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BOARD OF EQUALIZATION PROCEEDINGS – August 19, 2024
(edited – official proceedings on file Clerk’s office)

A meeting of the Board of Equalization of Stanton County, Nebraska was held in the open and public session on August 19, 2024, at 8:00 AM in the County Commissioner’s room in Stanton, Nebraska.

Present upon roll call were Douglas Huttman, Dennis Kment and Duane Rehak, Board of Equalization. Wanda Heermann, County Clerk and Amber Happold, County Assessor, were also present.

Advance notice of the meeting was given by publication in the Stanton Register on August 7, 2024, a copy of the proof of publication being attached to these minutes.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance to the Board members, a copy of their acknowledgement of the receipt of notice and the agenda being attached to these minutes.

All proceedings hereinafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 AM by Chairman Kment, who announced that the open meetings act is posted on the wall in the commissioner’s room and a copy may be obtained from the county clerk’s office upon request.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to approve the agenda. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to approve the minutes of the July 8, 2024 and July 15, 2024, meetings. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

The following correspondence was reviewed and placed on file: Nebraska TERC – Decision and Order Affirming Decision 23R 0467.

Amber Happold, county assessor, advised the board that there were no corrections sheets or no listings of clerical errors needing approval.

Amber presented a Notice of Rejection of Homestead Exemption (Form 458R). Discussion was held on the reason to deny the homestead exemption application.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to deny the homestead exemption application for the real property located at Lot 5 Block 72, Original Town, City of Stanton, because the applicant does not occupy the home. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Motion made by Rehak, seconded by Huttman to adjourn and set the next meeting for September 16, 2024, at 8:00 AM. Voting: Ayes: Rehak, Huttman and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

/s/ Dennis Kment, Chairman, Board of Equalization, Stanton County, Nebraska
Attest: /s/ Wanda Heermann, County Clerk

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COMMISSIONER’S PROCEEDINGS – August 19, 2024
(edited – official proceedings on file Clerk’s office)

A meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Stanton County, Nebraska was held in the open and public session on August 19, 2024, at 8:15 AM in the County Commissioner’s room in Stanton, Nebraska.

Present upon roll call were Douglas Huttman, Dennis Kment and Duane Rehak, Board of Commissioners. Wanda Heermann, County Clerk was also present.

Advance notice of the meeting was given by publication in the Stanton Register on August 7, 2024, a copy of the proof of publication being attached to these minutes.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance to the Board members, a copy of their acknowledgement of the receipt of notice and the agenda being attached to these minutes.

All proceedings hereinafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

Following the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America the meeting was called to order at 8:15 AM by Chairman Kment, who announced that the open meetings act is posted on the wall in the Commissioner’s room and a copy may be obtained from the County Clerk’s office upon request.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to approve the agenda. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Motion made by Kment, seconded by Huttman to approve the minutes of the July 8, 2024 and July 15, 2024, meetings. Voting: Ayes: Kment, Huttman and Rehak. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

The following correspondence was reviewed and placed on file: NPPD – Norfolk/Stanton North Project; Midwest Peterbilt Group – machinery brochure; Federal Aviation Admin – aeronautical study notification; Crystal Hestekind, Dist 7 Probation officer – 2023-2024 Budget; Farmers Coop, Pilger – Propane Delivery Policy; Nebraska Pipeline Assoc – emergency response flyer; NE Nebraska Econ Dev Dist – Annual Report 2023-2024; Cole Construction, Ainsworth – equipment brochure.

Preliminary levy allocation requests received from Stanton County Agricultural Society [General], Stanton County Rural Fire District [General] and Hoskins Rural Fire District [General, Sinking] were reviewed.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to approve Resolution No. 2024.08-9 for the tax allocations requested for the 2024-2025 Fiscal Year. Tax allocations requested for the 2024-2025 Fiscal Year are approved as follows: Stanton County Agricultural Society [General] \$88,767.75; Stanton County Rural Fire District [General] \$262,405.00; Hoskins Rural Fire District [General] \$55,000.00; Hoskins Rural Fire District [Sinking] \$30,500.00. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Discussion was held on setting a date for a Joint Public Hearing. The Joint Public Hearing (if necessary) will be held Tuesday, September 17, 2024, at 6:15 PM in the Stanton County Courthouse. The political subdivisions who might be required to participate are the Stanton County, City of Stanton, Stanton School District or Northeast Community College if the increase to their property tax request is greater than the allowable growth percentage as defined in §77-1633.

