



Butler County Board Minutes



BUTLER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

April 20, 2020

A meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Butler County, Nebraska was held on the 20th day of April, 2020 at the Butler County Courthouse in David City, Nebraska at 9:00 a.m.

Present were the following: David W. Mach, Tony Krafka, Scot Bauer, Anthony Whitmore, Max Birkel, Greg Janak and Scott Steager.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof, by Publication, a designated method for giving notice, as shown by the Proof of Publication attached to the minutes. Notice of this meeting was given to all members of the Board and a copy of their acknowledgement of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to all members of the board of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all present.

The Chairman called the meeting to order and announced that a complete copy of the Open Meetings Act is posted in the meeting room.

The Chairman declared the minutes from the previous meeting shall stand approved as presented.

Approval of Official Bond and Oath/Ralph E. Hein, Jr., Franklin Township

Moved by Bauer seconded by Krafka to approve the bond and oath as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Bauer, Krafka, Steager, Birkel, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Approval of Official Bond and Oath/Craig M. Schmit, Alexis Township

Moved by Steager and seconded by Bauer to approve the bond and oath as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Steager, Bauer, Krafka, Birkel, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Approval of Official Bond and Oath/Justin Krafka, Alexis Township

Moved by Krafka and seconded by Birkel to approve the bond and oath as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Krafka, Birkel, Steager, Bauer, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Approval of Official Bond and Oath/Brad Vandenberg, Center Township

Moved by Bauer and seconded by Krafka to approve the bond and oath as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Bauer, Krafka, Steager, Birkel, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Approval of Official Bond and Oath/Timothy A. Birkel, Savannah Township

Moved by Krafka and seconded by Steager to approve the bond and oath as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Krafka, Steager, Bauer, Birkel, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Moved by Birkel and seconded by Whitmore to move into the Board of Equalization at 9:05 a.m. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Birkel, Whitmore, Steager, Krafka, Bauer, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION (SEE SEPARATE MINUTES)

At 9:20 a.m. Supervisor Birkel joined in person due to technical difficulties he could not attend via zoom.

Discussion/Possible Action regarding the acceptance of bid submitted for the Linwood Bridge over Skull Creek



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McDonald presented to the board that he has reviewed the bid. The company that bid the job is the same that is doing the Ulysses bridge. The project total is \$304,812 with additional pilings an additional \$34 per lineal foot, if less is needed than contracted they will deduct \$24 per lineal foot. The board decided to table until the next meeting, the budget committee was going to meet and determine if there was room in the budget and the road and bridge committee was going to meet to make sure there are not any other bridges in the county that need attention before this one.

Discussion/Possible Action on Bowstring/Gerhold Interlocal Agreement & Utility Permit

The board asked the county attorney if she had everything to complete the agreement and if it was ready. She informed the board she still had concerns that hadn't been addressed and she received concerns from NIRMA that if the board wanted to hear them she recommended they go into executive session. Chairman Mach informed the board that after some research he found out that Bowstring would not be the first lake in Butler County to have a pipe like this, however, the other lakes that currently have pipes running out to the ditch do not have valves. Krafka stated that they need to make a decision and vote, this is the 9th time this topic has been on the agenda. Birkel asked the board if everyone knew of NIRMA's concerns; he said he did not and would like to hear those before a decision is made. The board discussed whether it was necessary for landowners downstream to receive written notice of what is going on, several mentioned that if they start for this permit they will have to for all the future permits. Upon further discussion it was decided before the board could precede they needed to hear NIRMA's concerns.

Moved by Steager and seconded by Birkel to enter Executive session to address NIRMA's concerns at 10:40 a.m. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Steager, Birkel, Bauer, Janak and Whitmore. The following voted nay: Krafka and Mach. Motion carried.

Moved by Steager and seconded by Birkel to exit Executive session at 11:50 a.m. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Steager, Birkel, Krafka, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Absent: Bauer. Motion carried.

Bauer was excused during executive session.
Bauer re-entered the meeting at 11:52 a.m.

Discussion/Possible Action on Bowstring/Gerhold Interlocal Agreement & Utility Permit

Moved by Steager and seconded by Krafka to allow the Bowstring utility permit pending the agreement is signed by all three parties (Butler County, Gerhold and Bowstring) with the changes discussed in executive session, also allowing installation of the pipe, however, it is not to be used until the agreement is signed. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Steager, Krafka, Bauer, Birkel, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Approval of Utility Permit – Windstream utility permit – Road Q on Road 42 going East

Moved by Krafka and seconded by Janak to approve the utility permit as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Krafka, Janak, Bauer, Birkel, Steager, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Discussion/Possible Action regarding the Bridge on B Road between Road 34 and Road 35

McDonald reported that Don Carley of Summit Township informed him that he has the funding for installation of a new Bridge on B Road between Road 34 & Road 35. The company currently doing the Ulysses bridge cannot leave the state due to COVID-19 and said they could move to that project once the Ulysses Bridge is complete. The County currently has all of the materials for the project; the expense would be the labor to put the bridge in, which Summit Township said they will pay for. Moved by Bauer and seconded by Krafka to move forward with the B Road Bridge Project. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Bauer, Krafka, Steager, Birkel, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Update on Roads

McDonald said his only update for this meeting is that the Pipeline is ready to start their road repair projects; so that will be getting done in the near future.



