



Gosper County Board Minutes



COURTHOUSE

ELWOOD, NEBRASKA

SEPTEMBER 28, 2022

A meeting of the Gosper County Board of Commissioners was convened in open and public session at 9:00 a.m. on September 28, 2022, at the Gosper County Courthouse, Elwood, Nebraska. Present were Chairperson Terry Lerdall and Member Glenn Hofman and Bruce Bader. Clerk Cynthia Evans was present to record the proceedings. Co. Atty. Beverly B. Louthan was also present.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by publication in the Valley Voice, Cambridge, NE on September 22, 2022. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the published notice. All proceedings of the Board were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

The undersigned Clerk hereby certifies that these minutes were written and available for public inspection within ten (10) working days after the date of said meeting.

The meeting was duly called to order and Chairman Lerdall announced and informed the public that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act is posted on the wall of the meeting room.

The Minutes of September 14, 2022 were read. Motion by Bader, seconded by Lerdall to approve the minutes as read. Roll Call Vote: "Aye" Lerdall, Hofman, Bader, motion carried.

Audit and approval were made for the following payrolls and claims:

GENERAL FUND: PERSONAL SERVICES- September Payroll: \$64,388.10; AFLAC, \$840.21; Ameritas, \$7,202.62; BC/BS, \$10,605.13; Delta Dental, \$708.38; Empower, \$200.00; First Concord, \$1,922.24; IRS, \$14,564.65; B. Bogle Louthan PC, \$2,491.97; Madison Nat, \$49.09; NE Dept of Rev. \$2,356.81; VSP, \$162.58; **OPERATING EXPENSES-** ATC, \$124.70; K. Beck, \$129.99; CAMAS, \$571.02; Comm Act Prtnr, \$1,638.10; DAS St Acct, \$646.60; J. Daake, \$2,000.00; Davis Law, \$767.33; Dawson Co Shrf, \$600.00; DPPD, \$993.49; Elwood Pub Lib, \$890.25; Fye Law Office, \$361.37; GTP Acq, \$355.84; Heldt, McKoene & Copley, \$300.00; Ideal Linen, \$212.58; R. McFarland, \$57.81; MIPS, \$2,061.75; D. Mitchell, \$340.00; NACO, \$900.00; J. Naputi, \$52.02; NE Tech & Tele, \$835.44; NSA/Poan Conf, \$130.00; Reg II Human Svc, \$1,949.00; E. Shultz, \$70.20; Urbom Law Ofc, \$694.30; Vill of Elwood, \$193.78; West Ctrl, NE Area on Aging, \$1,895.88; Woodward's, \$25.00; **SUPPLIES-** Aurora CoOp, \$338.80; Chase, \$1,516.61; NexToner, \$75.00; Red Barn, \$899.75; USave, \$155.36; **EQUIPMENT RENTAL-** Hometown Lsg, \$229.88; **CAPITAL OUTLAY-** NE Storage, \$80.00; Verizon, \$200.05;

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND: PERSONAL SERVICES- August Payroll: \$38,239.01; Aflac, \$39.10; Ameritas, \$3,971.84; BC/BS, \$6,179.82; Delta Dental, \$476.22; First Concord, \$760.00; IRS, \$8,235.00; Madison Natl, \$46.09; NE Dept of Rev, \$1,121.80; VSP, \$87.95; **OPERATING EXPENSES-** A&T Repair, \$2,240.23; ATC, \$51.48; Aurora CoOp, \$50,955.78; Bear Frame & Align, \$1,205.04; Black Hills, \$49.63; Card Svc, \$769.55; Central Hydro, \$108.50; D&D Svc, \$80.00; DPPD, \$121.56; John Deere Fin, \$2,826.88; K. Lehmann, \$46.62; Lofquist Weld, \$590.00; NACO, \$150.00; NE Tech & Tele, \$236.45; NMC, \$4,330.21; Platte Vall Comm, \$242.50; Platte Vall Glass, \$90.00; Surplus Ctr, \$ 241.57; TVPPD, \$48.21; Verizon, \$93.62; Village of Elw, \$48.01; **SUPPLIES-** Ag Valley, \$248.26; Bauer Blt, \$3,056.45; CHS Agri Svc, \$99.46; Matheson, \$39.06; Mendards, \$698.60; Paulsen, \$12,566.27; RDO Truck Ctr, \$7.50; D. Schwarz, \$266.69; D. Schwarz, \$49.48; **CAPITAL OUTLAY-** Adams Const, \$3,220.00;

KENO/LOTTERY FUND: SUPPLIES- Elwood Legion Aux Post#290, \$200.00;

TREASURER'S MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS: \$209,917.35.

At 10:00 a.m., two interviews were conducted for the Courthouse Custodian/Maintenance job.

Ann Higgins Cox, Vice Regent of the Nebraska State NSDAR was present with several other members regarding placing a a DAR American 250 Patriots Marker at the Courthouse in honor of Dorothy Gene W. Abbott, a member of the DAR. Motion by Bader, seconded by Hoffman to approve the placement of the Patriots Marker in front of the Courthouse. Roll Call Vote: "Aye" Lerdall, Bader, Hoffman, motion carried.

Pam Abbott was present to discuss damages to her fence located in Section 20/21-8-21. On 9/17/22 a large amount of rain caused the County tree pile to float into her fence. Discussion was held, Pam agreed to have the County go ahead and remove the trees from the fence line and bury them. She would like to consult with her legal counsel regarding the trees that are in her pond.

Hwy. Supt. Mike Snyder was present and gave a road report.



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At 11:30 a.m., Chairman Lerdall opened the Public Hearing for the One and Six Year Road Hearing. Hwy. Supt. Mike Snyder was present. No others appeared. Hwy. Supt. Snyder reviewed the One and Six Year Road projects. Discussion was held. Chairman Lerdall closed the Public Hearing. Motion by Bader, seconded by Lerdall to approve **Resolution No. 22-17** in accordance with Chapter 39, Article 21 of the Statutes of the State of Nebraska and prescribed by the Board of Public Roads Classifications and Standards for the One and Six Year Road Plan. Roll Call Vote: "Aye" Lerdall, Bader, Hofman, motion carried.

The Board approved an Application for Permit to Construct on County ROW for Doyle Benson.

The Board adjourned at 12:25 p.m.

ATTEST:

Cynthia E. Evans, Clerk
(Seal)

Terry G. Lerdall, Chairperson

The next regular meeting of the Gosper County Board of Commissioners will be October 12, 2022, at the Gosper County Courthouse, Elwood, Nebraska. The Board will convene on October 31, 2022 at 9:00 a.m., at the Gosper County Courthouse, Elwood, Nebraska to conduct a regular session and to audit claims. Claims to be audited shall be filed with the County Clerk by October 24, 2022.