

September 23, 2025
Boardroom-Courthouse
Loup City, Nebraska

Sherman County Board of Commissioners

The Sherman County Board of Commissioners met in regular session on Tuesday, September 23, 2025, 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 Marcy Sekutera- Sherman County Clerk. The Chairman called the meeting to order at 9:30a.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.

The Board reviewed the minutes of the September 10, 2025, 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, Kaslon, Siegel. Nays: None. Motion carried.
Public Comment- None.

The Board reviewed the mail received, the claims submitted for payment, the Treasurer's Receipt Report for August 2025 and the Library Board minutes.

- **DISCUSSION**

- Britney Gorecki-Budget Preparer of Laurie Johnson LLC reviewed Resolution No. 16-25 of Adoptions & Appropriations, the Budget Message and Resolution No. 17-25, setting final tax request with the Board.

- **ACTION ITEMS**

- Motion by Siegel and seconded by Kaslon to approve and authorize Commissioners to sign Resolution No. 16-25 of Adoption and Appropriations for the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2026.
Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Kaslon, Siegel, Bandur. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Kaslon and seconded by Bandur to approve and authorize Chairman to sign 2025/2026 Budget Message, 2025/2026 tax levy will decrease to 0.235498 with no levy for bonded indebtedness.
Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Kaslon, Siegel, Bandur. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Kaslon and seconded by Siegel to approve and authorize Commissioners to sign Resolution No. 17-25, the 2025-2026 property tax request be set at: General Fund \$3,039,582; Loup City Library Fund \$46,570; Litchfield Library Fund \$2,000- tax rate 0.235498 per \$100.00 of assessed value.
Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Siegel, Bandur, Kaslon. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Siegel and seconded by Kaslon to approve and authorize Chairman to sign Resolution No. 18-25, directing Treasurer to automatically transfer funds to Road Department from the collection of the 2025 tax levy.
Roll Call Vote: Kaslon, Siegel, Bandur, Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Bandur and seconded by Kaslon to approve and authorize Chairman to sign Resolution No. 19-25, transfer of funds from the General Fund to the Planning & Zoning Fund for 2025/2026 fiscal year budget in the amount of \$12,000.00.
Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Siegel, Bandur, Kaslon. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Kaslon and seconded by Siegel to approve and authorize Chairman to sign Resolution No. 20-25. Transfer of funds from the General Fund to the Noxious Weed Fund for the 2025/2026 fiscal year budget in the amount of \$49,155.00
Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Bandur, Kaslon, Siegel. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Bandur and seconded by Kaslon to approve and authorize Chairman to sign Application for Payment No. 1 in the amount of \$128,196.00 for Project No. 140-E1-003, Bowman Lake Hike & Bike Trail.
Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Kaslon, Siegel, Bandur. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Siegel and seconded by Kaslon to approve and authorize Chairman to sign Resolution No. 21-25, transfer of funds from Inheritance Tax Fund to Bowman Lake Trail Fund for Project No. 140-E1-003, Bowman Lake Hike & Bike Trail. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Siegel, Bandur, Kaslon. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Motion by Kaslon and seconded by Siegel to approve the claims submitted for payment and the Treasurer's Receipt Report for August 2025. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Bandur, Kaslon, Siegel. Nays: None. Motion carried.

- **ROAD DEPARTMENT**

- **ACTION ITEMS**

- Motion by Siegel and seconded by Bandur to approve and authorize Chairman to sign Addendum Standardized System of Annual Reporting Roads & Streets Certification as per LB 904 for fiscal year ending June 30, 2025.
Roll Call Vote: Ayes Bandur, Kaslon, Siegel. Nays: None. Motion carried.

- **DISCUSSION**

- The Board reviewed the Annual Certification to the Board of Public Roads and Classifications from July 1, 2024, to June 30, 2025, and permits to work in County Road Right of way submitted by Matt Skaggs and Mason Jager for 56 Land & Cattle.
- General road business was discussed with Eric Person-Highway Superintendent.
- **ADJOURN** – Chairman Bandur adjourned the meeting at 11:45a.m.

The permanent record of these proceedings is available for viewing in the office of the Sherman County Clerk.

Marcy L. Sekutera/Sherman County Clerk