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Consideration/Approval of Resolution 2020-07 Transfer of Budget Authority within the General Fund – Ag Extension Request

The Ag Extension office has an annual software cost share with the Butler County Ag Society. The Ag Society typically refunds the County for the expense. The expense is usually minimal and the Extension office budgets for it; however, the expense this year was larger due to an update and Extension hadn't planned for it. They are asking that since the money was received from the Ag Society and put into the General fund; would the Board transfer within the General fund to correct their expenditures. Moved by Steager and seconded by Bauer to approve Resolution 2020-07 as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Steager, Birkel, Bauer, Krafka, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS BUTLER COUNTY, NEBRASKA RESOLUTION NO. 2020 - 7

WHEREAS, the budget which had been allocated to the Ag Extension Agent (64500) of the General Fund for the 2019-2020 fiscal year is insufficient to meet operating expenses due a software upgrade expense that is shared with the Butler County Ag Society. The Ag Society reimbursed the County for half of the project and that was receipted into the General Fund, receipt ID 41129. Ag Extension is requesting a transfer of budget authority, and

WHEREAS, there are unexpended funds available in the Miscellaneous function (97000) of the General Fund for the 2019-2020 fiscal year,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Butler County Board of Supervisors that the sum of \$361.25 be transferred from the Miscellaneous function (97000) of the General Fund to the Ag Extension Agent (64500).

Dated this 20th day of April, 2020.

/s/David W. Mach
David W. Mach, Chairman

ATTEST:

/s/Stephanie L. Laska
Stephanie L. Laska, County Clerk

Approval for Authorization to issue County Tax sale certificates on parcels that were not picked up on the public sale

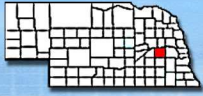
Moved by Whitmore and seconded by Krafka to issue County Tax sale certificates on parcels that were not picked up on the public sale. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Whitmore, Krafka, Bauer, Birkel, Steager, Janak and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Consideration of Resolution 2020-09 Authorization for the County Attorney to prosecute foreclosure of tax sales certificates 539 and 549

Moved by Janak and seconded by Birkel to approve Resolution 2020-09 as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Janak, Birkel, Bauer, Krafka, Steager, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS BUTLER COUNTY, NEBRASKA RESOLUTION NO. 2020-09

WHEREAS, the Butler County is the owner and holder of Tax Sale Certificate Numbers 539 and 549 issued by Butler County, Nebraska for all delinquent regular taxes and/or special assessments thereon for the years set forth therein, under the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat. Sec. 77-1809 (Reissue 2018);



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WHEREAS, said certificates were sold to Butler County, Nebraska and the Certificates of Tax Sale was issued to Butler County, Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, Butler County, Nebraska is entitled to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificates set forth above.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Butler County Board of Supervisors that the Butler County Attorney is directed to institute and prosecute foreclosure of Tax Sales Certificate Numbers 539 and 549 in accord with the provisions of Article 19, of Chapter 77 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes and other laws governing such procedure, on behalf of Butler County Nebraska and the State of Nebraska and other political subdivisions of the said State and municipal bodies on whose behalf such taxes and subsequent taxes and special assessments on said property were levied in foreclosing such certificate and subsequent special assessments and liens on said real estate.

Dated this 20th day of April, 2020

/s/David W. Mach
David W. Mach, Chairman Butler County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

/s/Stephanie L. Laska
Stephanie L. Laska, County Clerk

Discussion/Possible Action regarding applying for funds for a new van

Senior Center Director, Diana McDonald presented before the board that there currently are grants available for the purchase of a new van for the Senior Center, the grant would be 80% federal, 10% state and the County would have to pay the additional 10%. McDonald said she would budget for the 10% in the next fiscal year. The current van they are looking to replace is a 2002 and is having issues. Moved by Janak and seconded by Birkel to approve the Senior Center to apply for the grants and replace the old van. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Janak, Birkel, Bauer, Krafka, Steager, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Consideration of Resolution 2020-06 Coronavirus Policy for employees who are emergency responders

County Attorney, Julie Reiter, presented before the board that the Handbook policy committee had met to discuss the Acts that went into place as of April 1, 2020 regarding Coronavirus and paid leave for employees. The acts allow exclusion of first responders from the pay, therefore, the committee recommended a new policy that is in effect alongside the Federal acts and allows compensation upon an exposure to COVID-19. Moved by Whitmore and seconded by Steager to approve the resolution as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Whitmore, Steager, Birkel, Bauer, Krafka, Janak and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
BUTLER COUNTY, NEBRASKA
RESOLUTION NO. 2020-09**

**CORONAVIRUS POLICY FOR EMPLOYEES WHO ARE
EMERGENCY RESPONDERS**

WHEREAS, the Federal Government has passed the Families First Coronavirus Act (hereinafter “FFCRA”) which requires certain employers to provide employees with paid sick leave or expanded family and medical leave for specified reasons related to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, all Butler County employees except emergency responders (as defined herein) are eligible under the FFCRA to receive certain paid sick leave or expanded medical leave for specified reasons related to COVID-19; and



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WHEREAS, Butler County has excluded emergency responders (as defined herein) from eligibility under the FFCRA due to the nature of their jobs and the need to maintain staffing to perform critical community support functions or essential government functions; and

WHEREAS, Butler County is desirous of providing emergency responders who are ineligible for paid leave under the FFCRA with alternate paid leave that would be more applicable to the nature of the work of an emergency responder.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that this policy shall apply to Butler County employees that fall under the definition of an emergency responder.

