Proceedings of the Commissioners

The Sheridan County Board of Commissioners (BOC) met on Tuesday, February 18, 2025, 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 Chairman James Krotz, Commissioners Bruce Messersmith and Dan Kling, Clerk Sindy Coburn, Treasurer Renee Thies and Clerk of the District Court Carol Stouffer.

There was no business for the Board of Equalization (BOE).

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

The Board, Clerk, Treasurer and Clerk of the District Court discussed a request from the Probation Office for an estimated cost to house their operations in the courthouse. At present, the County provides the space at no cost to Probation but a proposal before the Legislature might change that to provide some compensation for the use of our space. The group agreed to propose \$0.48/ft2/month.

Sheriff Jeff Brewer reported that he has hired a new cook for the jail.

At 11:00 the meeting moved to the Road Department Shop at the County Annex. Five citizens and two contract truckers appeared to review the One and Six -Year Road Plan and to offer comments. At noon the hearing was closed, and the BOC then approved the Plan. The Plan will be available for public review in the Office of the County Clerk.

The next meeting of the BOE/BOC is scheduled for Tuesday, February 25 at 9:00 a.m.

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