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CHADRON, NEBRASKA
December 11, 2018
DAWES COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

The Public convened meeting of the Dawes County Board of Equalization in regular session was commenced at the hour of 9:06 A.M. on the 11th day of December, 2018 and published pursuant to public notice as required by law and or posted. The meeting was called to order by Commissioner Stewart. Roll was called and the following Commissioners were present: Commissioners Stewart, Johnson and Rivera. Also present was Cheryl Feist, Dawes County Clerk; Adam Edmund, Deputy County Attorney; Mark Betson and Jerry Shuhmacher. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by those present. Per LB 898 the Chairman announced the location of posted information concerning the Open Meetings Act. Copies of the Act are available upon request by anyone attending the meeting. Motion by Johnson, seconded by Rivera, approving the Agenda. Roll call vote, Ayes: Johnson, Rivera and Stewart. Nays: None. Motion carried. Motion by Johnson, seconded by Rivera, approving the November 13, 2018 minutes as published. Roll call vote, Ayes: Rivera, Stewart and Johnson. Nays: None. Motion carried. No correspondence or tax corrections were received.

There being no further business to be conducted by the Dawes County Board of Equalization the Chairman adjourned the meeting at 9:08 A.M. The next meeting will be held on January 08, 2019 at 9:00 A.M. A current Agenda to the Board of Equalization proceedings is kept on file in the County Clerk's office during normal business hours for inspection, but the Agenda will close by 12:00 P.M. on Thursday, January 03, 2019. The Agenda may be modified to include items of emergency nature. The meetings of the Dawes County Board of Equalization are open to the public.

Disclaimer: A complete text of all resolutions passed by the Board of Equalization is available upon request in the County Clerk's office during normal business hours.

ATTEST: _____
CHERYL FEIST
DAWES COUNTY CLERK

**DAWES COUNTY BOARD OF
EQUALIZATION**

CHADRON, NEBRASKA
December 11, 2018
DAWES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The Public convened meeting of the Dawes County Commissioners in regular session was commenced at the hour of 9:09 A.M. on the 11th day of December, 2018 pursuant to public notice as required by law. The meeting was called to order by Commissioner Stewart. Roll was called and the following Commissioners were present: Commissioners Stewart, Johnson and Rivera. Also present was Cheryl Feist, Dawes County Clerk; Adam Edmund, Deputy County Attorney; Mark Betson and Jerry Schuhmacher. Per LB 898 the Chairman announced the location of posted information concerning the Open Meetings Act. Copies of the Act are available upon request by anyone attending the meeting. Motion by Commissioner Rivera, seconded by Johnson, approving the Agenda. Roll call vote, Ayes: Johnson, Rivera and Stewart. Nays: None. Motion carried. Motion by Commissioner Rivera, seconded by Johnson, approving the minutes of the November 27, 2018 meeting as recorded. Roll call vote, Ayes: Rivera and Johnson with Stewart abstaining from the vote. Nays: None. Motion carried. Claims were reviewed. Motion by Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Stewart, approving claim #'s 18120056 in the amount of \$720.76 and #18120088 in the amount of \$9392.89 both payable to River A Holdings. Roll call vote, Ayes: Stewart and Johnson with Rivera abstaining from the vote. Nays: None. Motion carried. Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Rivera, moved to approve the remaining claims as presented. Roll call vote, Ayes: Johnson, Rivera and Stewart. Nays: None. Motion carried. Public Comment ensued with Mark Betson reporting Dawes County made State news as the County was one (1) of eight (8) counties

who voted yes on the amendment for Medicaid expansion. Commissioner Stewart also commented Dawes County had a significant Voter turnout in the 2018 General Election. Jerry Schuhmacher discussed concerns with secret ballots. Discussion ensued. No bids were received for the communications equipment. The Board reviewed a letter from the Veterans Service Office indicating there is an opening on the Veteran's Board. Alan Connell has expressed an interest in continuing service on this Board. Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Rivera, moved to reappoint Alan Connell to the Veteran's Service Board. Roll call vote, Ayes: Rivera, Stewart and Johnson. Nays: None. Motion carried. 2019 Commissioner meeting dates were discussed. Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Rivera, moved to change the December 31, 2019 meeting to December 30, 2019 due to the Holiday. Roll call vote, Ayes: Stewart, Johnson and Rivera. Nays: None. Motion carried. John Axtell, KCSR, joined the meeting.