1. An emergency responder for purposes of this policy is defined as a Butler County employee who is employed as and working as a Butler County Sheriff's Deputy, Butler County Detention Officer, Butler County 911 operator, or the Butler County Emergency Manager.
2. An emergency responder shall be ineligible for any benefit under the FFCRA.
3. An emergency responder shall be entitled to two weeks of paid sick leave (up to a maximum of 80 hours) in the event the emergency responder is exposed to a known or suspected COVID-19 exposure in a work-related incident without wearing PPE (an N-95 mask, eye protection and gloves). The incident must be reported to the department head immediately and immediately documented. Following the incident, the emergency responder shall remain in self-imposed quarantine for up to 14 days. The emergency responder must take steps to seek and submit to a test to confirm the presence of the Coronavirus as soon as possible. If the test result is negative the emergency responder shall be allowed to report to work as normally scheduled and the paid leave under this policy for that incident shall be ended.
4. An emergency responder's eligibility for two weeks of paid sick leave shall be after each incident the emergency responder is exposed to a known COVID-19 exposure in a work-related incident up to a maximum of 80 hours of sick leave per incident.
5. The emergency responder shall be ineligible for this leave if he or she fails to follow department protocols reducing the risk of exposure.
6. The amount of leave the emergency responder is eligible for under this policy shall be determined by the number of hours the employee would have normally been scheduled to work up to a maximum of 80 hours over a two-week period. If an employee's schedule varies from week to week the calculation method utilized to determine the hours the employee shall be eligible for in the two-week period shall be the same as utilized in the FFCRA.
7. Employees are not entitled to reimbursement for unused leave upon termination, resignation, retirement, or other separation from employment.
8. This policy shall be effective retroactively on April 1, 2020 and shall remain in effect until December 30, 2020.

Dated this 20th day of April, 2020

/s/David W. Mach
David W. Mach, Chairman Butler County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

/s/Stephanie L. Laska
Stephanie L. Laska, County Clerk



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Discussion/Possible Action regarding Review of Estimates for Hwy 92 Building Improvements for the HR Office and surrounding area

County Treasurer, Karey Adamy, presented before the board that we need to keep the building improvement going out at the Hwy 92 building. We have an employee that is going to be out there now, and she needs to have the necessities to do her job. It was discussed that instead of replacing the carpet, the county would get it cleaned first. They are still working to find a plumber to go in and fix the plumbing issues in the bathrooms and replace the fixtures. The Building and Grounds committee is going to meet out at the Hwy 92 building following the meeting to look at other improvements that were mentioned by Heidi Loges, Human Resources Director.

Special Designated Liquor License – Miretta Vineyards & Winery, Inc. dba Miletta Vista Winery (event on July 16, 2020 at Butler County Fairgrounds)

Moved by Birkel and seconded by Steager to approve the special designated liquor license as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Birkel, Steager, Krafka, Bauer, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following vote nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Consideration of Resolution 2020-08 Authorization for Board Chairman and County Clerk to Act on Behalf of the Board in the Event of an Emergency Closure.

Laska reminded the Board that at the last meeting she had presented a resolution that put in place by Sarpy County in the event that the Courthouse would have an Emergency Closure. This resolution ensures that major bills get paid by the county such as:

1. Payroll and associated expenses;
2. Utilities;
3. Lease Payments;
4. Contract and/or other installment payments which have been contracted for or authorized by action of this Board;
5. Expenses associated with jurors of the various courts and attorney fees and expenses ordered by a judge in the usual and ordinary manner; and,
6. Payments that are in accordance with Butler County's current Written Standards of Eligibility and Assistance for General Assistance for the Poor.

She reminded them they had asked her to prepare a similar one and present at this meeting.

Moved by Krafka and seconded by Bauer to approve Resolution 2020-08 as presented. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Krafka, Bauer, Birkel, Steager, Janak, Whitmore and Mach. The following voted nay: NONE. Motion carried.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS BUTLER COUNTY, NEBRASKA RESOLUTION NO. 2020 – 08

Authorization for Board Chairman and County Clerk to Act on Behalf of the Board in the Event of an Emergency Closure

Whereas, in the event of an emergency closure, the County Board of Commissioners may not convene for its regularly scheduled meeting; and,

Whereas, although the Board may not hold its regularly scheduled meetings, the activities of County government shall continue, and certain claims and warrants must be acted upon; and,

Whereas, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. 23-104(6), the County has the power to do all acts in relation to the concerns of the county necessary to the exercise of its corporate powers; and,

Whereas, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. 23-103, the powers of the County as a body are exercised by the County Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Butler County Board of Commissioners that, pursuant



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to the statutory authority of this Board as set forth above, that in the event of an emergency closure, the Chairman of the Butler County Board of Commissioners and the Butler County Clerk are hereby authorized to prepare claims and issue warrants for the following expenditures:

1. Payroll and associated expenses;
2. Utilities;
3. Lease Payments;
4. Contract and/or other installment payments which have been contracted for or authorized by action of this Board;
5. Expenses associated with jurors of the various courts and attorney fees and expenses ordered by a judge in the usual and ordinary manner; and,
6. Payments that are in accordance with Butler County's current Written Standards of Eligibility and Assistance for General Assistance for the Poor.

The aforementioned individuals have no authority to conduct County business beyond that stated above. Payments pursuant to Paragraphs 1 through 4 above may only be made in those instances when required by law or enforceable contractual obligations to be made during the effective dates of this Resolution. Any other action may only be undertaken by the Board either in an Emergency Meeting, when such meeting has been called and convened pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. 84-1411, or pursuant to a meeting convened by the County Clerk pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. 23-154.

