REGULAR SESSION AUGUST 4, 2025

The Board of Nemaha County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday, August 4, 2025 in the Commissioner's Room of the Nemaha County Courthouse. The meeting was called to order with Chairman Jason Koch leading the flag salute. Present also were Commissioners Ben Glace and Joe Dalinghaus, County Counselor Austin Parker, County Administrator Robert Reece, and County Clerk Mary Kay Schultejans recording the minutes.

Jason Koch led those present in an opening prayer to begin the meeting this morning.

The board set the agenda for today's meeting. Ben Glace moved to approve the agenda for August 4, 2025 as presented. Joe Dalinghaus seconded the motion. The motion carried with all voting aye.

The board reviewed the minutes from the July 28, 2025 meeting. Joe Dalinghaus moved to approve the minutes as amended. Ben Glace seconded the motion. The motion carried with all voting aye.

Chairman Jason Koch called for Open Public Forum to begin at 9:19 am. No one came before the board to speak during today's forum. Chairman Jason Koch ended public forum at 9:28 am.

Road and Bridge/Solid Waste Report:

Road and Bridge/Solid Waste Supervisor Adam Kuckelman advised the board that:

- he received tire bids for Truck #120 that he shared with Commissioners. Following review of the bids, Ben Glace moved to purchase tires from C&K Service in the amount of \$3,200. These tires are the desired equipment for this vehicle and are also Adam's preference for this vehicle. Jason Koch seconded the motion. The motion carried with all voting aye.
- the guys are currently blading roads and spotting in rock where needed.
- the guys transferred chips from the county yard to Sabetha last week.

Jason Koch moved to approve the bid from UR Solutions in the amount of \$600 for GIS Voting Boundary Layers, with this cost to be paid out of the Election Fund. This mapping is being requested by the Kansas Secretary of State's Office with no funding being provided by the State for this. Ben Glace seconded the motion. The motion carried with all voting aye.

County Administrator Robert Reece requested an executive session with Commissioners. Jason Koch moved to hold a fifteen-minute executive session until 10:13 am to discuss non-elected personnel related matters. Ben Glace seconded the motion. The motion carried with all voting aye. Present for the executive session was the Board of Commissioners, County Counselor Austin Parker, and County Administrator Robert Reece. The meeting returned to open session at 10:13 am with no action taken by the board following the executive session.

Senior Services/Public Transit Director Marie Weaver came before the board to share tire bids received for two 2023 Chrysler Voyagers with Commissioners. Commissioners advised Marie to provide them with mileage information for the tires currently on these two vehicles before they approve the purchase of new tires.

County Counselor Austin Parker requested an executive session with Commissioners. Jason Koch moved to hold a fifteen-minute executive session until 11:07 am to discuss non-elected personnel related matters. Ben Glace seconded the motion. The motion carried with all voting aye. Present for the executive session was the Board of Commissioners, County Counselor Austin Parker, and County Administrator Robert Reece. At 11:07 am, Commissioners requested to extend the executive session for an additional ten minutes. The meeting returned to open session at 11:17 am with no action taken by the board following the executive session.

The board reviewed payroll reports for the June/July 2025 payroll period. Ben Glace moved to approve the June/July 2025 payroll in the amount of \$507,941.49 with benefits included. Joe Dalinghaus seconded the motion. The motion carried with all voting aye. Commissioners signed the payroll reports as presented.

NET PAY ISSUED THRU FIRST HERITAGE BANK JULY 31, 2025

General Fund	\$85,371.08
Law Enforcement Expense Fund	\$100,191.19
Road and Bridge Fund	\$41,672.59
Noxious Weed Fund	\$8,011.29
Election Fund	\$2,752.66
Transportation for Aging	\$15,125.85
Title III C-1	\$5,904.47
Title III C-2	\$1,788.03
Capital Outlay Fund	\$4,662.64
Solid Waste	\$3,542.42

Total Net Pay: \$269,022.22

PAYROLL INVOICES ISSUED THRU FIRST HERITAGE BANK JULY 31, 2025

General Fund	\$45,820.10
Law Enforcement Expense Fund	\$44,322.31
Road and Bridge Fund	\$15,174.16
Noxious Weed Fund	\$2,849.61
Employee Benefits Fund	\$184,668.69
Election Fund	\$1,680.70
Transportation for Aging	\$5,268.05
Title III C-1	\$2,618.99
Title III C-2	\$1,295.00
Capital Outlay Fund	\$7,037.36
Solid Waste	\$2,399.58
Grand Total:	\$313,134.55

The board reviewed vouchers submitted by the different departments to be paid this week. Ben Glace moved to approve the AP warrants to be paid on August 4, 2025 as presented. Joe Dalinghaus seconded the motion. The motion carried with all voting aye.

WARRANTS ISSUED THRU FIRST HERITAGE BANK AUGUST 4, 2025

General Fund	\$17,151.15
Law Enforcement Expense Fund	\$12,111.54
Road and Bridge Fund	\$361,859.04
Noxious Weed Fund	\$642.59
Transportation for Aging	\$772.13
Title III C-2	\$104.39

BOOK 5

Solid Waste \$1,783.20 Grant - State Formula Grant \$18.00 Cell Phones-e911 \$118.31

Enhanced 911-Phone Service \$1,438.66

Grand Total: \$395,999.01

Ben Glace moved to hold a ten-minute executive session until 11:57 am to discuss the pay and performance of non-elected personnel. Jason Koch seconded the motion. The motion carried with all voting aye. Present for the executive session was the Board of Commissioners and County Administrator Robert Reece. At 11:57 am, Commissioners requested to extend the executive session for an additional five minutes. The meeting returned to open session at 12:02 pm with no action taken by the board following the executive session.

With no further county business coming before the board, Chairman Jason Koch adjourned the meeting at 12:05 pm. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on Monday, August 11, 2025 at 9:00 am.

SIGNED AND APPROVED NEMAHA COUNTY COMMISSION	ATTEST:	
CHAIRMAN	CLERK	