

Proceedings of the Commissioners

The Sheridan County Board of Commissioners (BOC) met on Tuesday March 21, 2023, at the County Courthouse. Notice of the meeting was published on the county website sheridancounty.ne.gov. The meeting was open to the public and a ZOOM connection was also available. Present were Chairman Bruce Messersmith, and Commissioner James Krotz, Commissioner Dan Kling was excused. Deputy County Clerk Paige Rager, Treasurer Renee Thies, and Road Superintendent Richard Cross.

The Board audited and approved salary claims and signed claim checks.

Road Superintendent Richard Cross reported that the most significant weather-related cost increase this winter has been equipment repairs.

County Extension 4-H Assistant Marie Nelson reported on recent and upcoming events. In 2022, 33 youth signed up as new members of 4-H and 639 youth in the County were reached through some avenue of 4-H programming.

The BOC discussed and approved the update of the County LEOP (Local Emergency Operations Plan).

Budget Consultant Caleb Johnson met with the Board and presented a proposed letter of agreement for budget preparation service for 2023-24. The Commissioners reviewed and approved the \$3800 agreement, an increase of \$300 over last year.

Clerk of the District Court Carol Stouffer and Assessor Tina Skinner joined the meeting to continue the review of the County Employee Handbook.

The next meeting of the BOC is scheduled for Tuesday, March 28.

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 now are available 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

