

CHADRON, NEBRASKA

June 22, 2021

DAWES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The Public convened meeting of the Dawes County Commissioners in regular session was commenced at the hour of 9:00 A.M. on the 22nd day of June, 2021 pursuant to public notice as required by law. The meeting was called to order by Chairman, Jake Stewart. Board Members present were Vic Rivera and Levi Grant. Also present was Cheryl Feist, Dawes County Clerk; Adam Edmund, Deputy County Attorney; Wade Yada, Highway Superintendent; Gary Fisher and Mark Betson. Per LB 898, Commissioner Stewart announced posted information concerning the Open Meetings Act is located on the door in the Commissioner Room by the United States Flag. Copies of the Act are available upon request by anyone attending the meeting. Motion by Commissioner Grant, seconded by Rivera to approve the agenda noting the cancellation of Jerry Feist's appointment and moving the closure of Fund 2525 to the new fiscal year. Roll call vote, Ayes: Rivera, Grant and Stewart. Nays: None. Motion carried. Motion by Commissioner Rivera, seconded by Grant to approve the minutes of the June 07, 2021 meeting as published. Roll call vote, Ayes: Grant, Stewart and Rivera. Nays: None. Motion carried. Claims were reviewed. Motion by Commissioner Grant, seconded by Rivera to approve the claims as presented with the exception of claim #21060229 in the total amount of \$3714 payable to River A Holdings. Roll call vote, Ayes: Stewart, Rivera and Grant. Nays: None. Motion carried. Commissioner Stewart, seconded by Grant, moved to pay claim #21060229 in the total amount of \$3714.00 payable to River A Holdings. Roll call vote, Ayes: Grant and Stewart with Rivera abstaining from the vote. Nays: None. Motion carried. Robert Pickering joined the meeting. There wasn't any Correspondence so the Chairman opened Public Comment. There wasn't any public comment. Board Reports ensued to wit: **Grant:** Area Aging is recovering from COVID and will hire one (1) individual to administer the American Rescue Plan for several counties; PADD was business as usual and OHD took care of end of the year business and a performance review was conducted. **Rivera:** Region 1 is experiencing problems with membership not showing for meetings. There was a director's report and monthly finances were reviewed. Kami Wills joined the meeting. **Stewart:** NCAP did an evaluation of the CEO, Karen Eisenbarth and Dawes County CDBG refunding projects have started; Region 23 and SWANN didn't meet; NNDC will be meeting soon. Commissioner Stewart also reported on the NACO County Board workshop he attended in Kearney, Nebraska. NACO is strongly recommending counties put the American Rescue Funding into an interest-bearing account upon receipt and don't spend until such time final regulations for spending are finalized. Other seminars attended by Commissioner Stewart included Employment Law, NE. Department of Economic Development, Broadband services, wind power, cyber security, mental health and re-districting. Commissioner Stewart also shared legislative bills passed, in committee or will go onto the 2022 legislative session. He encouraged Board members to contact their Senator with concerns. In other business the Board reviewed and approved by general consent all monthly fee/mileage reports of the various departments. Resolution No. 2021-17 was introduced by Commissioner Rivera, seconded by Grant, indicating the negative impact the 30x30 Land Grab will have on Dawes County. Roll call vote, Ayes: Stewart, Rivera and Grant. Nays: None. Motion carried. Mark Betson asked if Sioux County has adopted the 30x30 Land Grab resolution. Adam Edmund indicated yes. Discussion ensued regarding the resolution adopted by the Board. The Board recessed at 10:05 A.M. and reconvened to regular session at 10:10 A.M.