The above Resolution was approved by a vote of the Butler County Board of Supervisors at a public meeting duly held in accordance with the applicable law on the 20th day of April 2020.

/s/David W. Mach

David W. Mach, Chairman Butler County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

/s/Stephanie L. Laska

Stephanie L. Laska, County Clerk

Claims

Moved by Krafka and seconded by Janak to approve the claims, making the following changes, pay the fees from Tom Klein out of the Public Defender budget and move the D&K Heating from the Road Dept to the General Miscellaneous. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Krafka, Janak, Steager, Birkel, Bauer, Whitmore and Mach. The following vote nay: NONE. Motion carried.

Correspondence

1. University of Nebraska Extension – COVID-19 Response
2. Lower Platte South Natural Resources District Notice
3. Platte Township Letter Re: Gravel Allotment
4. Blue Valley Community Action Partnership Regular Meeting Agenda
5. Larry Dix, NACO Executive Director – NACO Alert 3.5 Stimulus Request

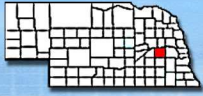
Committee Reports

Steager as Four Corners Health Department Representative, reported that as of Friday, April 17th, Butler County had its first confirmed case of COVID-19. The case is a 20-year-old male who is self-quarantining at home. He also said that there will be a drive-up testing in York on either April 22nd or 23rd.

There being no further business to come before the board, the Chairman adjourned the meeting at 1:40 p.m. The next scheduled meeting of the Board of Supervisors will be May 4, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

Stephanie L. Laska

David W. Mach



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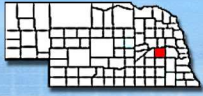
County Clerk

Chairman

Claims List APRIL, 2020

GENERAL FUND CLAIMS

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
<i>Black Hills Energy (natural gas service)</i>	266.79
<i>Detention</i>	
<i>David City Utilities (electric, water & sewer)</i>	\$3,892.56
<i>Bldg & Grnds, Detention & Noxious Weed</i>	
<i>Frontier Communications (phones)</i>	\$365.53
<i>Bldg & Grnds</i>	
<i>Pitney Bowes Reserve Account (refill postal meter)</i>	\$10,000.00
<i>Misc. Postage</i>	
<i>Time Warner Cable / Spectrum (internet service)</i>	\$390.00
<i>Bldg & Grnds</i>	
<i>US Cellular (cell phone for Max)</i>	\$87.21
<i>Noxious Weed</i>	
<i>Black Hills Energy (natural gas service)</i>	\$661.84
<i>Bldg & Grnds</i>	
<i>Windstream (internet & phone services)</i>	268.97
<i>Noxious Weed & Extension</i>	
<i>Wex Bank (fuel)</i>	1030.09
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Windstream (phone services)</i>	\$2,055.24
<i>Bldg & Grnds & County Attorney</i>	
<i>Black Hills Energy (natural gas service)</i>	\$696.37
<i>Bldg & Grnds & Detention</i>	
<i>Nebraska Cellular (new cell phone Kenny)</i>	\$62.98
<i>Bldg & Grnds</i>	
<i>Pitney Bowes Reserve Account (refill postal meter)</i>	\$10,000.00
<i>Misc. Postage</i>	
<i>US Cellular (Hot spots for cruisers)</i>	\$757.70
<i>Sheriff & Data Processing</i>	
<i>Verizon Wireless (cell phone)</i>	\$30.02
<i>Appraisal</i>	
<i>Salaries</i>	\$191,424.41
<i>Various</i>	
<i>AG-News (listing)</i>	\$99.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Ameritas Life Insurance Corporation (employer share retirement)</i>	\$12,589.56
<i>Various</i>	
<i>Applied Connective (laptop, email, hard drive, pep wave, backup cloud, etc.)</i>	\$4,573.88
<i>E.M., County Attorney, Data Processing, Sheriff, County Clerk, Dist. Court</i>	
<i>Art On Display (color graphic on vehicle)</i>	\$364.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>BJ's Hardware (supplies)</i>	\$660.40
<i>Bldg & Grnds & Detention</i>	
<i>Blue Cross Blue Shield (employer share health insurance premiums)</i>	\$25,285.82
<i>Various</i>	
<i>Butler County Clinic (medical contract & Inmate care)</i>	\$1,325.00
<i>Detention</i>	