The board reviewed the proposed 2024-2025 fiscal year budget with the county clerk. Discussion was held on the budget and the 2024-2025 property tax request compared to the 2023-2024 property tax request. Various funds were reviewed. The total tax request for the

2024-2025 is \$5,470,565.19, an increase of \$128,352.90. The total taxable valuation of Stanton County is \$2,026,210,359.00, an increase of \$251,228,514.00. The proposed 2024 tax levy rate is 0.269990, a decrease of 0.030983. Stanton County is not required to participate in the joint public hearing but will be required to hold the special hearing to set the final tax request. A copy of the 2024-2025 fiscal year budget is on file in the County Clerk's office. The notice of the budget hearing and budget summary will be published prior to the budget hearing.

Motion made by Rehak, seconded by Huttmann to approve an additional 1% increase to the lid computation for the 2024-2025 budget year. Voting: Ayes: Rehak, Huttmann and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

The Budget Hearing is scheduled for September 16, 2024 at 9:00 AM and the Special Hearing to Set Final Tax Request is scheduled for September 16, 2024 at 9:15 AM (time approximate at the conclusion of the budget hearing). A Special Meeting is scheduled for September 23, 2024 at 8:00 AM to approve the 2024-2025 fiscal year budget.

Sandy Zoubek, county treasurer, appeared before the board to discuss the purchase of new desks/workstations for the treasurer's office. Sandy explained her desks are original from the prior courthouse and not compatible with computer equipment. She presented a diagram and price quote in the amount of \$5,992.00 received from One Office. Sandy requested that the cost of the desks/workstations be taken out of the miscellaneous general fund because the cost for new furniture was not budgeted in the treasurer's budget.

Motion made by Huttmann, seconded by Kment to allow the purchase of office furniture for the treasurer's office in the approximate amount of \$5,992.00. Voting: Ayes: Huttmann, Kment and Rehak. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Discussion was held on what is considered inventory or capital improvements and basically a supply for listing on the official inventory statements filed. It was noted that if the department head or elected official feel an item is an essential or security item then it would still be included on the inventory statement. Also discussed was the disposal of property determined to be broken, obsolete or of a monetary value equal to or less than \$500.00.

Motion made by Kment, seconded by Huttmann to approve and adopt Resolution No. 2024.08-10 to set standard specifications for inventory statements. Voting: Ayes: Rehak, Huttmann and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Motion made by Huttmann, seconded by Rehak to approve Resolution No. 2024.08-11 to add pledged security pledged security at Stanton State Bank, Stanton Nebraska. Voting: Ayes: Huttmann, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Joining the meeting were Bullet Beaudette, representative of Murphy Tractor, and Tim Braithwait, representative of B's Enterprises.

Bid letting was held at 9:00 AM on project "Memorial Park Concrete" for the construction of 5 concrete pads and other related work located on the southeast corner of 8th St and Ivy St, Stanton Nebraska. LaLene Bates appeared for the bid letting. No bids were received. Discussion held on the project, local concrete companies and republishing the notice to bidders for the September 16, 2024 meeting.

Motion made by Huttmann, seconded by Rehak to republish the notice to bidders and send out the notice to local concrete companies. Voting: Ayes: Huttmann, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Kylee Klug and Tony McPhillips, safety committee members, joined the meeting. Discussion was held on 911 signs, south shop incident, bridge deck removal, radio updates for the Pilger shop, courthouse east entrance, road complaints for S Eastwood and Norfolk Ave, over hanging trees in road right of way and drug/alcohol testing site with Alpha Workforce.

Mark Mainelli, Highway Superintendent, joined the meeting.

