

The Otoe County Board of Commissioners convened at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday July 15, 2025, in the District Courtroom (208) of the Otoe County Courthouse in Nebraska City. Minutes of the previous meeting were not read as each Board Member was furnished with copies of the same. The members present were Commissioners Jerad Sornson, Rick Freshman, James Parsons, Dan Crownover, Chuck Cole. The following motions were passed by majority vote: to award the annual insurance bid to NIRMA in the amount of \$224,275 and approve a three-year membership; to designate the State Print Shop to facilitate the printing and mailing of the Joint Public Hearing postcards for 2025; , to approve an agreement between Otoe County and Region V Systems for EPC Services for the term of July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026; to approve canceling check #25060240 payable to University of Nebraska-Lincoln Public Policy Center in the amount of \$6,000.00; to approve an interlocal agreement between Otoe County and the City of Nebraska City for IT Services; to approve submitting a letter to Senator Fischer, Senator Ricketts, Congressman Smith, Governor Pillen, and Senator Hallstrom regarding the loss of BEAD eligible locations throughout Nebraska; to award bids for hauling aggregate to Wessels Trucking, Westover, and D & H Contracting. A complete account of the minutes may be seen in the County Clerk's Office or visit our website at www.otocountynet.org. The following claims were audited and allowed, and the County Clerk was instructed to issue checks in payment of same. Salaries and benefits \$334711.81; ADKINS SIGNS/srv \$40.00; AMAZON/sup \$196.74; AMAZON/sup \$403.43; AMAZON/sup \$231.34; AMAZON/sup \$55.54; AMERICAN RECYCLING & SANITATION/srv \$447.61; ANIMAL HOSPITAL/srv \$122.00; BOB BARKER CO/sup \$2062.12; BOLDT TIRE SUPPLY & SERVICE/srv \$271.54; BRYAN HEALTH/srv \$3977.20; CAPITAL BUSINESS SYSTEMS/srv \$176.09; CASEYS BUSINESS MASTERCARD/srv \$760.18; COLIN CAUDILL, SHERIFF/srv \$234.46; CENTRAL PLAINS VALUATION/srv \$6500.00; CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS/srv \$238.70; CITY OF SYRACUSE/srv \$357.88; CODY'S U-SAVE/srv \$143.19; COLUMN/srv \$34.41; DOUGLAS TIRE/srv \$5631.07; EAKES/sup \$3093.68; FAREWAY/sup \$959.55; FIRST CONCORD/srv \$540.00; FIRST STATE INSURANCE AGENCY/srv \$21.00; FIRST WIRELESS/srv \$1332.40; GOTTULA/srv \$25443.18; GUDE MORTUARY/srv \$600.00; HOMETOWN LEASING/srv \$2206.63; BRYAN KREIFELS/srv \$519.21; LANT HARDWARE/suo \$441.10; LARSON MOTORS/srv \$1000.00; KORY LIND/srv \$1660.00; BRAD MEAD/reim \$35.36; DIANE MERWIN/srv \$4092.00; MERZ INK/sup \$157.66; MEYERS BODY SHOP/srv \$1000.00; ANGELA M MINAHAN/srv \$693.50; MIPS/srv \$2361.58; N C UTILITIES/srv \$6029.99; NEBRASKA ASSOC OF EMERGENCY MNGT/dues \$75.00; NEBRASKA CITY CENTER FOR CHILDREN/srv,rent \$6001.81; NEBRASKA.GOV/srv \$8.50; NEMAHA COUNTY TREASURER/srv \$7985.23; NSVFA/dues \$60.00; OREILLY/sup \$216.44; OTOE COUNTY COURT/srv \$463.00; PAPER TIGER/srv \$180.00; PAPILLION SANITATION/srv \$135.56; PHYSICIANS LABORATORY PC/srv \$521.00; LARRY PICKETT/srv \$150.00; PINPOINT/srv \$246.75; JANIS A RIEGE, CLERK OF D.C./srv \$103.00; SAMS CLUB/sup \$805.36; SARPY COUNTY TREASURER/srv \$1772.14; SYRACUSE VETERINARY SERVICE/srv \$108.09; TK ELEVATOR CORPORATION/srv \$342.68; FIBER PLATFORM/srv \$2243.95; VERIZON WIRELESS/srv \$2684.57; VISA/srv \$3969.56; VISA/srv \$220.77; VISA/srv \$3409.22; BILL WALTERS & SON/srv \$50.00; WESTLAKE ACE HARDWARE/sup \$58.92; JACOB WIRTHELE/reim \$50.59; ACE IRRIGATION DBA ACE/EATON METALS/sup \$38611.38; ALL STAR GLASS OF LINCOLN LLC/srv \$275.00; ANTES FAMILY HARDWARE/sup \$245.03; BLACK HILLS ENERGY/srv \$22.82; BRIAN BRILEY/reim \$15.00; CONSOLIDATED RURAL WATER DIST #1/srv \$134.00; JEFF GRAY/reim \$36.95; JOHN DEERE FINANCIAL/sup \$951.49; KEIM FARM EQUIPMENT/sup \$717.80; SHAUN LEMPKA/reim \$31.00; MARTIN-MARIETTA/srv \$159522.35; MATHESON TRI-GAS/sup \$74.95; MEESKE ACE HARDWARE/sup \$85.82; MIDWEST SERVICE & SALES/sup \$960.00; MILLER SEED COMPANY/sup \$1800.00; NEBRASKA CITY NEWS PRESS/srv \$83.50; NEBRASKA MACHINERY COMPANY/srv \$31409.75; NE DEPT OF REVENUE/tax \$3179.00; NEW REBUY/sup \$600.00; OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SERVICES/srv \$133.00; OPPD/srv \$30.38; RDO TRUCK CENTERS/sup \$1065.98; RURAL WATER DISTRICT #3/srv \$33.00; SCHLEGEL AUTOMOTIVE/srv \$752.53; SYRACUSE LUMBER CO/sup \$45.00; SYRACUSE MOTOR SUPPLY/sup \$650.86; TIFCO INDUSTRIES/sup \$211.38; TRI-STATE RENTALS/srv \$85.00; VERIZON/srv \$1012.75; VILLAGE OF DOUGLAS/srv \$72.40; VILLAGE OF PALMYRA/srv \$26.00; VISA/srv \$558.23; WHETROCK/srv \$37297.90; YANT EQUIPMENT/srv \$23743.40; HERBST CONSTRUCTION/srv \$41023.05; COLIN CAUDILL/reim \$41.73; TRANS UNION RISK AND ALTERNATIVE/srv \$215.00; RAY ALLEN MANUFACTURING/sup \$179.99; SHIPLEY FLOORING/srv \$9922.98; WEATHERCRAFT CO OF LINCOLN/srv \$62420.00; NE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE/tax \$9140.00; NEBRASKA CITY AREA ECONOMIC/cont \$10000.00; LANGUAGE LINE SERVICES INC/srv \$13.57; WINDSTREAM/srv \$1142.68; WINDSTREAM/srv \$412.00; CB PLUMBING SERVICES/srv \$500.00; TERRACON/srv \$6267.20; **GRAND TOTAL: \$886396.14**; by/ Charles Cole, 1st District Commissioner; Rick Freshman, 2nd District Commissioner; Jerad Sornson, 3rd District Commissioner; James Parsons, 4th District Commissioner; Dan Crownover, 5th District Commissioner. ATTEST: Jenny Bassinger, Otoe County Clerk