

COMMISSIONERS MINUTES

JANUARY 27, 2026

The Sheridan County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:15 A.M. on January 20, 2026. All members present along with Clerk Sindy Coburn, Clerk of District Court Clerk Carol Stouffer, Treasure and Interim Road Superintendent Rod Norton.

Krotz stated that the meeting would be conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Nebraska Open Meeting Act. This meeting was posted in the Sheridan County Journal Star on January 21, 2026 and posted on the official website.

Messersmith made a motion to accept the agenda. Kling seconded the motion. With a roll call vote all voted aye. Messersmith made a motion to approve the minutes of 1-20-2026 with corrections. Kling seconded the motion. With a roll call voted aye.

County Clerk Coburn visited with the board about transferring money due to a claim being paid from Courthouse Building Fund and it should have been paid from LATCF funds. Coburn has visited with the state auditor and they said that the board could just approve changing which fund this claim was paid from, and then the Clerk and Treasurer would need to do a Journal Entry to remove the disbursement from the Courthouse Building Fund and record the disbursement in the LATCF Fund. Messersmith made a motion to approve the fund expense of \$8,234.92 from the LATCF Fund. Kling seconded the motion. With a roll call vote all voted aye.

Treasurer Renee Thies presented the board the pledged security report.

Interim Road Superintendent Rod Norton reported that the bids for fuel contract will be opened on February 2, 2026 if any of the board

wants to be present. Norton stated that we did increase the contracted amount from 50,000 gal to 70,000 gal.

Norton visited with the board about the 1 & 6 year road hearing. The 1 & 6 year road hearing is scheduled for February 10, 2026 at 11 A.M. in the Conference Room in the Road Building.

Norton stated that Todd Sherburn has asked if we planned to bid for red rock hauling this year. The board approved.

Trisha Loosvelt of the County Tourism Board reported that Tiffany Hillion of Gordon has joined the board. Loosvelt was not sure if the local board had voted one this. It was determined that the board approved Hillion in October.

Loosvelt stated that Bev Wellnitz is doing a great job for the tourism and asked the board if they have any ideas for projects. Loosvelt stated that they have a lot of money and would like to put it into a project that would be useful to all.

Sheriff Jeff Brewer reported on recent upgrades to radar units.

Eric Anderson, Commander of the American Legion met with the group to ask about a tentative date for County Government Day. The group agreed on April 7, 2026. Anderson will reach out to the schools to see if that date will work for them.

Public Comment: None

Adjourn: 11 A.M.

Attest: Sindy L. Coburn, Clerk

James Krotz, Chairman