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Butler County Detention (transports)	\$193.60
Misc.	
Butler County Dist. Court (State Fees)	\$69.00
Dist. Court	
Butler County Sheriff (Sheriff's fees)	\$289.30
Misc.	
Butler County Treasurer (2019 Real Estate taxes & Rural Transit Service)	\$2,162.68
Misc.	
Capital Business System (copier lease & copy fees)	\$150.84
Sheriff	
Carpenter Paper (paper products)	\$488.41
Bldg & Grnds & Detention	
Charmtex (supplies)	\$547.70
Detention	
Culligan of Columbus (bottled water, cooler rent & soft water softener)	\$498.20
Detention, Bldg & Grnds & Misc.	
Cummins Sales & Service (generator service)	\$766.72
Detention	
D Sign Shop (business cards)	\$100.00
Sheriff	
D&K Heating & AC Inc. (install new carrier air conditioner etc.)	\$8,532.32
Misc.	
Dale's Food Pride (jail supplies)	\$62.68
Detention	
DAS State Acctg (February & March fees)	\$907.76
Sheriff & Data Processing	
David City Ace Hardware (various supplies)	\$530.91
Bldg & Grnds, Detention & Sheriff	
David City Discount Pharmacy (prescriptions & medications for Inmates)	\$109.63
Detention	
Dept. of Correctional SVCS (safekeep for Inmate & medical)	\$676.66
Detention	
Des Moines Stamp (official seal inker & rapid print ribbon)	\$75.80
County Clerk & Dist. Court	
Jane Dobesh (Prior Service Benefit)	\$16.00
Misc.	
Dodge County Sheriff (mileage & return service fee)	\$19.21
County Attorney	
Dugan Printing & Publishing (ballot return envelopes, white voter envelopes)	\$420.00
Election Comm.	
E.F.T.P.S. (March tax payment-shortage)	\$76.50
Misc.	
E.F.T.P.S. (employer share social security withholding)	\$14,120.16
Various	
Eakes Office Solutions (various office supplies)	\$2,612.29
Treasurer, Appraisal, County Court, County Attorney, Assessor & Misc.	
ES&S (layout charge & publication ballot creations, thumb drives, ballots, etc.)	\$4,724.68
Election Comm.	
First National Bank Omaha: Visa (medical supply, FB Posting, repairs)	\$165.71
Detention	
FLS (monthly equipment rental)	\$225.00
Surveyor	
Frontier Coop (fuel)	\$1,805.57



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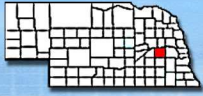
<i>Appraisal & Sheriff</i>	
<i>Lucille Fuxa-Cuba (Prior Service Benefit)</i>	\$10.00
<i>Misc.</i>	
<i>Galls, LLC (boots)</i>	\$165.94
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Haessler Sullivan & Klein, LTD (Public Defender Candidates)</i>	\$522.78
<i>Public Defender</i>	
<i>Hartman Auto Repair (performed service bulletins, pulled transmission, etc.)</i>	\$1,454.51
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Emilee Higgins (Attorney Fees)</i>	\$488.30
<i>Public Defender</i>	
<i>Hometown Leasing (copier leases)</i>	\$894.52
<i>County Court, Dist. Court & Misc.</i>	
<i>Marcella Howe (Prior Service Benefit)</i>	\$16.00
<i>Misc.</i>	
<i>Indoff Incorporated (various office supplies)</i>	\$1,006.52
<i>Bldg & Grnds, County Attorney, Misc., Election Comm., County Clerk, Sheriff)</i>	
<i>Intoximeters (gas for Datamaster)</i>	\$308.00
<i>Detention</i>	
<i>Jackson Services (rugs, mops, towels, etc.)</i>	\$236.84
<i>Detention & Bldg & Grnds</i>	
<i>Jones Automotive (repairs)</i>	\$735.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Eldeen Kabourek (Prior Service Benefit)</i>	\$11.00
<i>Misc.</i>	
<i>Thomas Klein (Attorney Fees)</i>	\$1,082.90
<i>Public Defender</i>	
<i>Kobza Motors (repairs)</i>	\$73.50
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>John J. Kohl (Attorney Fees)</i>	\$978.50
<i>Public Defender</i>	
<i>Lancaster County Sheriff (service & mileage fees)</i>	\$21.03
<i>County Attorney</i>	
<i>Language Line (interpretation services)</i>	\$0.05
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Latimer Reporting (Bill of Exceptions)</i>	\$204.75
<i>Dist. Court</i>	
<i>Lawsoft (2020 Child Support Calculator)</i>	\$75.00
<i>County Attorney</i>	
<i>Lincoln Journal Star (audit, notice, minutes, meetings, closings, Primary Elec.)</i>	\$1,343.82
<i>Election Comm. & Misc.</i>	
<i>Heidi Loges (reimburse for filing fee/correct error)</i>	\$102.00
<i>County Court</i>	
<i>Lynn Peavey Company (Blood alcohol kits)</i>	\$80.25
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Maximus Inc. (preparation of 2017 Cost Allocation Plan-final invoice)</i>	\$2,100.00
<i>Misc.</i>	
<i>Greg Meysenburg (Prior Service Benefit)</i>	\$10.00
<i>Misc.</i>	
<i>Mid-American Benefits (premium & claims)</i>	\$5,122.36
<i>Misc.</i>	
<i>MARC (touch free dispensers, sanitizer, wipes, etc.)</i>	\$1,509.98
<i>Bldg & Grnds</i>	



