

HARLAN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISOR'S
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

From **June 3rd, 2025**

The Harlan County Board of Supervisors met in regular session Tuesday, June 3rd, 2025, in the Community Room of the Harlan County Courthouse in Alma, NE, as advertised in the Harlan County Journal and posted on the County website **harlancounty.ne.gov**, with Supervisors Mike Clements; Cindy Boehler; Jeff Bash; George Scott, Joe Schnuerle and Janice Miller-Boston present. Also, present were County Clerk Jessie Martin, Highway and Weed Superintendent Tim Burgeson. Absent was Rob Schmidt

At 9:30am Chairman Boehler called the meeting to order, announced that there is a copy of the Open Meetings Act posted at the south end of the room which will be followed by the Board. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The board reviewed and discussed payroll. Motion was made by Clements and second by Scott to go into executive session at 9:48am for personnel matters. Roll call votes: Schnuerle-Yes; Schmidt-absent; Clements-yes; Boehler-yes; Bash-yes; Scott-yes; Miller-Boston-yes. Motion carried. Motion to come out of executive session at 10:05 am was made by Bash and seconded by Schnuerle. Roll call votes: Schnuerle-Yes; Schmidt- absent; Clements-yes; Boehler-yes; Bash-yes; Scott-yes; Miller-Boston-yes. Motion carried. Motion to pay payroll claims as submitted with one claim being held made by Bash and seconded by Miller-Boston. Roll call votes: Schnuerle-Yes; Schmidt- absent; Clements-yes; Boehler-yes; Bash-yes; Scott-yes; Miller-Boston-yes. Motion carried. Motion to pay Vendor Claims as submitted by Clements and seconded by Scott. Roll call votes: Schnuerle-Yes; Schmidt- absent; Clements-yes; Boehler-yes; Bash-yes; Scott-yes; Miller-Boston-yes. Motion carried.

Chairman Boehler asked the Board if they had reviewed the Minutes from the May 20th, 2025, regular Board meeting and called for any additions or corrections. With none, a motion was made by Bash to approve the minutes from May 20th, 2025, as presented. Second by Schnuerle. Roll call votes: Schnuerle-Yes; Schmidt- absent; Clements-yes; Boehler-yes; Bash-yes; Scott-yes; Miller-Boston-yes. Motion carried.

Jesse Langley and Ryan Melton came before the board to give updates on predator control and submit a new contract for the 2025-2026 budget year.

Treasurer Sandy Artz came before the board with her written notice of retirement effective September 30, 2025, and with budgets needs for the treasurer office for the 2025-2026 budget year. The board thanked Sandy for her 30 years of service to Harlan County.

Highway & Weed Superintendent, Tim Burgeson came before the Board and presented the Fracture Critical Bridge Inspection agreement with Oak Creek Engineering. Motion made by Clements to approve the Fracture Critical Bridge Inspection agreement with Oak Creek Engineering and seconded by Schnuerle. Roll call votes: Schnuerle-Yes; Schmidt- absent; Clements-yes; Boehler-yes; Bash-yes; Scott-yes; Miller-Boston-yes. Motion carried. Burgeson also gave updates on the new road grader purchase.

The Building and Grounds committee gave updates on the tree that needs removed from the back of the courthouse. Chairman Cindy Boehler gave updates on Miss Liberty, will be picked up later this month.

Public Forum: Ryan with the USDA Wildlife came before the board to see if the board had any question for him on the predator control bid he turned in May 20th.

With no further business, a motion was made by Bash to adjourn the meeting at 11:36am. Second by Miller-Boston. Roll call votes: Schnuerle-yes; Schmidt-Absent; Clements-yes; Boehler-yes; Bash-yes; Scott-yes; Miller-Boston-yes. Motion carried. Chairman Boehler adjourned the meeting at 11:36 am.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 17, 2025, commencing at 9:30 a.m.

ATTEST: /s/ Jessie Martin, County Clerk

/s/ Cindy Boehler, Chairman

Agenda & Minutes can be found on the County website: **harlancounty.ne.gov**

CLAIMS: GENERAL: Payroll \$76,168.24/ Claims: Advanced Family Health care-Inmate Medical \$110.80; American Family Life \$485.88; Adam County Justice Center-Safekeeping \$1,100.00; Ameritas Life Insurance-Vision \$330.84; Ameritas Life Insurance Corp-Retirement \$12,066.32; Mickayla Blender-Mileage \$326.27; Central Dental Group-Inmate Medical \$455.00; Community Bank- Payroll Deduction HAS \$1,945.00; Bryan Crowder-Phone \$45.00; Daake Law Office-Public Defender \$4,375.00; Dewald, Deaver Law- Attorney Fees \$1,437.50; Wayne Dietz-Wage \$3,509.95; Eakes Office Solutions-Supplies \$105.24; FGH Law Office- Attorney Fees \$792.60; First State Bank-payroll deductions \$22,442.44; Harlan County Title-Title Search \$450.00; Harlan County Journal-Publishing \$127.22; Harlan County Treasurer Transfer- To Road Fund \$150,000; Hometown Leasing-Office Equipment \$115.86; Main Street Variety-Supplies \$8.29; Marvin Planning Consultants INC-Planning Cost \$6,300.00; Mayda Jensen-Misc \$9,500; Medica-Health Insurance \$18,239.27; Ryan Melton-Predatory Control \$4,491.23; Mips-Data Processing \$1,518.97; Naco-Dues \$200.00; NE Department of Revenue-payroll deductions \$3,259.78; Nebraska Public Power District-Utilities \$555.58; NIRMA-Insurance \$48,675.00; Point C/Mid-American Benefits – Premiums \$156.75; Darcie Porter-Phone allowance \$45.00; Quad-C Consulting-Inspections \$2,187.50; Quill-Office Supplies \$464.91; South Central Area on Aging- Services \$1,114.35; State of Nebraska Central Finance-Teletype Service \$537.60; Lincoln National Life Insurance-premiums \$1,529.18; Trustworthy Hardware-Maintenance supplies \$128.62; Twin Valleys Public Power District-Utilities \$113.55; UNL Print and Copy Service-Printing \$49.93; Verizon Wireless- Phones \$243.05; Viaero-Phone \$107.46; Whitney Schroeder-Child Support Enforcement Salary \$1,100.00, Attorney Dues \$183.33; 136 Auto Body-Repair \$1,800.00 **General Fund total:** \$378,898.51

ROAD FUND: Payroll \$43,382.60/ Claims: American Family Life \$879.90; Ameritas Life Insurance-Vision \$198.48; Ameritas Life Insurance-Retirement \$7,042.07; Community Bank-payroll deductions \$565.00; Credit Management Services-Garnishment \$589.11; First State Bank-payroll deductions \$14,737.10; Hogeland Market-Supplies \$2.89; Huntley Service-Fuel \$129.19; J&A Traffic Products-Supplies \$13,237.50; Landmark Implement-Repair \$22.20; Medica-Health Insurance \$11,134.57; Nebraska Child Support Payment Center-Employee withholding \$949.00; NE Department of Revenue-payroll deductions \$2,255.44; NMC Exchange-Repairs \$674.17; NE Public Employees Local 251-Union Dues \$275.00; NIRMA-Insurance \$39,059.00; Lincoln National Life Insurance-premiums \$798.35; Titan Machinery-Parts \$40.00; Village of Republican City- Water \$35.06; **Road Fund total:** \$119,550.84

TOURISM: Jordann Dunlay- Salary \$1,200.00.

E911: City of Holdrege-Emergency Services \$275.01.

Grand total: \$516,380.15