At 9:51 A.M. Larry Hankin, Highway Superintendent, met with the Board. Road updates commenced to wit: All Districts plowing snow. District 1 is blading on Deadhorse Road, hauling to Beaver Valley with Flag Butte scheduled for next week. Both Egan projects are done. District's 2 & 3 are plowing snow and doing equipment maintenance. District 3 is finishing up Faulk Road. Crushing will begin at the Eleson pit. Crews are setting up the rented screener and impact crusher. Kerri Rempp, The Chadron Record, joined the meeting. The West Dakota Junction Road Bridge project was discussed. Mr. Hankin reported a recommendation was made to award the bid to Norfolk Contracting. Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Rivera, moved to award the project to Norfolk Contracting in the amount of \$159,675.00. Roll call vote, Ayes: Rivera, Stewart and Johnson. Nays: None. Motion carried. Mark Betson asked about culverts/overflows in the project area. The 2018 Highway Incentive/Certification was reviewed. Commissioner Rivera, seconded by Johnson, moved to direct the Chairman to sign the certification. Roll call vote, Ayes: Rivera, Stewart and Johnson. Nays: None. Motion carried. Commissioner Stewart noted for the record Mr. Hankin has a Class A License so this allows more money to come in from the State. The Board recessed at 10:10 A.M. and reconvened to regular session at 10:15 A.M.

At 10:16 A.M. Lindy Coleman, Assessor, joined the meeting. Discussion ensued re: planning/zoning on new homes built on minimum maintenance roads. The County would be responsible for these roads. Guidelines need to be set between the County and the individual building on these roads. Ms. Coleman reported the Zoning Board is in the process of updating zoning regulations. She suggested a clause be added whereby individual, not county, be responsible for maintaining their minimum maintenance road. She doesn't want to issue conditional use permits due to the work involved. Jerry Shuhmacher indicated for the record regardless, clear objectives/definitions will be necessary. This topic will be added to the January 16, 2019 Zoning Board agenda for discussion and direction.

At 10:49 A.M. Dr. Caroline Winchester, Chadron Public Schools, met with the Board. She presented the 2019 Juvenile Justice Grant application and a MOU between Chadron Public Schools and Dawes County. Commissioner Stewart read aloud the MOU (Memorandum of Understanding). Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Rivera, moved to direct the Chairman to sign both the MOU and 2019 Juvenile Justice Grant in the amount of \$29,645.00. Roll call vote, Ayes: Stewart, Johnson and Rivera. Nays: None. Motion carried.

At 11:10 A.M. Luke Peebles, APHIS, introduced himself as the new predator control officer for Dawes County. Mr. Peebles replaces Don Fryda who recently retired. He reported Don Fryda has been a huge asset in learning responsibilities of the position.

At 11:16 A.M. there being no further business before the Board, the Chairman adjourned the meeting. The next meeting of the Dawes County Commissioners will be December 27, 2018 beginning at 9:00 A.M. The meeting will be held in the Commissioner room located at the Courthouse. A current agenda is available at the Clerk's Office during normal business hours but will close at 12:00 P.M., December 20, 2018. **Disclaimer: A complete text of all resolutions passed by the Board is available upon request in the County Clerk's office during normal business hours.**

ATTEST: _____
Cheryl Feist
Dawes County Clerk

DAWES COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

December 11, 2018 the following claims were audited, allowed and warrant orders drawn on the respective accounts: Key for claims: 100=General Fund; 200=Roads Fund; 650=Hwy Bridge Buyback Program Fund; 990=Visitor's Fund; 1100=Reappraisal Fund; 1150=Preservation & Modernization Fund; 1900=Veterans Aid Fund; 2360=Drug Fund; 2500=Grants Fund; 2700=Inheritance Fund; 2910-911=Emergency Communications; 2913=Wireless Communications; 4000=Courthouse Bond Payment Fund.

FUND	NAME	TOTCLAIMS
100	AFLAC	\$1,471.24
100	AMERITAS LIFE INSURANCE CORP	\$9,236.01
100	ARROW BUILDING CENTER	\$120.08
100	BIG BAT'S LLC-SHERIFF	\$1,134.42
100	BIG BAT'S SHELL-VETERANS	\$274.94
100	BLUE CROSS & BLUE SHIELD OF NE	\$34,407.81
100	CENTURY BUSINESS PRODUCTS INC	\$35.00
100	CENTURYLINK	\$1,118.60
100	CHADRON ACE HARDWARE	\$1,100.61
100	REBECCA CHASEK DBA DOUGLAS,KELLY	\$1,389.00
100	CITY OF CHADRON	\$450.78
100	CRAWFORD CLIPPER/HARRISON SUN	\$267.60
100	CVSOAN TREASURER	\$60.00
100	D&S MARKET,LLC	\$1,557.81
100	DAS STATE ACCOUNTING	\$202.93
100	DAWES COUNTY TREASURER	\$612.00
100	DOUGLAS,KELLY,OSTDIEK,OSSIAN,BRODER	\$2,493.00
100	DIXIE EATON	\$25.00
100	FIRE & ICE MECHANICAL	\$291.42
100	FIRST BANKCARD/PUBLIC DEFENDER	\$161.22
100	FIRST BANKCARD/WEED DEPT	\$99.14
100	FIRST NATIONAL BANK, NORTH PLATTE	\$14,285.19
100	FP MAILING SOLUTIONS	\$110.85
100	JAMIE GOFFENA	\$170.19
100	GRANT-MILLER COMMUNICATIONS,INC	\$199.13
100	GREAT PLAINS COMMUNICATIONS	\$446.79
100	GRP & ASSOCIATES,INC	\$44.00
100	HILLS TIRE & SUPPLY	\$333.95
100	IDEAL LINEN SUPPLY,INC	\$121.08
100	VICTOR KING	\$200.00
100	MADISON NATIONAL LIFE	\$81.30
100	MANNA SYSTEMS AND CONSULTING	\$144.00
100	MIDWEST CONNECT,LLC	\$71.00
100	MIDWEST SPECIAL SERVICES	\$1,038.75
100	MIPS INC	\$3,241.78
100	MOBIUS COMMUNICATIONS	\$264.89
100	NACO	\$1,307.16
100	NACVSO TREASURER	\$50.00
100	NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	\$1,513.42
100	NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF	\$25.00