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<i>Midwest Alarm (fire alarm inspection) Bldg & Grnds</i>	\$146.16
<i>Midwest Medical Transport Company (inmate medical transport) Detention</i>	\$1,308.48
<i>MIPS (scanning packages, payroll, Register of Deeds, email, backup) Dist. Court, County Court & Data Processing</i>	\$967.94
<i>NACO (South East Dist. Conference) Treasurer, Clerk, Vet. Service, Assessor, Noxious Weed</i>	\$210.00
<i>Nebraska Auditor of Public Accounts (final bill for Audit year end June 30, 2019) Misc.</i>	\$13,108.77
<i>Nebraska Clerk of Dist. Court Association (2020 summer workshop) Dist. Court</i>	\$75.00
<i>Nebraska Health & Human Services (Norfolk Regional Center-Feb. & March 2020) Institutions</i>	\$180.00
<i>Northside, Inc. (propane & fuel) Noxious Weed & Sheriff</i>	\$334.31
<i>OfficeNet (copier leases & copies) Treasurer & County Attorney</i>	\$240.74
<i>Paper Tiger Shredding (document shredding) Misc.</i>	\$60.00
<i>Pitney Bowes Global Financial Services (travel, labor, reused MS1 Hard drive) Misc.</i>	\$878.00
<i>Pitney Bowes Global Financial Services (lease on postal machine) Misc.</i>	\$696.48
<i>Plunkett's Pest Control (spray for pests) Bldg & Grnds</i>	\$78.00
<i>Region V Services (Butler County quarterly participation in Region V Services) Misc.</i>	\$3,695.75
<i>Region V Systems (EPC billing services provided by Lancaster County) Institutions</i>	\$856.00
<i>Rehmer Auto Parts (tow rope, injector care, cab fil, mask, wiper blades, etc.) Sheriff</i>	\$167.94
<i>Sack Lumber (screws & bits) Bldg & Grnds</i>	\$41.45
<i>Morgan Smith (Attorney Fees) Public Defender</i>	\$950.00
<i>State of Nebraska (employee deductions-State Tax Withholding) Misc.</i>	\$6.11
<i>Steager Lawn Care (snow removal) Bldg & Grnds</i>	\$150.00
<i>Summit Food Service (Inmate meals) Detention</i>	\$11,897.75
<i>The Printer (certificates) Sheriff</i>	\$35.00
<i>The Thorpe, Inc. (utilities & rent) Extension</i>	\$79.96
<i>Thomson Reuters-West (information charges & law library) Misc.</i>	\$1,376.84
<i>University of Nebraska-Lincoln (computer, software & monitor) Extension</i>	\$1,562.56
<i>University of Nebraska-Lincoln (program supplies) Extension</i>	\$6.37
<i>Neal Valorz (Attorney Fees)</i>	\$2,698.00



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<i>Public Defender</i>	
<i>Wal-Mart (jail supplies)</i>	\$121.20
<i>Detention</i>	
<i>Waste Connections (garbage service)</i>	\$187.00
<i>Bldg & Grnds</i>	
<i>Woods/Aitken (general labor)</i>	\$29.50
<i>Misc.</i>	
<i>Woolsey Electric (ballast & bulbs, repairs, replace & repair lights)</i>	\$1,210.05
<i>Detention, Bldg & Grnds & Noxious Weed</i>	
<i>Drew Behn (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Devin Betzen (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Alexis Buresh (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Thomas Dion (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Bill Drozd (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Joseph Ernst (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Cody Kruse (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Michael Mejstrik</i>	\$30.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Zach Pilcher (cell phone & frames)</i>	\$178.81
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Jason Reed (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Marla Schnell (cell phone, mileage & meals)</i>	\$169.83
<i>Sheriff</i>	
<i>Julie Reiter (cell phone, membership, mileage & cell phone)</i>	\$214.56
<i>County Attorney</i>	
<i>Robert Coufal (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Detention</i>	
<i>Angie Siebken (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Detention</i>	
<i>Andrew Yost (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Detention Center</i>	
<i>Joey Ossian (mileage)</i>	\$67.74
<i>Veteran Service</i>	
<i>Brian Foral (mileage)</i>	\$42.55
<i>Surveyor</i>	
<i>Stephanie Laska (mileage, zoom subscription, election cart)</i>	\$364.00
<i>County Clerk</i>	
<i>Sharon Woolsey (mileage)</i>	\$11.04
<i>County Clerk</i>	
<i>Crystal Hotovy (mileage)</i>	\$25.31
<i>Treasurer</i>	
<i>Mark Doehling (Covid 19 supplies)</i>	\$192.93
<i>Emergency Mgmt.</i>	
<i>Breann Whitmore (mileage)</i>	\$159.05
<i>Floodplain</i>	



