February 24, 2026
Boardroom-Courthouse
Loup City, Nebraska

Sherman County Board of Commissioners

The Sherman County Board of Commissioners met in regular session on Tuesday, February 24, 2026, in the Boardroom of the Sherman County Courthouse with the following persons present: Tom Bandur-Chairman, Kenneth Kaslon-Vice Chairman, and David Siegel. Also, present was Sasha Habe- Sherman County Clerk. The Chairman called the meeting to order at 9:00a.m. Notice of the meeting was published in the Sherman County Times and given in advance to all members of the Board. At the beginning of the meeting, the Chairman announced and informed the public that a current copy of the Open Meeting Act was posted on the South wall of the Boardroom with copies of the Act also available in the Boardroom for public viewing.

Those present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Board reviewed the minutes of February 11, 2026, regular meeting. An agenda was posted in the Clerk's office and kept continuously current. Motion by Kaslon and seconded by Siegel to approve the previous minutes as written with proof of publication on file. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Bandur, Kalson, Siegel. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Public Comment- None.

The Board reviewed the mail received, the claims submitted for payment, the Treasurer's Receipt Report for January 2026 and the Library Board and Region 26 minutes.

- **DISCUSSION**
- Joel Bergman-Sheriff advised the board he is still waiting for responds from City of Loup City on interlocal agreement.
- Melissa Dush-Sherman County Economic Development Director updated the Board on rural housing, LC Visioning 2030, ribbon cutting at Bowmans, and discussed potential candidates to join Tourism Committee.
- Mitch Dzingle-Noxious Weed Superintendent discussed advertising for position and job description, along with timeframe of training new person. Mitch said he would stay and help train for as long as it took.
- Ralph Baker-Custodial annual review. Ralph mentioned retiring by the end of the year. The board asked for a 3 months notice, if possible so they can advertise for the position and discuss training.
- Dave Siegel discussed Litchfield Library potentially moving to Litchfield Public Schools. He will follow up with the school after their board meeting to see what the next steps will be.

- **ACTION ITEMS**
- Motion by Kaslon and seconded by Bandur to approve Maschka's for purchase and installation of flooring in the Extension Office. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Siegel, Kaslon, Bandur. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Bandur and seconded by Siegel to approve one time funding to the Loup City Senior Center for operational cost in the amount of $5,000.
  Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Kaslon, Bandur, Siegel. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Kaslon and seconded by Siegel to approve the claims submitted for payment and the Treasurer's Receipt Report for January 2026. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Siegel, Kaslon, Bandur. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.
- **DISCUSSION**
- General road business was discussed with Eric Person-Highway Superintendent.
- Tom Bandur-Chairman discussed renaming 480th Road to Schaupps Road.
- **OPENING OF SEALED GRAVEL BIDS FOR 2026**
  Eric Person-Highway Superintendent Present. Also present was Scott Ulrich of Ulrich Gravel for the opening of sealed gravel bids for 2026. Chairman Bandur noted proof of publication of Notice to bidders for gravel and at 11:00a.m. opened all sealed gravel bid submitted and read aloud. The Board reviewed the bids by township. Mr. Bandur announced the low bids in each township area for gravel. Motion was made by Kaslon and seconded by Siegel to accept the low bids in each township for gravel as presented. Roll Call Vote. Ayes: Bandur, Kaslon, Siegel. Nays: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.
- **ADJOURN –** Chairman Bandur adjourned the meeting at 12:02p.m.

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Sasha N. Habe - Sherman County Clerk