



Greeley County Board Minutes



Greeley County Commissioner Minutes

The Greeley County Board of Commissioners of Greeley County, Nebraska met in regular session at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday September 27, 2011 in the Commissioners Room in the Courthouse in Greeley, Nebraska. Chairman Reilly called the meeting to order and the Commissioners present for roll call were Leo Reilly, Doug Wrede and Michael Goldfish. Also present was County Clerk Mindy Grossart.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance by publication and the convened meeting was open to the public. Chairman Reilly noted the Open Meeting Laws are posted and available to the public. Chairman Reilly asked all present to join in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Goldfish moved to waive the reading and approve the county board minutes from the September 13, 2011 meeting, second by Wrede. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

County payroll and vendor claims were reviewed by the board. Motion by Goldfish, second by Wrede to approve the claims as presented. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. GENERAL FUND: Salaries, \$17,152.79, EFTPS Matching SS, \$1,312.15, Ameritas Life Ins Corp, Matching County Retirement, \$1,175.09, Prior Service Benefits, \$56.00, Blue Cross Blue Shield, \$26,147.41, Mid American Benefits \$662.50, ROAD FUND: Salaries, \$9,898.38, EFTPS Matching SS, \$757.24, Ameritas Life Ins Corp, Matching County Retirement, \$498.46.

The Board drafted a letter to the Greeley County Elected and Appointed Official's thanking them for working through the budget process in a professional manner and adhering to the recommended three percent or less increase to their budgets. Since the budgets have been adopted they also wanted to remind everyone of their responsibility to stay within their fiscal year budget as stated in Neb. Rev. Stat. 23-916.

Motion by Wrede, second by Goldfish to open a Public Hearing at 2:00 p.m. on a proposed vacation or abandonment of Road #64 in the S ½ of S-6 T-19 R-10. Don Roy Road Superintendent and Elizabeth Knoop Road Assistant were present for the Public Hearing. Mark Cockerill and Road Superintendent Don Roy spoke in favor of closing Road #64; there was no testimony in opposition. Wrede moved to close the Public Hearing at 2:05 p.m., second by Goldfish. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried. The Board discussed the proposed vacation or abandonment then Wrede moved to approve the closing of Road #64, 815th Road between 498th and 499th Avenues leaving the right of way open on 498th and 499th Avenues, second by Goldfish. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Joan Goodrich Assessment Assistant with the Assessor's Office met with the Board with a request to purchase Apex Sketching for their office. She explained the new program Orion doesn't provide enough detail on the properties and recommended purchasing the program while the State is still paying for 50% for the expenses. The Board asked Joan to provide them with some price quotes from Apex and then they will review the claim during the next meeting.

Walter Bjorklund Weed Superintendent met with the County Board to discuss the 15 day notices that were sent to some landowners for non compliance with the Nebraska Noxious Weed Act. Most of the landowners have submitted receipts for the product to spray or a bill from an Aerial Company that sprayed their property.

Motion made by Reilly to adjourn the Board meeting at 3:37 p.m., second by Goldfish. Roll Call Vote: All yes, motion carried.

Dated this 3rd day of October 2011.

Leo F. Reilly, Chairman

ATTEST:
Mindy A. Grossart
Greeley County Clerk