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TOTAL

\$370,929.43

ROAD FUND CLAIMS

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
<i>Black Hills Energy (natural gas service)</i>	\$614.26
<i>David City Utilities (electric, water & sewer)</i>	\$538.13
<i>Verizon (hotspot)</i>	\$40.01
<i>Windstream (phone service)</i>	\$155.67
<i>Windstream (phone service-yards)</i>	\$106.15
<i>Black Hills Energy (natural gas service)</i>	\$420.98
<i>Butler Public Power Dist. (electrical service)</i>	\$2,459.87
<i>Motor Fuels Division (1st quarter Diesel Tax for 2020)</i>	\$2,199.00
<i>WEX Bank (unleaded fuel)</i>	\$933.45
<i>Salaries</i>	\$81,905.14
<i>Affordable Overhead Doors (remove OH door & install new door)</i>	\$5,623.00
<i>All Star Auto Glass of Columbus (replace glass)</i>	\$267.44
<i>Ameritas Life Insurance (employer share retirement)</i>	\$4,987.82
<i>Arps Gravel & Concrete (20 cy concrete)</i>	\$2,010.00
<i>BJ's Hardware (30 pc screwdriver bit set, sharpen chain saw, batteries, etc.)</i>	\$122.53
<i>Barco Municipal Products (10-stay back 100' signs)</i>	\$206.06
<i>Bellwood Ampride (unleaded gas)</i>	\$44.20
<i>Blue Cross Blue Shield (employer share health insurance premiums)</i>	\$6,977.72
<i>Bomgaars (2-airline kits, flux core wire -3 spools)</i>	\$102.95
<i>Bonecreek Township (road maintenance)</i>	\$5,068.13
<i>Butler County Landfill (21.76 ton fly ash)</i>	\$348.16
<i>Butler County Welding, Inc. (parts, labor, tools, steel & supplies)</i>	\$664.40
<i>BW Plus Mid Nebraska Inn & Suites (lodging)</i>	\$94.00
<i>Callaway Rolloffs (fender parts)</i>	\$56.21
<i>Central Valley Ag (diesel fuel)</i>	\$796.06
<i>Clock Tower Auto Mall (2015 Chevy pickup)</i>	\$26,300.00
<i>David City Ace Hardware (paint, great stuff, spray handle, drill bit set, etc.)</i>	\$173.01
<i>E.F.T.P.S. (employer's share social security withholding)</i>	\$6,104.61
<i>Fastenal Company (bolts, gloves)</i>	\$133.76
<i>Frontier Coop (diesel fuel)</i>	\$665.19
<i>Heartland Tires & Treads (tires & fees)</i>	\$2,648.00
<i>Hotsy Equipment (pressure washer)</i>	\$6,400.00
<i>Husker Steel (plate)</i>	\$359.00
<i>Ideal Pure Water of Lincoln (water cooler rental)</i>	\$8.60
<i>Indoff Incorporated (dry-erase board cleaner & markers)</i>	\$21.98
<i>Jackson Services (employee uniforms, entry mats & roller towels)</i>	\$1,215.01
<i>John Deere Financial (chain & bar, fuel injector cleaner, filters, graphite, etc.)</i>	\$590.61
<i>Johnson Sand & Gravel Co. (1448.61 ton course gravel picked up from pit)</i>	\$23,177.76
<i>Johnson Trucking (road gravel picked up at pit, coarse road gravel hauled)</i>	\$25,134.44
<i>Kenneth Kosch (rent on ground for Rip-Rap pile)</i>	\$100.00
<i>Kobza Motors, Inc. (alignment, fluids, plugs, blades, repair wire, motor mounts)</i>	\$5,338.04
<i>Lawson Products (cable ties)</i>	\$6.61
<i>Lee's Refrigeration (install gas line for pressure washer, mileage, repairs, etc.)</i>	\$3,740.14
<i>Lincoln Journal Star (notice to contractors)</i>	\$54.44
<i>Martin Marietta Materials (Rd stone)</i>	\$4,398.83
<i>Matheson Tri-Gas Inc. (oxygen tank refills & tank rentals)</i>	\$167.60



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<i>Menards (construction screws, silicone caulk)</i>	\$39.13
<i>Michael Todd & Company, Inc. (signs, hooded sweatshirts)</i>	\$747.03
<i>Mid-American Research Chemical (air freshener cans, foam cleaner, hand san.)</i>	\$428.78
<i>Midwest Service & Sales (delineators, culverts, bands, barricade tape, signs, etc.)</i>	\$14,897.81
<i>Murphy Tractor & Equipment (maintainer less trade in)</i>	\$214,853.53
<i>NACO Southeast Dist. (conference)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Roger & Cindy Nickolite (1st quarter gravel payment)</i>	\$1,413.00
<i>NMC (parts, labor)</i>	\$6,702.39
<i>Northside, Inc. (propane, diesel fuel, unleaded fuel, tires & fees)</i>	\$22,464.99
<i>Power Plan (rear view mirror & freight)</i>	\$161.64
<i>RC Pit Stop (unleaded gas)</i>	\$6.35
<i>RDO Truck Centers (wiper motor & windshield glass)</i>	\$312.77
<i>Region V Services (25 bundles lath)</i>	\$950.00
<i>Rehmer Auto Parts (parts, oil & supplies)</i>	\$1,022.85
<i>Rerucha Ag & Auto Supply (parts, tools, oil DEF & supplies)</i>	\$1,539.76
<i>Sack Lumber (silicone sealant, nails, glue, ripping, torx power bit, nuts, bolts, etc.)</i>	\$96.31
<i>Schmid & Sons (install used motor, R&R transmission, parts & labor)</i>	\$16,734.42
<i>Surplus Center (yellow universal seat/slide)</i>	\$86.05
<i>THIO Industrial (installation of door frame)</i>	\$3,343.01
<i>Truck Center Companies (2-filters & freight)</i>	\$244.52
<i>Village of Ulysses (water & sewer service)</i>	\$52.73
<i>Waste Connections of NE, Inc. (monthly garbage service)</i>	\$80.00
<i>Weldon Parts Inc. (hub caps, gaskets, wheel spacers, studs, shoes, drums, etc.)</i>	\$863.21
<i>Randy Isham (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Tom Kobus (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Jim McDonald (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Jim Novacek (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Jordan Jisa (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Leon Piitz (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Tim Vrana (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Jon White (cell phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Justin Chmelka (meal)</i>	\$10.78
<i>Jim Mally (trolling motor)</i>	\$176.94

TOTAL **\$510,976.97**

SPECIAL ROAD FUND CLAIMS

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
TOTAL	\$0.00

HIGHWAY BRIDGE BUYBACK

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
TOTAL	\$0.00

EQUIPMENT SINKING FUND



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Vendor

Applied Connective (installation-Sierra wireless modems)
Jones Automotive (2020 Chevrolet Tahoe Police Car installation)

Amount of Claim

\$15,941.75
\$19,788.87

TOTAL

\$35,730.62

CHILD SUPPORT INCENTIVE FUND

Vendor

Salaries
Ameritas Life Insurance Corporation (employer's share-retirement)
E.F.T.P.S. (employer's share-social security withholding)

