

HANSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
Tuesday, February 6, 2024

Vice Chairman Bumgardner, with members Kjetland, Schoenrock and Waldera present, called the regular meeting of the Hanson County Board of Commissioners to order on Tuesday, February 6, 2024. Fox was absent.

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Motion Waldera, seconded by Schoenrock to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

No conflict of interest.

Motion Kjetland, seconded by Waldera to approve the January 16th meeting minutes. Motion carried.

The Auditor's account balanced with the Treasurer's account in the amount of \$3,403,673.05 in all county, state, civil, school, CD and trust accounts as of January 31, 2024.

General:	1,141,477.10
CD's	431,840.00
Restricted Funds	
Road & Bridge:	1,058,034.85
E911	33,011.55
Emergency Disaster	17,611.83
County Library	3,505.66
Domestic Abuse	120.02
24/7	6,195.20
M & P	57,593.00
Township Infrastructure	80,102.03
Courthouse Bond	46,949.55
Schools	247,312.49
Townships	44,644.02
Cities	31,047.51
JRWDD	2,277.00
Treasurer Trust	6,967.16
State Motor Vehicle	176,480.55
LEPC	2,049.94
State Clearing	22.98
Fire Districts	8,933.47
Law Library	7,497.14

Register of Deed's fees collected for January 2024 totaled \$3,610.00.

Clerk of Courts fee for January 2024 totaled \$2,218.80.

Commissioner Bumgardner reported on the Dakota Counseling meeting he attended where the plans and financials were discussed for their new help center.

No citizen input.

Eric Prunty, Brosz Engineering, reported that the preliminary engineering for structure 31-050-052 over rock creek is done and presented a variance request to reduce the speed on the bridge to 45 mph. Motion Kjetland, seconded by Waldera to approve and authorize the Chairman to sign the speed variance request. All voted aye, motion carried.

Due to the cost and it being a low traffic road the consensus of the Board will be to lower the speed limit leading up to structure 31-019-070 and forgo the road realignment option. Brosz will forward this recommendation to planning.

The Beulah Township small structure options were discussed. The township will be contacted for their input on the replacement options and the cost.

Ronnie Roth, Hwy Superintendent, presented his 2024 project plan and the itemized cost to do so while maintaining the current budget. The plan included a breakdown of the county's 20% share of the six bridge projects in the works, crushing and purchasing gravel, striping and eight miles of chip sealing. The advertisement for chip sealing is currently being prepared for publication.

Due to the recent and continued warm temperatures a motion by Waldera, seconded by Kjetland to approve the following resolution.

RESOLUTION #24-01

HANSON COUNTY 2024 WEIGHT LIMIT ENFORCEMENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, seasonal climatic changes can be detrimental to all County roads, and

WHEREAS, the Hanson County Board of Commissioners desires to protect existing Hanson County Roads, ultimately saving tax dollars, and

WHEREAS, the Hanson County Board of Commissioners, desire the enforcement of weight limitations on Hanson County roads as set forth and posted by the Hanson County Highway Superintendent.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Hanson County Board of Commissioners that the load limits on Hanson County roads be set at 13,500 per axle and a speed limit of 40 mph. and that the South Dakota Highway Patrol be and hereby is authorized and requested to enforce the load and speed restrictions on Hanson County Roads.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the penalty for the violation of the load restrictions shall be set forth in SDCL 32-22-55.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Hanson County Commissioners does hereby ratify and affirm the action of the Hanson County Highway Superintendent in initially posting weight limits on any County Road when he sees fit starting February 15, 2024 for public safety purposes and preservation of public property.

Votes For: 4; Against: 0

Dated this 6th day of February, 2024.

/s/ John Bumgardner, Vice Chairman
Hanson County Commission

ATTEST:

/s/Lesa Trabing, Auditor
Hanson County
(SEAL)

Proper signage and flags will be posted on the roads where weight limits will be enforced.

Motion Schoenrock, seconded by Kjetland to set a public hearing for Tuesday, March 5, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. for the purpose of supplementing the Road & Bridge Debt Service budget with \$267,200.00 to pay back the advanced FEMA funds Hanson County received in 2022 now that the full FEMA check for the 413th Ave project has been received. All voted aye, motion carried.

Brandon Wingert, Sheriff, presented an approximate quote of \$4,000.00 to purchase the needed equipment for the new Sheriff's pickup set to arrive in March or April. Motion Waldera, seconded by Schoenrock to approve the purchases. Motion carried.

Motion Kjetland, seconded by Waldera to approve and authorize the Chairman to sign the City of Emery and the City of Alexandria Policing agreements for 2024. All voted aye, motion carried.

