

Proceedings of the Commissioners

The Sheridan County Board of Commissioners (BOC) met on Tuesday, August 23, 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, Commissioners Dan Kling and James Krotz, County Clerk Sindy Coburn, Treasurer Renee Thies and Road Superintendent Rich Cross, Clerk of the District Court Carol Stouffer, Building Superintendent Jeff Davis, Weed Superintendent Seth Tausan, Sheriff's Secretary Carol Tiensvold, VSO Secretary Linda Strasburger and Budget Consultant Caleb Johnson.

Mr. Johnson led a review of the draft budget for 2023-24. After considerable discussion the BOC approved a second draft of the budget which will be presented to the public on September 19. The second draft proposes a very modest tax increase of \$77,656 and a reduction of the levy from .366002 to .339010.

The Board also approved Resolutions allocating tax authority to miscellaneous Districts, allowing a 1% increase in restricted funds, and authorizing petty cash funds for the Clerk, Treasurer and County Court.

The next regular meeting of the BOE and BOC will be Tuesday, September 12.

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 are also 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.