At 10:10 Commissioner Rivera, seconded by Grant, moved to enter executive session regarding personnel. Roll call vote, Ayes: Rivera, Grant and Stewart. Nays: None. Motion carried. At 10:50 A.M. Commissioner Grant, seconded by Rivera, moved to reconvene to regular session with no action taken during executive session. Roll call vote, Ayes: Grant, Stewart and Rivera. Nays: None. Motion carried. The Road Construction Chief salary was discussed but no action will be taken until budget time. A petition request submitted by Chuck McCance to install a water line crossing under Airport Road was discussed by the Board. Commissioner Grant, seconded by Rivera approving the petition request submitted by Chuck McCance and directing the Chairman to sign such. Roll call vote, Ayes: Stewart, Rivera and Grant. Nays: None. Motion carried. The Board then reviewed surplus requests submitted by the Roads, Public Defender and Communications Departments. Commissioner Rivera, seconded by Grant, moved to approve the surplus requests as submitted. Roll call vote, Ayes: Rivera, Grant and

Stewart. Nays: None. Motion carried. The Board briefly discussed the American Rescue Plan and the following motion was made. Commissioner Rivera, seconded by Grant, made a motion to move forward with the American Rescue Plan and all regulations/requirements thereof. Roll call vote, Ayes: Grant, Stewart and Rivera. Nays: None. Motion carried. A Veteran's board appointment was reviewed by the Board. Gene Von Forrell has expressed an interest in serving on the Veterans Board. Commissioner Grant, seconded by Rivera, moved to approve the appointment of Gene Von Forrell to the Veterans' Board. Roll call vote, Ayes; Stewart, Rivera and Grant. Nays: None. Motion carried. The last order of business was adoption of Resolution No. 2021-18 introduced by Commissioner Rivera, seconded by Grant, granting budget authority in the total amount of \$86,814.35 to the various departments to meet current expenditures for fiscal year 2020-2021, leaving a balance in the Miscellaneous General Fund of \$86,673.94. Roll call vote, Ayes: Stewart, Rivera and Grant. Nays: None. Motion carried.

The next meeting of the Dawes County Commissioners will be held on July 13, 2021 beginning at 9:00 A.M. with the Board of Equalization Meeting, followed by the Commissioner Meeting at approximately 9:20 A.M. Both meetings will be held in the Commissioner room. The agenda will close at noon on July 08, 2021. The Chairman adjourned the meeting at 11:38 A.M. **All Resolutions adopted by the Dawes County Board of Commissioners are available for public inspection during normal business hours of the County Clerk's Office.**

ATTEST: _____
Cheryl Feist
Dawes County Clerk

DAWES COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

June 22, 2021 the following claims were audited, allowed and warrant orders drawn on the respective accounts: Key for claims: 100=General Fund; 200=Roads Fund; 650=HwyBridgeBuyback Program Fund; 990=Visitor's Fund; 1100=Reappraisal Fund; 1150=Preservation&Modernization Fund; 1900=Veterans Aid Fund; 2360=Drug Fund; 2500=Grants Fund; 2501=CDGB Fund 2700=Inheritance Fund; 2910-911=Emergency Communications; 2913=Wireless Communications; 4600= Bond Payment Fund.

FUND	NAME	TOTCLAIMS
100	AFLAC	\$1,527.96
100	AMERITAS LIFE INSURANCE CORP	\$10,892.39
100	AUTOS TRUCKS & MORE	\$2,000.00
100	BATES GOULD INC	\$3,000.00
100	BAUERKEMPER'S INC-WEED	\$87.00
100	BIG BAT'S LLC-SHERIFF	\$708.75
100	BIG BAT'S LLC-TREASURER	\$46.51
100	BIG BAT'S SHELL-VETERANS	\$242.61
100	BIG BAT'S SHELL-WEED	\$119.03
100	BLACK HILLS AMMUNITION,INC	\$3,406.00
100	BLUE CROSS & BLUE SHIELD OF NE	\$34,312.03
100	CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING CO	\$5,096.00
100	CENTURY BUSINESS PRODUCTS INC	\$96.77
100	CENTURYLINK LONG DIST-CLERK	\$12.95
100	CENTURYLINK LONG DIST-TREASURER	\$31.49
100	CENTURYLINK LONG DIST-WEED	\$6.00
100	CHADRON ACE HARDWARE	\$2,964.91
100	CHADRON COMMUNITY HOSPITAL & HEALTH	\$2,261.29