Sheriff Wingert reported that he is working a on Homeland Security grant application which would cover 100% of the cost for tracks and a cab for the UTV.

Motion Kjetland, seconded by Schoenrock to approve A PLAT OF LOT 1 OF BUFFALO ACRES ADDITION IN THE SE4 OF SECTION 17, T 104 N, R 59 W OF THE 5TH P.M., Hanson County, SD. All voted aye, motion carried.

Motion Schoenrock, seconded by Waldera to approve A PLAT OF LOT A OF RW RIGGS ADDITION IN THE E2 OF SECTION 21, T 102 N, R 58 W OF THE 5TH P.M., Hanson County, SD. All voted aye, motion carried.

Motion Kjetland, seconded by Waldera to approve a SURVEY PLAT OF LOTS B, C AND D OF D.R. KAYSER FIRST ADDITION, IN THE NE4 OF SECTION 9, T 102 N, R 58 W OF THE 5TH P.M., Hanson County, SD. All voted aye, motion carried.

Christi Pierson suggested that the Commissioners appointed to the Zoning Board retain the position for a two-year term.

Christi also reviewed the Solar updates being added to the Zoning Ordinance.

A public hearing was held regarding the one-day liquor license for the James River Archers to operate at Granite Springs Lodge on February 24, 2024. No one was present to oppose the license, motion by Kjetland, seconded by Waldera to approve the license. Motion carried.

A public hearing was held regarding the one-day liquor license for the James River Archers to operate at Granite Springs Lodge on March 2, 2024. No one was present to oppose the license, motion by Waldera, seconded by Schoenrock to approve the license. Motion carried.

A public hearing was held regarding the one-day liquor license for the James River Archers to operate at Granite Springs Lodge on March 9, 2024. No one was present to oppose the license, motion by Kjetland, seconded by Waldera to approve the license. Motion carried.

Motion Waldera, seconded by Schoenrock to allow payment of the following bills. Motion carried. DEPT. SALARIES: Commissioners: 2,169.10, Auditor: 3,664.50, Treasurer: 4,669.16, States Attorney: 3,014.73, Custodian: 2,191.68, Director of Equalization: 5,095.14, Register of Deeds: 3,109.46, Sheriff: 10,922.42, Nurse: 654.62, Extension: 1,270.96, Drainage: 139.61, Planning & Zoning: 474.19, Highway: 20,411.41, E911: 82.25, Emergency & Disaster: 331.66. BILLS: A & B, 92.02, copier lease; A & G, 612.50, A-Ox, 897.71, supplies; Abacus, 973.23, virtual server; Addy, 186.00, garbage pickup; Appera, 107.19, mats, towels, mops; AT&T, 579.76, cell bills; Auto Zone, 71.09, oil, filters; Avera Queen of Peace, 411.00, blood alcohols; Axon, 80.10, holster; BIT, 75.50, email, access fee; Dailey Law, 4,500.00, public defender; Dakota Data Shred, 57.13, shredding; Davison County Auditor, 500.00, Zuercher fee; DMC Wear Parts, 12,221.24, carbide blades; Hanson County Treasurer, 96.45, postage; I-State Truck, 1,143.42, blades, filters; Lawson, 309.62, supplies; Lyle Signs, 2,318.63, signs; McLeod's, 358.49, toner, tax forms, paper, envelopes; Menard's, 146.76, patch mix; Mid-States Crime, 100.00, subscription; Minnehaha JDC, 1,112.28, shelter care; Mitchell Iron & Supply, 227.04, flat iron; Morgan Theeler, 3,580.50, deputy states attorney; New Century Press, 303.77, publishing; Office Advantage, 680.93, copier lease, copies; Stiles Papendick & Kiner, 857.10, CAA; Quill, 713.86, paper products; RDO, 848.05, windshield; Santel, 30.00, access fee; SD DOT, 2,545.48, bridge inspection; Thomson Reuters, 744.80, info charges; Transource, 2,682.92, truck repairs; Triotel, 1,013.47, phone bill; Two Way, 65.98, mobile mic; Upper Midwest, 1,011.23, garage door opener; Van Diest Supply, 6,025.00, spray; Verizon, 64.78, cell bill; Visa, 1,727.15, postage, supplies, gas, desk; Wex, 1,936.33, gas; Wheelco, 286.67, motor, fittings; Wingen's, 4,557.83, diesel; Xcel, 2,103.49, electricity; TJN, 89.45, steel.

Being as there was no further business for the day, motion by Kjetland, seconded by Waldera to adjourn until Tuesday, February 20, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. All voted aye, motion carried.

John Bumgardner, Vice Chairman
Hanson County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

Lesa Trabing, Auditor
(SEAL)

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