Bid letting was held at 10:00 AM on project "Shop Building – Door Removal/Replacement" for the removal/disposal and replacement of overhead doors on the county shop building located at 1101 Elm St, Stanton Nebraska. No one appeared for the bid letting. Bids were opened and publicly read as follows: Elite Door, Norfolk NE - 11 doors, etc \$56,225.00, 1 insulated door \$5,397.00, Total \$61,622.00; Warren Garage Door Inc, Norfolk NE - 11 doors, etc \$55,739.75, 1 insulated door \$5,325.25, Total \$61,065.00. Discussion was held on the bids received.

Motion made by Huttmann, seconded by Kment to accept the bid of Warren Garage Door Inc for the removal, disposal and replacement of the overhead doors on the county shop building located at 1101 Elm St, Stanton Nebraska in the total amount of \$61,065.00 and appoint and authorize the chairman to sign all the necessary documents. Voting: Ayes: Huttmann, Kment and Rehak. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Leonard Jindra, Walt and Ronda Kennedy and Ron & Sandy Hilliges joined the meeting to discuss concerns with a blind intersection located at 840 Rd and 564 Ave. Mr. Jindra suggested whether the road could be moved to the north. Mark Mainelli advised the county board that he looked at the intersection. Discussion was held on the possibility of moving the road north which would involve road grading and the relocation of the power line and the natural gas line. Another option was to move the road to the south of the intersection to allow additional site distance. The county board instructed Mark to do an engineering study of the intersection, including a traffic count on the intersection located at 840 Rd and 564 Ave.

Discussion was held on the FEMA project, possible installation of a streetlight located at Benjamin Ave/Old Hwy 35 in the approximate amount of \$30,000.00, Nucor lighting agreement and possible changes, setting bid letting for Project C84-(399) and Project C84-(321) (culverts) and possible replacement of a culvert on 564 Ave north of Hwy 275.

Bid letting set for two (2) culvert projects September 16, 2024 at 10:30 AM on Project C84-(399) located between sections 23/26-21-2 and Project C84-(321) located between sections 1/2-24-2.

The board reviewed the Annual Certification Form for STP and HBP Buyout Funds for the Federal Funds Purchase Program Agreement with the NDOT for July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024. The certification form is to be signed by the Chairman and returned prior to September 30, 2024.

Motion made by Huttmann, seconded by Rehak to approve and authorize the chairman to sign the Annual Certification Form for STP and HBP Buyout Funds for the Federal Funds Purchase Program Agreement with the NDOT for July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024. Voting: Ayes: Huttmann, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Motion made by Rehak, seconded by Huttmann to approve Resolution NO. 2024.08-12 to authorize the chairperson to sign the County Annual Certification of Program Compliance to Nebraska Board of Public Roads Classifications and Standards 2024. Voting: Ayes: Rehak, Huttmann and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried. [copy of County Annual Certification of Program Compliance to Nebraska Board of Public Roads Classifications and Standards 2024 on file in County Clerk's office]

The board reviewed the road lighting agreement received from Nucor Steel – Nebraska and Madison County.

Motion made by Huttmann, seconded by Kment to approve and sign the Road Lighting Agreement between Nucor Steel – Nebraska, Madison County and Stanton County. Voting: Ayes: Huttmann, Kment and Rehak. Nays: None. Motion Carried. [copy of Road Lighting Agreement on file in County Clerk's office]

The permit to construct utilities on county right-of-way with a fiber optic line along Old Hwy 8 in pt section 6-23-1 was reviewed from Stanton Telecom Inc. Discussion was held on the permit and proposed site.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to approve Utility Permit No. 20240819-1 for Stanton Telecom to install a telecommunications fiber optic cable along Old Hwy 8 in Pt section 6-23-1 subject to the requirement and provisions of the permit and with the following conditions: 1) the fiber/service line should be placed on the edge of the road (halfway between the edge of the road and the middle of the road), 2) the fiber/service line should be 4' (four feet) below the surface and 4' (four feet) below any culvert, 3) all roads and culverts are to be bored under, not cut through, 4) all roads need to be returned to their original condition if damaged or the cost for repairs to fix the damages will be billed to the applicant, 5) if additional gravel is needed on the road after construction the costs will be charged to the applicant, and 6) contact Darrell Hansen, bridge foreman, prior to beginning to be certain all culverts have been flagged and with any questions, or concerns. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Discussion held on the request received from the Sanitary Improvement District #1 (SID) to extend the Interlocal Agreement between Stanton County and the SID for appropriation of highway allocation funds from the State of Nebraska and franchise fees received from Sparklight f/k/a Cable One for 5 years (Sept 1, 2024 to Aug 31, 2029).

