

The Otoe County Board of Commissioners convened as the Board of Equalization at 8:25 a.m. on Tuesday, March 14, 2023, in the County Courtroom of the Courthouse in Nebraska City; then convened in regular session at 8:30 a.m. Minutes of the previous meeting were not read as each Board Member was furnished with copies of the same. Members present were Jerad Sornson, Rick Freshman, Dan Crownover, and Chuck Cole. Commissioner James Parsons was absent. The following motions were passed by majority vote: to approve the motor vehicle exemption application submitted by First Baptist Church; to approve the updated Economic Growth Keno Grant Application; to approve cancelling check #23020107; to approve additional licensed area for a Class I liquor license held by Pearson Entertainment, LLC: trade name Pearson's Pumpkin Place; to approve an agreement to provide sick leave accrual to Denise Thummel from her date of rehire; to approve a contract with Midwest Engineering, Inc. for completing 2023 fracture critical bridge inspections; to approve a contract with Midwest Engineering, Inc. for completing 2023 routine bridge inspections. A complete account of the minutes may be seen in the County Clerk's Office or visit our website at www.otoecountyne.gov. The following claims were audited and allowed, and the County Clerk was instructed to issue checks in payment of same. **COUNTY GENERAL FUND:** Salaries/Benefits \$256,208.08; Amazon/sup \$1,144.91; American Recycling & Sanitation/srv \$331.00; Arbor Bank/sup \$70.00; Bob Barker/sup \$1,716.20; Boarders Inn & Suites/srv \$288.00; Burke Brown Law/srv \$300.00; Caseys/sup \$585.06; Colin Caudill, Sheriff/srv \$320.77; Center for Internet Security Inc/srv \$455.58; Charter Communications/srv \$215.19; Cherryroad Media/srv \$2,087.62; Joshua L Christolear/srv \$95.00; City of Syracuse/srv \$204.03; Clerk of the Supreme Court/srv \$306.00; Cody's U-Save Pharmacy/sup \$86.04; Consolidated Management Co/srv \$11.00; CVSOAN/reg \$120.00; Culligan of Percival/srv \$62.00; DAS State Accounting/srv \$704.00; Dept of Correctional Services/srv \$618.19; David M Dettman, DDS/srv \$490.00; Douglas Tire Inc/srv,sup \$2,135.49; Eakes/sup \$2,797.11; First Concord/srv \$546.00; First Wireless/srv \$338.88; Garcia Clinical Lab/srv \$20.00; Gottula Propane Service/sup \$6,189.15; Grass Kicking Lawns/srv \$125.00; Jere Gravatt/srv \$80.00; Henry Motors South/srv \$1,092.07; Hometown Leasing/srv \$205.15; Junior Vernon Hughes/srv \$30.00; JJ Keller & Associates/sup \$35.14; John Deere Financial/sup \$99.99; Johnson & Pekny/srv \$266.00; Knudsen, Berkheimer, Richardson/srv \$7,704.50; Keith M Kollasch/srv \$3,591.00; Nicki Kreifels, Otoe Co Treasurer/cap outlay \$150,000.00; Larson Motors/srv \$100.49; LIPS Printing Service/srv \$115.50; Madsen Electric/srv \$295.00; Diane Merwin/srv \$4,303.50; Angela M Minahan/srv \$570.00; MIPS/srv \$1,785.20; NC Utilities/srv \$3,884.98; NACO/reg \$120.00; Naylor/Rappl Law/srv \$95.00; Nebraska City Center for Children & Families/rent,srv \$5,393.23; NCDAA/reg \$225.00; NE Assoc of Emergency Mngt/reg \$110.00; Nelsen Rentals/rent \$500.00; Old Republic Surety Group/srv \$300.00; Otoe County Court/srv \$946.25; Otoe County Sheriff/srv \$37.50; Otoe County Treasurer/lodging \$132.00; Paper Tiger/srv \$144.00; Quadiant Finance/sup \$2,000.00; Region V/srv \$2,622.24; Janis Riege, Clerk Dist Court/srv \$108.00; Dana Ritchheart/sup \$245.00; Rural Water #3/cap outlay \$3,600.00; Sams Club/sup \$1,618.69; Sapp Bros/sup \$7,418.85; Sarpy County Sheriff/srv \$705.00; Sarpy County Treasurer/srv,mileage \$1,488.00; Schmitz Land Surveying Inc/srv,mileage \$2,834.75; Amanda Schnee PhD/srv \$30.00; TK Elevator Corp/srv \$338.52; UKG/srv \$1,358.00; VISA/sup,srv \$4,025.28; Westlake Hardware/sup \$62.37; Sarah G Wiltse/lodging,travel \$901.79; Windstream/srv \$64.76; Michael Ziskey/mileage \$111.32; **ROAD & BRIDGE FUND:** Salaries/Benefits \$58,103.13; Allied Oil/ sup \$162.71; American Recycling & Sanitation/srv \$77.31; Johnny Bebout/sup \$90.00; Compasscom Software/sup \$281.95; Consolidated Rural Water #1/srv \$127.60; ET's Lawn & Leisure/srv \$36.50; Gottula Propane/sup \$8,329.73; Keim Farm Equipment/sup \$79.57; Martin Marietta/sup \$96,885.49; Meeske Ace Hardware/sup \$95.43; Meeske Auto Parts/sup \$79.48; Menard's/sup \$808.33; MHC Kenworth/srv \$993.01; Murphy Tractor and Equipment/cap outlay \$23,869.82; NC Utilities/srv \$3,159.54; NACO/reg \$40.00; Nebraska Assn of County Engineers/dues \$50.00; Nebraska Machinery/srv,sup \$16,630.76; OPPD/srv \$26.83; O'Reilly Automotive/sup \$539.10; Overhead Door Company/srv \$50.00; Papillion Sanitation/srv \$76.42; Ramada/srv \$192.00; RDO Truck Center/sup \$827.24; Rural Water Dist #3/srv \$36.00; Sapp Bros Inc/sup \$28,770.86; Syracuse Do It Best/sup \$181.01; Syracuse Iron Works/sup \$1,067.24; Syracuse Motor Supply/srv \$488.06; Village of Douglas/srv \$71.20; Village of Palmyra/srv \$26.00; VISA/sup \$694.81; **PRESERVATION & MODERNIZATION FUND:** Capital Business Systems/srv \$311.02; MIPS/srv \$457.38; **COVID AMERICAN RESCUE/ARPA FUND:** First Wireless/sup \$1,274.40; Kreifels Electric LLC/srv \$3,425.55; **911 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FUND:** City of Syracuse/srv \$63.95; Language Line Service/srv \$4.13; NC Utilities/srv \$91.90; Windstream/srv \$3,427.06; **SE REGIONAL EMERGENCY MGT FUND:** Amanda Burki/meals \$145.26; Fairbury Light & Water/srv \$61.29; Gregg Goebel/meals,travel \$545.26; Johnson County/reg,travel,lodging \$1,547.27; Otoe County Treasurer/lodging, reg \$1,134.86; **CO BLDG MAINTENANCE FUND:** Bennett Refrigeration Inc/cap outlay \$3,324.51; CB Plumbing Service/srv \$546.88; Sam's Club/sup \$61.52; **GRAND TOTAL: \$749,633.74;** Signed by/ Charles Cole, 1st District Commissioner; Rick Freshman, 2nd District Commissioner; Jerad Sornson, 3rd District

Commissioner; Dan Crownover, 5th District Commissioner. ATTEST: Jennifer Bassinger, Otoe County Clerk