

Yellow Medicine County Board Meeting Minutes
April 13, 2021

Chairman Gary Johnson called this regular meeting of the Yellow Medicine County Board to order at 9:10 a.m. with Commissioners Glen Kack, Ron Antony, Greg Renneke and John Berends also present. Also present were County Administrator Angie Steinbach and HR Manager Ashley Soine.

Pledge of Allegiance

Approve Agenda 04-13-21-01 Motion by Commissioner Antony and seconded by Commissioner Kack to approve the agenda. Motion carried with all voting in favor.

Consent Agenda 04-13-21-02 Motion by Commissioner Kack and seconded by Commissioner Berends to approve the consent agenda items as follows: March 23, 2021 County Board meeting minutes; 2020 Feedlot Report; rehire of Jared Jeseritz as seasonal Parks Maintenance, his salary will be grade 4, step 2, his start date is TBD; rehire of Richard Hauschild as seasonal Equipment Operator, his salary will be grade 8, step 2, his start date is TBD; Yellow Medicine County and Montevideo Snowdrifters, Inc. Snowmobile Trail Agreement. Motion carried with all voting in favor.

Citizen Comments None

Approval of Disbursements/Review Auditor's Warrants 04-13-21-03 Motion by Commissioner Antony and seconded by Commissioner Kack to approve the commissioner warrants for the following amounts: \$36,517.06 Ditch Fund, \$43,603.33 Revenue Fund, \$36,985.47 Road & Bridge Fund, \$64,328.70 Human Services Fund; and acknowledged review of the Auditor's warrants. An itemized listing of all warrants over \$2,000 and an aggregate total for warrants under \$2,000 are published on the County website under the Finance & Administration Department. Motion carried with all voting in favor.

Commissioners' Report Commissioner Renneke reported on Ditch 91 and citizen phone call regarding Ditch 1B. Commissioner Antony reported on One Watershed One Plan, Emergency Communication Board, Sentence to Serve, Solid Waste meeting and 6W Community Corrections. Commissioner Johnson reported on Sentence to Serve, 6W Community Corrections, Transportation Advisory Committee, Joint Engineer Committee, citizen phone call regarding D2, Regional Transportation Committee, Board of Adjustment, Prairie Lakes Youth Program, Area Transportation Partnership and Revolving Loan Fund. Commissioner Berends reported on Prairie Waters, Southern Prairie Community Care Annual Meeting, Granite Falls EDA Housing Study meeting and PrimeWest. Commissioner Kack reported on One Watershed One Plan, Revolving Loan Fund, Area II/RCRCA, Safe Communities Coalition and Local Advisory Council.

Administrator Steinbach's report included meetings attended, current projects being worked on and future meetings to attend. Administrator Steinbach's report is included in the Board packet.

Regular Agenda

Election of Counsel 04-13-21-04 Motion by Commissioner Antony and seconded by Commissioner Berends to retain Jared Shepherd from Campbell Knutson P.A. as of April 2, 2021 for the ongoing opioid litigation. Motion carried with all voting in favor.

Roger Schroeder, Lyon County Environmental Services, gave a Solid Waste Program Services update. The County-wide Clean-up will be on May 1st from 9am-11am.