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to extend the Interlocal agreement for 5 years beginning Sept 1, 2024 to Aug 31, 2029 and to sign the document approved by the SID. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Mike Froberg updated the county board on the Hazard Mitigation plan, outdoor siren maintenance with Tri-State, south shop incident, NDEE communications and presented a proposal for a Tier I Investigation from Terracon. The proposal cost of \$54,280.00 is for three (3) monitoring wells, if needed. The county board reviewed the NDEE Petroleum Remediation Section Tier 1 Pre-Investigation Assessment Work Plan Form.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to authorize the chairman to sign the NDEE Petroleum Remediation Tier 1 Pre-Investigation Assessment Work Plan. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Mike advised the county board that the electrical upgrade to the Stanton shop building is progressing. The wiring has been run but it is not operational until installation of the doors is complete.

The county board reviewed the quote received from United Communications Group of Dakota City Nebraska to inspect the Hwy 275 tower. The proposed cost of the inspection is \$35,860.00 to remove all decommissioned/unused antennas/mounts, remove all unused cabling, reattach cabling for use, repair grounding legs, etc.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to approve and authorize the chairman to sign the United communications Group quote in the amount of \$35,860.00. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Discussion was held on the quotes received for a new Polaris Range ATV. The quotes were for a 4-seater, side by side with tracks and a trade in of the 2014 Polaris ATV. Mike requested that the funds set aside in the miscellaneous general fund for a new vehicle for emergency management be used for the purchase of this ATV. Quotes were received from the following: Motoplex of Norfolk NE, 2025 Polaris Ranger Crew XP 1000N plus tracks, parts and accessories \$41,444.98, less Trade-in 2014 Polaris \$9,000.00, Total \$32,444.98; Vern Eide Motoplex of Sioux Falls SD - 2025 Polaris Range Crew SP 1000 plus tracks, parts and accessories \$41,959.78, less Trade-in 2014 Polaris \$9,000.00, Total \$32,959.78; Johnson's Cycle of Fremont NE - 2025 Polaris Range Crew SP 1000 plus tracks, parts and accessories \$40,799.98, less Trade-in 2014 Polaris \$6,000.00, Total \$34,799.98.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Kment to accept the quote of Motoplex of Norfolk in the amount of \$32,444.98 for a 2025 Polaris Ranger Crew XP 1000N, plus tracks, parts and accessories and less Trade-in of 2014 Polaris and payment to be made from the Miscellaneous General Emergency Management funds. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Kment and Rehak. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Also discussed were the GPS units received for the county shop pickups and the removal/installation of the radios from the sheriff department vehicles. Mike advised the county board of the risk assessment reviewed at the EMA Regional meeting.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to approve for the month of July the Documentary Stamp Tax, co shr in the amount of \$1,673.83; County Clerk fees in the amount of \$3,774.75; P&M Fund fees in the amount of \$535.50; Misc Copy fees in the amount of \$0.00; Clerk of the District Court fees in the amount of \$10.80; Passport fees in the amount of \$105.00; County Treasurer's receipt of money received numbered 24244 - 24292, inclusive in the amount of \$394,845.51; Veterans Service Office 4th Qu 2023-2024 report; County Sheriff's 2nd Qu 2024 report; and place them on file. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to approve the following Accounts Payable claims as presented, except to change the claim of NACO in the amount of \$104.00 and approve the Payroll claims as presented and order checks drawn on the various funds. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