Amount of Claim

\$970.00
\$48.60
\$70.00

TOTAL

\$1,088.60

VISITOR'S PROMOTION

Vendor

Amount of Claim

TOTAL

\$0.00

VISITOR'S IMPROVEMENT

Vendor

Amount of Claim

TOTAL

\$0.00

COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT SINKING FUND

Vendor

Amount of Claim

TOTAL

\$0.00

ROD PRESERVATION

Vendor

Bear Graphics (record binders, recording paper)
MIPS (Nebraska Deeds Online & microfilming)

Amount of Claim

\$979.41
\$316.90

TOTAL

\$1,296.31

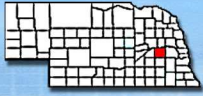
RELIEF/MEDICAL FUND CLAIMS

Vendor

Butler County Health Care Center (General Assist. For April 2020)

Amount of Claim

\$450.00



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TOTAL **\$450.00**

VETERAN'S AID CLAIMS

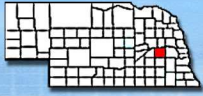
<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
TOTAL	\$0.00

RURAL TRANSIT SERVICE

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
<i>Black Hills Energy (natural gas service)</i>	\$49.20
<i>David City Utilities (electric, water & sewer-30%)</i>	\$390.81
<i>US Cellular (cell phone-30%)</i>	\$28.70
<i>Windstream (phone service-30%)</i>	\$38.70
<i>Black Hills Energy (natural gas service)</i>	\$34.29
<i>Salaries</i>	\$2,857.15
<i>ARE Pest Control (spray for pests)</i>	\$20.00
<i>Ameritas Life Insurance Corporation (employer's retirement)</i>	\$190.08
<i>Blue Cross Blue Shield (employer's share health insurance premiums)</i>	\$700.02
<i>Butler County Clinic (random drug tests)</i>	\$62.00
<i>Butler County Senior Services (easy time clocks)</i>	\$7.00
<i>E.F.T.P.S. (employer's share social security withholding)</i>	\$218.58
<i>Frontier Coop (fuel expense)</i>	\$224.30
<i>Hartman Auto Repair (replace/ installed hub assembly & repaired wheel sensor)</i>	\$350.41
<i>Steager Lawn Service (snow removal)</i>	\$217.50
TOTAL	\$5,388.74

SENIOR SERVICES PROGRAM

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
<i>David City Utilities (electric, water & sewer)</i>	\$911.90
<i>US Cellular (cell phone-70%)</i>	\$66.94
<i>Windstream (phone service-70%)</i>	\$90.33
<i>Salaries</i>	\$6,280.53
<i>ARE Pest Control (spray for pests)</i>	\$20.00
<i>Ameritas Life Insurance Corporation (employers share retirement)</i>	\$374.03
<i>Blue Cross Blue Shield (employer's share health insurance premiums)</i>	\$2,800.06
<i>Butler County Senior Services (parking, janitorial, food, time clock, fundraising)</i>	\$151.19
<i>Cash-Wa Distributing (food, paper products, supplies, fundraising, etc.)</i>	\$3,222.43
<i>Dale's Food Pride (food)</i>	\$10.60
<i>Didier's Grocery (food, fundraising)</i>	\$257.29
<i>E.F.T.P.S. (employer's share social security withholding)</i>	\$477.61
<i>Lee Enterprises (newspaper expense)</i>	\$16.50
<i>Time Warner Cable (cable)</i>	\$8.98
<i>Steager Lawn Service (snow removal)</i>	\$507.50
<i>SuperSaver (food, fundraising & supplies)</i>	\$260.93
<i>Joanna Brandenburgh (carpet cleaner)</i>	\$16.67



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Diana McDonald (food, fundraising, parking & Misc. Items)

\$17.18

TOTAL

\$15,490.67

SENIOR SERVICES SAVINGS FUND

Vendor

Applied Connective (dell laptop)

Amount of Claim

\$1,422.00

TOTAL

\$1,422.00

STOP PROGRAM CLAIMS

Vendor

Nebraska State Patrol Foundation (tactical Hooligan-NSP)

Amount of Claim

\$241.29

TOTAL

\$241.29

CANINE (K-9)

Vendor

Amount of Claim

TOTAL

\$0.00

DISASTER FUND

Vendor

Amount of Claim

TOTAL

\$0.00

INHERITANCE TAX

Vendor

Amount of Claim

TOTAL

\$0.00

911 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FUND CLAIMS

Vendor

Butler Public Power (Dwight & Birkel Towers)

Amount of Claim

\$80.23

Windstream (Butler County 911)

\$559.38

Applied Connective (dispatch remodel & surge protectors, Zuercher set up)

\$9,498.12

Salaries

\$18,837.74

Ameritas Life Insurance Corporation (employer's share retirement)

\$1,136.54

Blue Cross Blue Shield (employer's share health insurance premiums)

\$2,625.06

Butler Public Power (911 Tower Rent for April, 2020)

\$112.00



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<i>E.F.T.P.S. (employer's share social security withholding)</i>	\$1,435.13
<i>Indoff Incorporated (office supplies)</i>	\$90.18
<i>Myndi Graybill (phone)</i>	\$30.00
<i>Cherie Meysenburg (phone)</i>	\$30.00
TOTAL	\$34,434.38

911 WIRELESS FUND

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
<i>Windstream (Butler County 911)</i>	\$848.03
TOTAL	\$848.03

911 WIRELESS HOLDING FUND

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
TOTAL	\$0.00

AG SOCIETY BUILDING FUND

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
TOTAL	\$0.00