100	CONNECTING POINT	\$233.71
100	CRAWFORD CLIPPER/HARRISON SUN	\$444.35
100	CRITES,SHAFFER,CONNELY,WATSON,HARF	\$3,330.00
100	CULLERS LAW OFFICE	\$130.00
100	CULLIGAN-ASSESSOR	\$36.00
100	CULLIGAN-CO ATTORNEY	\$10.00
100	CULLIGAN-DIST COURT	\$18.00
100	CULLIGAN-PUBLIC DEFENDER	\$16.00
100	CULLIGAN-SHERIFF	\$147.50
100	CVSOAN TREASURER	\$120.00
100	KARL DAILEY	\$3,559.01
100	DAS STATE ACCOUNTING	\$296.04
100	DAWES COUNTY ASSESSOR	\$50.00
100	DAWES COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE	\$144.00
100	DAWES COUNTY TREASURER	\$661.50
100	DAWES COUNTY 125 CAFETERIA PLAN	\$18,372.00
100	DOUGLAS,KELLY,OSTDIEK,OSSIAN,BRODER	\$2,041.00
100	EXPRESS BODY AND AUTO REPAIR INC	\$175.00
100	FALL RIVER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE	\$595.00
100	FIRST BANKCARD/CHERYL FEIST	\$63.25
100	FIRST BANKCARD/DISTRICT COURT	\$36.50
100	FIRST BANKCARD/E-911	\$668.05
100	FIRST BANKCARD/EXTENSION	\$443.09
100	FIRST BANKCARD/HR DEPT	\$19.75
100	FIRST BANKCARD/VETERANS	\$757.26
100	FIRST BANKCARD/WEED DEPT	\$212.39
100	FIRST NATIONAL BANK, NORTH PLATTE	\$18,809.86
100	GALLS	\$175.16
100	GREAT PLAINS COMMUNICATIONS	\$2,302.79
100	HARRIS SALES COMPANY INC	\$173.68
100	ANDRE HENLEY	\$400.00
100	IDEAL LINEN SUPPLY,INC	\$130.94
100	INTRALINKS,INC	\$733.96
100	KCSR-AM	\$495.00
100	MATTHEW R LORDINO	\$40.00
100	MIDWEST RADAR & EQUIPMENT	\$240.00
100	MORRILL COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPT	\$1,620.00
100	NE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES SYSTEM	\$93.00
100	NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	\$2,514.30
100	NEBRASKA PUBLIC POWER DISTRICT	\$1,355.21
100	NEBRASKA STATE AUDITOR	\$11,858.50
100	NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFICE/CLERK	\$311.81