	REVENUE/LEVY	
100	NEBRASKA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION	\$240.00
100	NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFICE/CLERK	\$41.96
100	NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFICE/CO ATTORNEY	\$140.52
100	NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFICE/COUNTY COURT	\$51.62
100	NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFICE/DISTRICT CT	\$11.67
100	NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFICE/WEED DEPT	\$166.52
100	NEBRASKA WEED CONTROL ASSOCIATION	\$210.00
100	NEBRASKALAND TIRE	\$405.74
100	OFFICE DEPOT CREDIT PLAN	\$158.17
100	JAMES OSBURN	\$579.20
100	PRIDE	\$50.00
100	QUALITY TIRE	\$44.00
100	RAPID CITY JOURNAL-WEBSITE	\$99.00
100	RAPID CITY JOURNAL/COMMISSIONERS	\$194.76
100	RAPID CITY JOURNAL/WEED	\$122.93
100	RIVER A HOLDING LLC	\$720.76
100	SADDLE ROCK ONE STOP	\$860.83
100	SHELL FLEET PLUS-SHERIFF	\$77.98
100	TRANSUNION RISK AND ALTERNATIVE	\$25.00
100	UNIVERSITY OF NE-LINCOLN CAR RENTAL	\$293.82
100	VERIZON WIRELESS/COUNTY ATTORNEY	\$103.30
100	VERIZON WIRELESS/E911	\$159.31
100	VSP VISION PLAN	\$228.85
100	WALMART COMMUNITY/CLERK	\$126.35
100	WESTERN COMMUNICATIONS, INC	\$462.50
200	AFLAC	\$264.41
200	JARROD ALLEN	\$999.93
200	AMERITAS LIFE INSURANCE CORP	\$1,331.88
200	BIERSCHBACH EQUIPMENT & SUPPLY,INC	\$318.00
200	BLUE CROSS & BLUE SHIELD OF NE	\$2,477.87
200	BUTLER MACHINERY COMPANY	\$82.36
200	CENTURYLINK	\$144.24
200	CITY OF CHADRON	\$116.75
200	CITY OF CRAWFORD	\$114.86
200	COE ENGINEERING	\$1,960.00
200	CONSTRUCTION TRAILER SPECIALISTS	\$116.91
200	CONTRACTORS MATERIALS	\$446.10
200	CRAWFORD CLIPPER/HARRISON SUN	\$90.02
200	DAWES COUNTY TREASURER	\$55.00
200	FIRST BANKCARD/LARRY HANKIN	\$121.32
200	FIRST NATIONAL BANK, NORTH PLATTE	\$3,736.25
200	H&H SANITATION AND RECYCLING,INC	\$53.50
200	HERREN BROTHERS TRUE VALUE	\$29.46
200	MATHESON LINWELD INC	\$31.80
200	MOBIUS COMMUNICATIONS	\$38.10
200	NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	\$762.39

200	RDO TRUCK CENTER	\$72.88
200	RIVER A HOLDING LLC	\$9,392.89
200	SIMON CONTRACTORS OF SOUTH DAKOTA	\$65,370.01
200	SKEETERS AUTO PARTS INC	\$1,566.14
200	VERIZON WIRELESS/ROADS	\$225.39
200	VSP VISION PLAN	\$124.39
990	AFLAC	\$39.78
990	AMERITAS LIFE INSURANCE CORP	\$68.27
990	BLUE CROSS & BLUE SHIELD OF NE	\$98.11
990	CHADRON COMMUNITY RECREATION	\$961.00
990	CRAWFORD AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE	\$1,000.00
990	FIRST BANKCARD/TOURISM	\$358.41
990	FIRST NATIONAL BANK, NORTH PLATTE	\$193.16
990	NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	\$39.23
990	NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFICE/TOURISM	\$143.88
990	NEBRASKALAND MAGAZINE	\$300.00
990	RAPID CITY JOURNAL/VISITOR PROMO	\$4.05
990	VSP VISION PLAN	\$8.78
995	CHADRON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE	\$3,750.00
995	FIRST BANKCARD/TOURISM	\$66.97
995	MILES PARTNERSHIP, LLLP	\$3,000.00
2500	CHADRON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$3,039.84
2700	CRITES, SHAFFER, CONNEALY, WATSON, HARF	\$473.76
2910	USDA FOREST SERVICE	\$574.40
2910	WESTERN COMMUNICATIONS, INC	\$890.00