The Sheridan County Board of Commissioners (BOC) convened on September 28, 2021, at the County Courthouse. Notice of the meeting was published on the county website sheridancountyne.gov. The meeting was open to the public and a ZOOM connection was also available. Present were Commissioners Bruce Messersmith and James Krotz, Clerk Sindy Coburn. Treasurer Renee Thies attended via ZOOM. Chairman Loren Paul attended and presided via ZOOM.

Acting as the Board of Equalization (BOE) the Commissioners approved a Correction Sheet presented by Deputy Assessor Shavona Henry accelerating the personal property taxes of James and Krissa Rucker doing business as Gordon True Value Hardware.

Treasurer Renee Thies appeared via ZOOM to present her Tax Sales List. Acting as the BOC, the Commissioners approved the List as presented. Thies also presented her report on Distress Warrants. No action is required on that report.

Road Superintendent Richard Cross reported that the armor coating of 440th Road east of Hwy 87 was completed last week. County Road crews will resume the winter schedule of 5, 8-hour days per week beginning October 18.

The BOC reviewed and approved a lease agreement with Senior Services Incorporated (SSI) which now manages the Sheridan County Public Transportation Service (Handi-Bus). SSI leases a small office in the Courthouse Annex on North Main in Rushville. The lease establishes the value of that leased space as a part of Sheridan County's in-kind match for the Nebraska Department of Roads grant that funds the program.

The BOC approved an Inter-local Cooperation Agreement for the sharing of E-911 Equipment with Boyd, Holt, Antelope, Cherry, Brown, and Rock counties.

The next meeting of the BOE and BOC is scheduled for Tuesday, October12 at 9:00 a.m. All meetings will be open to the public and will also be available on ZOOM – check the Public Notices page of the county website for the meeting number and passcode.

The minutes of this and all meetings of the Board of Commissioners will be available to the public at the office of the Sheridan County Clerk and online at sheridancounty.ne.gov. All meetings of the Board of Commissioners are held in compliance with Nebraska Open Meetings Act and the public is always welcome.

Submitted by James Krotz