

SPECIAL SESSION  
SEPTEMBER 4, 2025

The Board of Nemaha County Commissioners met in special session on Thursday, September 4, 2025 at 9:00 am in the Commissioner’s Room of the Nemaha County Courthouse. Present for the meeting was Commissioner Jason Koch, Commissioner Ben Glace, Commissioner Joe Dalinghaus, County Counselor Austin Parker, County Administrator Robert Reece, and County Clerk Mary Kay Schultejans recording the minutes.

Chairman Jason Koch called the meeting to order by leading the flag salute.

Senior Services/Public Transit Director Marie Weaver came before the board to explain the 2026 budget requests for C-1, C-2, and Transportation to Commissioners.

Deputy Appraiser Ann Deters came before the board to explain the 2026 budget request for the Appraiser’s Office to Commissioners.

Sheriff Rich Vernon and Under Sheriff Bob Cross came before the board to explain the 2026 budget request for the Sheriff’s Office (Law Enforcement Center) to Commissioners.

Commissioners took a short break at 10:20 am.

Treasurer Janell Niehues and Deputy Treasurer Kim Bontrager came before the board to explain the 2026 budget request for the Treasurer’s Office to Commissioners.

Emergency Preparedness Director Eddie Aldrine came before the board to explain the 2026 budget request for Emergency Preparedness to Commissioners.

Road and Bridge/Solid Waste Supervisor Adam Kuckelman came before the board to explain the 2026 budget requests for Road and Bridge, Recycling, and Solid Waste.

Noxious Weed Director Todd Swart came before the board to explain the 2026 budget request for Noxious Weed to Commissioners.

Health Department Director Heaven Schuette came before the board to explain the 2026 budget request for the Health Department to Commissioners.

Clerk/Election Officer Mary Kay Schultejans came before the board to explain the 2026 budget requests for the Clerk’s Office and Election to Commissioners.

Register of Deeds Roxann Holthaus came before the board to explain the 2026 budget request for the Register of Deed’s Office to Commissioners.

The board also reviewed the 2026 budget requests for the Commission Account, the County Administrator Account, the County Attorney Account, and the Courthouse General Account in the General Fund, making some adjustments to those funds at this time.

Commissioners discussed cost of living adjustments for 2026 for county employees.

Chairman Jason Koch adjourned the meeting at 1:10 pm.

SIGNED AND APPROVED  
NEMAHA COUNTY COMMISSION

ATTEST:

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CHAIRMAN

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CLERK