100	NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFICE/SHERIFF	\$137.55
100	NKC TIRE	\$140.85
100	NORTHWEST AUTO BODY & PAINT	\$348.00
100	NORTHWEST RURAL PUBLIC POWER DIST	\$200.07
100	OUTLAW PRINTERS,INC	\$962.31
100	PARIS FISHER AUTO SALES	\$18,000.00
100	PET AND PLAYGROUND PRODUCTS	\$25.09
100	QUILL CORPORATION	\$1,410.67
100	RAPID CITY JOURNAL/ASSESSOR	\$100.00
100	RAPID CITY JOURNAL/COMMISSIONERS	\$46.67
100	TESSA REECE	\$40.95
100	COLE JAMES RETCHLESS	\$1,500.00
100	RICK'S AUTO BODY	\$46.48
100	SADDLE ROCK ONE STOP	\$1,212.80
100	MALYCHANH SAYALOUNE	\$211.31
100	SCOTTS BLUFF CO DETENTION CENTER	\$1,680.00
100	SIMMONS OLSEN LAW FIRM,P.C.	\$1,462.50
100	SKEETERS AUTO PARTS INC	\$376.39
100	JACOB STEWART	\$12.83
100	TRANSUNION RISK AND ALTERNATIVE	\$75.00
100	VAN DIEST SUPPLY COMPANY	\$18,111.00
100	VERIZON WIRELESS/SHERIFF	\$362.92
100	VIAERO WIRELESS-WEED	\$81.38
100	VSP VISION PLAN	\$228.70
100	WAHLSTROM FORD INC	\$274.34
100	SAM WELLNITZ	\$823.60
100	WESTERN COMMUNICATIONS, INC	\$21,746.90
100	WESTERN PATHOLOGY CONSULTANTS,PC	\$1,000.00
100	XEROX CORPORATION/E911	\$458.52
100	XEROX CORPORATION/SHERIFF	\$78.83
100	XEROX CORPORATION/TREASURER	\$130.09
100	XEROX CORPORATION/VETERANS OFFICE	\$150.06
100	911 CUSTOM,LLC	\$1,945.00
200	ACE IRRIGATION & MANUFACTURING	\$16,759.70
200	AFLAC	\$323.31
200	AMERITAS LIFE INSURANCE CORP	\$1,293.02
200	BARTLETT RANCH	\$30.00
200	BAUERKEMPER'S INC	\$161.20
200	BLUE CROSS & BLUE SHIELD OF NE	\$1,141.59
200	CENTURYLINK LONG DIST-DIST #1 ROADS	\$9.68
200	DAWES COUNTY TREASURER	\$75.00
200	ROBERT DIEHL	\$25.00

200	HOWARD FELZ	\$150.00
200	FIRST NATIONAL BANK, NORTH PLATTE	\$3,756.53
200	JAY D GOFF	\$1,950.00
200	INLAND TRUCK PARTS & SERVICE	\$157.73
200	KCSR-AM	\$385.00
200	STEVEN LOOP	\$320.72
200	MONTANA CSED SDU-WAGE WITHOLDING	\$165.00
200	MSC INDUSTRIAL SUPPLY CO.	\$40.96
200	NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	\$850.32
200	NEBRASKA PUBLIC POWER DISTRICT	\$62.23
200	NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFICE/ROADS	\$146.02
200	NKC TIRE	\$71.00
200	NMC EXCHANGE LLC/NEBRASKA MACHINERY	\$5,971.91
200	NORTHWEST RURAL PUBLIC POWER DIST	\$86.36
200	PACIFIC STEEL & RECYCLING	\$125.40
200	PHILLIPS F & T INC	\$1,456.00
200	QUALITY TIRE	\$250.00
200	RIVER A HOLDING LLC	\$3,714.00
200	SKEETERS AUTO PARTS INC	\$262.08
200	STURDEVANT'S AUTO PARTS	\$623.31
200	VERIZON CONNECT NWF,INC-ROADS	\$194.28
200	VSP VISION PLAN	\$111.24
200	WESTCO	\$17,982.66
200	XEROX CORPORATION/ROADS	\$121.37
990	AMERITAS LIFE INSURANCE CORP	\$78.68
990	BLUE CROSS & BLUE SHIELD OF NE	\$94.74
990	CHADRON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT	\$50.00
990	FIRST NATIONAL BANK, NORTH PLATTE	\$179.82
990	NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	\$39.33
990	VSP VISION PLAN	\$9.32
1150	BEAR GRAPHICS,INC	\$254.25
1150	MOBILE BINDERS	\$3,639.40
1900	VETERANS SERVICE OFFICE	\$883.41
2501	NEBRASKA NORTHWEST DEVELOPMENT CORP	\$1,363.17
2910	AMERITAS LIFE INSURANCE CORP	\$3.38
2910	CENTURYLINK	\$39.27
2910	FIRST BANKCARD/E-911	\$46.43
2910	FIRST NATIONAL BANK, NORTH PLATTE	\$14.14
2910	INTERSTATE ALL BATTERY CENTER	\$203.75
2910	INTRALINKS,INC	\$1,491.23
2910	NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	\$3.33
2913	CENTURYLINK	\$287.96

