires 352.36, Peterson Legal Services, P.C. court appointed counsel 430., Postmaster postage 166., R & R Pump fuel 35.20, Region 26 Council service 12,307.95, Region 3 Behavioral Health Services service 1,531.25, Tommy-Rene Printers publishing 40.50, Trotters Whoa & Go II Scotia fuel 341.07, Franz Trumler phone reimbursement/mileage 78.50, US Cellular service 250.22, Valley County Sheriff service 300., Village of Greeley service 58.75, Vision Service Plan service 408.40, Wroblewski & Gawrych Law Office court appointed counsel 549.99. ROAD: Appeara service/supplies 157.92, Black Hills Energy service 1,158.47, Bomgaars Supply supplies 63.44, Community Builders & Home Center supplies 151.70, Corner Garage tires/oil 412., Country Partners fuel/parts 6,751.07, Filter Care of NE parts 42.75, Frontier service 87.74, Green Line Equipment supplies 32.30, Grossarts service 26.50, Hansen International Truck parts 65.46, Hillbill's Diesel supplies 142.43, Howard/Greeley RPPD service 332.52, Island Supply Welding Company supplies 18.60, K &



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S Welding & Repair tire repair/labor 225., Matheson Tri-Gas supplies 102.40, Mid-Nebraska Disposal service 38.30, Midwest Service & Sales culverts/pilings/materials 27,841.02, Miller Power Sports fuel 244.20, Molt Mfg. labor/steel 304., Murphy Tractor & Equip. parts/labor 2,235.61, Nebraska Machinery Company parts 39.63, Nebraska Truck Center fuel additive 227.28, Oak Creek Engineering service 3,053.10, The Parts Bin-Ord fuel additive 87.85, The Parts Bin-St. Paul parts/supplies 214.41, People's Service oil/tire repair 3,509.85, Pyled-Up Trucking service 1,902.30, Roaches Lumber & Redi-mix materials 170.24, Spalding Farm & Home supplies 57.66, State of Nebraska Motor Fuel Division fuel tax 649., Tri-County Sand & Gravel gravel 1,698.54, Trotter Truck Plaza tire repair 126., Trotters Whoa & Go II Scotia fuel 137.10, Ulrich Gravel gravel 3,912.15, Valley Auto Parts parts 105.97, Village of Greeley service 37.50, Village of Scotia service 79.85, Village of Spalding service 69.88, Wayne Killinger Welding labor/steel 32.70, James Wilford storage 50. GENERAL FUND: Salaries, 23,581.43, EFTPS Matching SS, 1,804.00, Ameritas Life Ins Corp, Matching County Retirement, 1,623.03, Blue Cross Blue Shield, 18,535.04, ROAD FUND: Salaries, 8,442.62, EFTPS Matching SS, 645.86, Ameritas Life Ins Corp, Matching County Retirement, 569.88.

Monthly reports were reviewed from the Clerk, Clerk of the District Court, Sheriff, Treasurer and Veteran Service Officer. Motion made by Wrede, second by Leslie to approve the reports. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Leslie moved to set the county board meetings for the second and last Tuesday of every month at 1:00 p.m. unless otherwise advertised, second by Wrede. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Motion by Wrede to designate the Greeley Citizen as the Official County newspaper for 2018, second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. The Greeley County website (www.greeleycounty.ne.gov) is declared as an official means of publication, Motion was made by Leslie, second by Wrede to remain on the same boards Greeley County is associated with for 2018. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Wrede moved to appoint Christopher Hayes as the County Surveyor, second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Motion made by Wrede to appoint Janet Wood as the County School Supt, second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Leslie moved to appoint Mark Bauer as the Emergency Manager, second by Wrede. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Motion by Leslie to appoint Lance Harter as Highway Superintendent, second by Wrede. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Motion by Wrede to appoint Franz Trumler as Planning & Zoning Administrator: in addition to his monthly salary Franz will receive \$25.00 phone reimbursement monthly, second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Motion made by Leslie to appoint Walter Bjorklund as Weed Superintendent, second by Wrede. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Leslie moved to approve the following banks as depositories for the year 2018: First National Bank, State Bank of Scotia, Citizen's State Bank, Homestead Bank, Nebraska Public Agency Investment Trust, Henderson State Bank and to authorize the County Treasurer to invest idle funds appropriately, second by Wrede. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

The County Mileage reimbursement rate is set at 54.5¢ according to Section 81-1176 effective January 1, 2018 subject to change if the government adjusts the rate. The Sheriff's Department is entitled to charge an additional 3¢ if serving papers.



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Motion made by Wrede to appoint a physician from the Howard County Medical Center as the County Doctor, second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Motion made by Leslie to set the County burial policy as follows: the County will pay \$1,500.00 for a casket burial or \$1,000.00 for cremation. Any and all resources such as savings and checking accounts, cash on hand, insurance, and any funeral benefit through Social Security or other sources are to be applied against the county funeral allowance, second by Wrede. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

All contractors will file proof of liability insurance with the County Clerk prior to any work being done.

The County Officials rate salary was set in Resolution dated December 26, 2017. County Assessor Deputy, Clerk Deputy and Treasurer Deputy are set at 75% of the official's salary. Motion by Wrede to approve a 3% increase for the list of salary and hourly employees, second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Wrede moved to approve the 2018 official holidays as set by State Statute 25-2221, second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Holiday, vacation & sick leave for the road employees as follows: Each full time employee to receive ten days a year vacation, ten days a year sick leave and the legal holidays as authorized by statute 25-221. Road employees working full time for twenty years plus shall receive an additional five days of vacation per year. Unused vacation time can be carried over to the next year. Sick leave cannot be carried over but can be donated to the sick leave bank.

Motion by Wrede to adjourn at 2:15 p.m., second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Dated this 12th day of January, 2018.

Michael Goldfish, Chairman

ATTEST:

Mindy A. Grossart Greeley County Clerk