GENERAL FUND - 911 Custom, supplies, 155.47; Ameritas Retirement, ret-co shr, 10240.64; Antelope Co Shf, boarding, 5850.00; Appera, services, 336.60; Applied Connective Tech, services, 3378.59; Kim Bearnas, phone etc, 99.17; Shawn Beaudette, services, 103.00; Joshua Bennett, supplies, 88.50; Black Hills Energy, utilities, 83.00; BCBS, ins-co shr, 35547.97; Derek Bosler, reg fees, 354.00; Card Services, supplies, 40.00; Central Plains Valuation, contract fees, 10167.50; Consolidated Mgmt Co, meals, 80.20; Cornhusker Auto Cntr, services, 1445.28; Crowne Plaza, lodging, 449.85; Jacks Unif Equip, supplies, 349.80; DAS State Acct, equip fees, 9042.00; Dept Rev/Prop Assess Div, reg fees, 270.00; Martha Detlefsen, prior service, 12.00; Eakes Office, supplies, 441.44; Elec Sys Softward, supplies, 690.00; Tyler Evans, meals etc, 117.23; Ewalt Law Office, public defender, 3850.00; Farmer's Coop, fuel, 1377.90; First Concord Benefits, fees, 35.00; Fischer Tree Central, services, 1500.00; Froberg Elec, elec repairs, 1681.54; Grafex Shoppe, services, 2005.00; Great Amer Finc Services, rental pymt, 274.02; Amber Happold, scanner etc, 551.77; IRS USA Tax Pymt, so sec tax-co shr, 11189.86; Jack B Scherer Lawn Service, services, 309.74; K's Marketplace, supplies, 16.42; Stanton Hardware, supplies, 59.71; Lamli Locke Beaudette, office allow etc, 1808.50; Luedeke Oil Co, tires fuel, 155.18; Madison Co Jail, prescriptions, 21.42; Madison Co Shf, boarding etc, 2529.90; Madison Natl Life Ins, ins-co shr, 44.38; Anthony McPhillips, meals etc, 264.00; Menards, supplies etc, 1139.37; Janet Meyer, services, 157.50; Mid-Amer Benefits, hra fees-co shr, 7315.50; Midwest Spec Services, services, 351.50; MIPS, services, 2937.27; Motorola Solutions Credit, lease pymt, 72730.38; Natl Assoc Co Treas Finc Office, dues, 100.00; Nebraska Assoc Co Officials, reg fees etc, 104.00; Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Cntr, lodging etc, 292.00; Nebraska Public Health Env Lab, services, 105.00; Lavern Newkirk, prior service, 17.00; NE Nebraska Area Agency Aging, annual pymt, 3172.00; NE Nebraska Juvenile Service, assess fee, 1486.75; One Office, supplies, 629.62; Pender Care Centre/Apothecary Shop, prescriptions, 15.48; Michael Petersen, meals, 39.17; Pilger Library, supplies, 1132.41; Pitzer Digital, services, 1371.33; Postmaster, box rents, 648.00; Prime Sanitation, services, 79.50; Rita Roenfeldt, prior service, 20.00; Stanton Co Clk, postage, 50.95; Stanton Co Clk Dist Crt, dist crt costs, 72.00; Stanton Co Crt, co crt costs, 720.00; Stanton Co Imp Acct, ach fees, 20.25; Stanton Co PPD, utilities, 1693.41; Stanton Telecom, services, 1790.72; Stanton Water Sewer, utilities, 290.58; Vaughn Stiles, mowing, 200.00; Teeco, supplies, 62.95; The Lil Store, fuel, 3702.47; Thurston Co Shf, boarding, 2760.00; Tri-State Comm, equip supplies, 337.00; USave Pharmacy, prescriptions, 124.82; Univ Nebraska Ext-Stanton Co, phone, 45.02; Verizon Wireless, services, 668.66; Washtech Car Wash, supplies, 52.50; Wayne Co Shf, service fees, 18.50; Cheryl Wolverton, prior service, 11.00; Sandra Zoubek Co Treas, reg fees, 15.00;

