COMMISSIONERS MINUTES

OCTOBER 15, 2019

The Sheridan County Commissioners met in regular session at 9:15 A.M. in the Commissioners Office, Courthouse. All members present. Paul stated that the meeting would be conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Nebraska Open Meeting Act. Messersmith made a motion to accept the agenda. Krotz seconded the motion. All voted aye. Krotz made a motion to approve the minutes of 9-30-2019. Messersmith seconded the motion. All voted aye.

The board audited and approved claims in the following amounts. General \$82,227.51; Road \$183,115.76; Inheritance \$12,500; Wireless 911 \$793.80; Insurance \$1,162.94; Weed \$542.84; E-911 \$649.48; Handi-Bus \$1,888. Total \$282,880.33.

The board reviewed the Cost Allocation Plan from Maximus. Krotz made a motion to accept the Certification of Cost Allocation Plan for 2020. Messersmith seconded the motion. With a roll call vote all voted aye.

The board noted that they have sent an Assist Grant Application into NIRMA for consideration. If awarded, the grant will be used to purchase security cameras for the Courthouse and Jail buildings.

County Treasurer Renee Thies presented the board with a resolution showing the list of parcels of real estate which the taxes are delinquent. Messersmith made a motion approving Resolution #2019-16 authorizing the County Treasurer to issue tax sale certificates to the County of Sheridan upon all parcels of real estate upon which there are delinquent taxes. Krotz seconded the motion. With a roll call vote all voted aye.

Road Superintendent Kuester reported that he had hired Nolt Nickelson, for a couple of months, to help with the FEMA paperwork. Nickelson will not receive any county benefits.

Kuester stated that his department is finished with the hauling in Road District #36. He will bill the district for half the hauling costs.

Kuester informed the board that Cherry County is hauling rock over one of our roads. Kuester stated they will keep a watch on it to see if any damage.

The board reviewed an employment agreement with Kristi Paul as the Weed Superintendent. Krotz made a motion to adopt the Employment Agreement with Kristi Paul effective October 15, 2019. Messersmith seconded the motion. With a roll call vote all voted aye. The board visited with Sheriff Brewer and Deputy Langford about several updates needed in their department. The board asked Brewer to look at the Law Enforcement Contract with the City of Rushville. When the audit was preformed it showed that we had not received proper payment.

Maintenance Superintendent Jeff Davis informed the board that Weathercraft Roofing will be starting the roof tomorrow. It was decided to wait on the ramp until Spring.

Extension Educator Jack Arterburn introduced the new 4-H Coordinator Marie Nelson. Arterburn also briefed the board on recent and upcoming events.

Adjourn: 11:30 A.M.

Attest: Sindy L. Coburn, Clerk

Loren L. Paul, Chairman