Greeley County Commissioner Minutes March 11, 2025

The Greeley County Board of Commissioners of Greeley County, Nebraska met in regular session at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, March 11, 2025, in the County Commissioners Room, Courthouse, Greeley Nebraska. Notice of the meeting was given by publication in the Cedar Valley News.

Jordan Foltz, chairman called the meeting to order at 9: 30.a.m. and the Commissioners present for roll call were: Jordan Foltz, Joe Leslie, and Dennis Wadsworth. Also present was County Attorney Cindy Bassett, Deputy County Clerk Patty Bauer. Chairman Foltz stated a current copy of the Open Meetings Act is posted and copies were available for the public if requested. Chairman Foltz asked all present to join in the Pledge of Allegiance.

New or Unfinished Business discussed was: Culverts by Hamers, Pulling of trees west of town.

A motion was made by Leslie to waive the reading and approve the county board minutes from February 25, 2025, meeting, second by Wadsworth. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Monthly reports for the Clerk, Clerk of the District Court, Sheriff, and Treasurer were reviewed by the board. Motion by Wadsworth to approve the monthly reports, second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Leslie moved to approve the vendor claims, second by Wadsworth. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. GENERAL: Amazon Business office supply/office equip.329.41, Appeara towel/janitor 140.40, Applied Connective Technologies office supply/comp. consult 3,321.84, Cindy Bassett office supply 11.97, Gerri Behnk mileage reimb. 72.80, Black Hills Energy heat service 1,637.52, Bloom Repair vehicle repair 7,158.55, Boone County veteran agreement 2,405., Cardio Partners aed pads 64., Central Community College medical training 150., Central Nebraska Attorneys crt. app. Attorney 412.50, Clearfly internet/phone 755.25, Country Market janitor supply/meals/supplies 472.04, Country Partners sheriff fuel 280.72, DAS State Acctg. – Central Finance data processing 206.75, Eakes Office Solutions data processing 643.05, First Concord Benefits Group testing fee/bc/bs contribution/and fee 5,013.53, First National Bank data processing 33.90, Margaret Freeman prior service 13., Galls shipping label 7.99, Great Plains Communications phone service 250., Greeley County Clerk office supply 27., Greeley County Clerk equip/supplies 108.44, Greeley County Clerk of Dist. Court district court costs 36., Grossarts janitor supply 32.98, Harouff Law crt. appt. attorney 735., Hometown Leasing copier leases 280.72, Howard/Greeley RPPD electric service 283.43, Marvin Planning Consultants consult fees 2,350., Maverick Truck Stop/ Whoa & Go Burwell sheriff fuel 60.08, Rebecca McCracken transcribed 127.10, Joseph McNally special attorney fee 1,073., Microfilm Imaging Systems rental fee 40., Mid-Nebraska Disposal garbage hauling 747.50, Mid-States Org Crime Info Center member fees 100., MIPS data processing 2,057.87, Charlotte Murphy prior service 21., NACEB-NE dues 25., Nebraska Health & Human Services institution costs 84., Nebraska

Supreme Court contract magistrate salary 4,320.56, People's Service oil change/fuel sheriff 423.77, Peterson Legal Services crt. appt. attorney 737.50, Phonograph-Herald print/publish 52.50, Pitzer Digital print/publish 616.12, Safariland uniform allowance sheriff 785.86, Sirchie Acquisition Co. law enforcement supply 99.78, State of Nebraska Dept. of Corrections inmate keep/prisoner medical 3,017.87, Stealth Broadband internet 65., Stevens Medical Clinic inmate medical 406., Streicher's ammunition 572.99, Catherine Sweeney prior service 10., Trotter Whoa & Go IV Ord sheriff fuel 170.61, Trotters Whoa & Go II Scotia sheriff fuel 443.95, Verizon Wireless phone service 120.03, Village of Greeley water service 217.25, Vision Service Plan vision insurance 440.97, Yosten Law crt. appt. attorney 890. ROAD: AKRS Equipment shop supplies/parts 41.13, Appeara uniform/towel service 426.23, Barco Municipal Products signs 150.60, Black Hills Energy heat service 1,265.79, Bomgaars Supply shop supplies 5.94, Cintas shop supplies 167.74, Corner Garage grease/oil/parts 213., Country Market supplies 12.99, Country Partners fuel/shop supplies 6,291.79, Criss Co misc. labor/building repair 158.75, Farritor Auto Parts repair parts 375., Filter Care of Nebraska parts 42.40, Grossarts shop supplies/pipes/bolts 151.92, Hamilton phone/internet 101.24, Hillbill's Diesel, Ag & Auto parts 288.62, Howard/Greeley RPPD light service 436.01, Island Supply Welding Company oxygen/acetylene 17.92, K & S Welding and Repair parts/labor 113., McManus Dirt Work machine hire 46,500., Mid-Nebraska Disposal garbage disposal 46.20, Miller Power Sports fuel/shop supplies 397.41, Nebraska Machinery Company parts 191.07, Nebraska Truck Center parts 270.41, Oak Creek Engineering inspection fee 4,375., Parts Bin – Ord shop supplies/grease, oil 261.53, Parts Bin – St. Paul shop supplies/parts 219.66, People's Service fuel/tire repair/labor 343.39, R & R Pump fuel 392.11, Spalding Farm & Home shop supplies 20.77, Swiatek Collision Center parts/labor 356., Valley Auto Parts repair parts 2.45, Village of Greeley water service 71., Village of Scotia water/sew/garbage 65.10, Village of Spalding light service 196.98, James Wilford storage fee 50. GENERAL FUND: Salaries, 34,810.46, EFTPS Matching SS, 2,663.03 Ameritas Life Ins. Corp, Matching County Retirement, 2,378.89, Blue Cross Blue Shield, 19,867.90, ROAD FUND: Salaries, 13,479.03, EFTPS Matching SS., 1031.16, Ameritas Life Ins. Corp, Matching County Retirement, 909.83.

Mary McGuire presented the 2025 Tax Sale Report. Information only.

Lance Harder and Issac Hansen, from Oak Creek Engineering, met with the board to discuss 2024 Bridge Inspection Report and scour report. Also discussed culvert replacement near Hamers. Lance Harder discussed the request to vacate a road in Section 9 and also a part in Section 10. Leslie made a motion for Oak Creek Engineering to do a Road Closure study on Section 9 and 10, with Wadsworth seconded the motion. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. Lance also talked about the Environmental study that was done associated with FEMA items.

Sheriff Deaver has no updates at this time but would like to have an executive session concerning courthouse security.

Public Comment: Marvin Hughes expressed he didn't understand the updated Next Era Agreement that was in the paper. He thought the Agreement a year ago was precise.

Wadsworth moved to enter executive session at 9:53 am for the purpose of discussion of courthouse security, second by Leslie. Commissioners Foltz, Leslie, Wadsworth, County Attorney Cindy Bassett, Sheriff Paul Deaver were present. Motion made by Wadsworth to exit executive session at 10:21 a.m., second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Leslie moved to enter second executive session at 10:23 am for the purpose of discussion of possible litigation, second by Wadsworth. Commissions Foltz, Leslie, Wadsworth, County Attorney Cindy Bassett, and Sheriff Paul Deaver were present. Motion by Wadsworth to exit executive session at 10:52 a.m., second by Leslie. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Motion made by Leslie to adjourn the Board meeting at 10:55 a.m., second by Wadsworth. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Dated this 11th day of March 2025.

Jordan Foltz, Chairman

ATTEST:
Patty A. Bauer
Greeley County Clerk Deputy