ROAD FUND - Ameritas Retirement, ret-co shr, 5079.32; Appera, services, 43.54; ATCO Intl, supplies, 1281.59; B's Enterprises, culverts, 24480.00; Backus Sand Gravel, gravel, 7314.13; Bauer Built, services, 150.00; Behmer Trucking, hauling, 21600.00; Black Hills Energy, utilities, 99.57; BCBS, ins-co shr, 21575.16; Bomgaars, supplies, 161.93; Bret Burtwistle, hauling, 3600.00; Central Sand Gravel, gravel, 2689.64; Century Link, services, 85.36; Clarkson Plbg Htg, supplies, 146.68; Johnson Trucking Sand Gravel, gravel, 24726.15; James Duncan, prior service, 16.00; Farmer's Coop, fuel, 5886.49; Farmers Un Coop Supply, seeding, 2325.00; Fastenal Co, supplies, 36.53; IRS USA Tax Pymt, so sec tax-co shr, 6127.92; Island Supply Welding, supplies, 302.83; Iowa Trailer Mfg, trailer, 59900.00; Christopher Kallhoff Northeast Glass, services, 2951.00; Kelly Supply, supplies, 258.71; Stanton Hardware, supplies, 3.79; Luedeke Oil

Co, fuel etc, 21015.99; Madison Natl Life Ins, ins-co shr, 17.75; Matteo Sand Gravel, gravel, 15093.10; Mid-Amer Benefits, hra fees-co shr, 4550.00; NMC Exchange, services, 1155.01; NMG/Norfolk Works, program costs, 75.00; One Office, supplies, 399.00; Pilger Store, fuel etc, 5837.06; Powerplan, services, 10469.22; Prime Sanitation, services, 50.00; RDO Truck Centers, services, 601.90; Stanton Auto Parts, services, 602.77; Ron's Ag Auto, services etc, 1577.87; Schroeder Land Surveying, services, 1800.00; Sioux City Truck Sales, services, 83.00; Stalp Gravel, gravel, 29957.81; Stanley Petroleum Main, pumps etc, 3054.57; Stanton Co PPD, utilities, 507.78; Stanton Telecom, services, 721.22; Stanton Water Sewer, utilities, 46.10; Teeco, supplies, 105.75; Truck Center Co, parts, 47.10; US Cellular, services, 62.75; Verizon Connect Fleet, services, 823.40; Village Pilger, utilities, 149.64; Weldon Parts, parts, 385.86; West Point Auto Truck, repairs etc, 10029.62; Sandra Zoubek Co Treas, fees, 10.00;
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FUND – Ameritas Retirement, ret-co shr, 372.65; Echo Group, parts, 111.94; Mike Frohberg, supplies, 43.48; IRS USA Tax Pymt, so sec tax-co shr, 525.26; Madison Natl Life Ins, ins-co shr, 5.42; Menards, supplies, 829.42; Nebraska Assoc Co Officials, reg fee, 30.00; One Office, supplies, 416.43; Pilger Store, fuel, 36.56; Prime Sanitation, services, 37.50; Renegade, supplies, 339.90; Stanton Auto Parts, services, 120.19; Stanton Co PPD, utilities, 240.21; Stanton Telecom, services, 59.15; Stanton Water Sewer, utilities, 43.50; The Lil Store, fuel, 477.67; Tri-State Comm, services etc, 249.00;
INHERITANCE TAX FUND – Stanton Co PPD, tower, 153.78;
EMERGENCY 911 FUND – CATV Stanton dba Town Country Tech, cable parts, 423.00; City Norfolk, dispatching, 18105.57; Menards, parts etc, 613.36; Stanton Telecom, services, 73.23;
COURTHOUSE IMPROVEMENT FUND – Haig Construction, handrails, 2200.00;
Total aggregate salaries of all county employees \$235,799.83.

Motion made by Huttman, seconded by Rehak to adjourn and set the next meeting for September 16, 2024, at 8:15 AM, set the Budget Hearing for September 16, 2024 at 9:00 AM, and schedule the Special Hearing to Set Final Tax Request for September 16 at 9:15 AM (time approximate at the conclusion of the budget hearing) and set a Special Meeting for the Budget Approval for September 23, 2024 at 8:00 AM. Voting: Ayes: Huttman, Rehak and Kment. Nays: None. Motion Carried.

/s/ Dennis Kment, Chairman, Board of Commissioners, Stanton County, Nebraska
Attest: /s/ Wanda Heermann, County Clerk