

The Roberts County Commissioners met at 9:00 am in regular session with Brian Heinecke, Faye Johnston, Ken Nelson, John Dabek, Joe Fritz, Dylan Kirchmeier, Sam Enwiller, and Kristi Fritz in attendance. Jason Deutsch-Sisseton Courier livestream. Chairman Heinecke presiding. Heinecke called the meeting to order and led the pledge of allegiance.

MINUTES/AGENDA

Motion by J Dabek, seconded by K Nelson to approve March 24, 2026, minutes as amended with grammatical corrections and March 31, 2026, agenda as written. All voted aye, motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT

K Nelson and J Fritz attended the special school board meeting on March 30th.

STATES ATTORNEY

Dylan Kirchmeier-States Attorney mentioned that notices of intent to take tax deeds had been sent out for seven properties in Roberts County and explained the next step once papers have been served.

SHERIFF

Tyler Appel-Sheriff presented a prisoner count of 74. Appel presented a jail contract between Roberts County and Douglas County with the daily rates of \$120.00 (adult) and \$415.00 (juvenile) for 2026.

Appel also discussed purchasing new bed mats for the jail and results of the Joint Commercial Vehicle Enforcement with the SD Highway Patrol.

LANDFILL

Alden Hayes-Landfill Mgr. discussed advertising for scrap metal bids and the fire at the landfill.

HIGHWAY

Joey Anderson, Highway Supt discussed selling one of the extra trucks that needs repair and replacing an overhead door at the New Effington shop. Anderson will bring information on truck next week to declare surplus and get a few estimates on the door replacement.

Anderson received possible purchase options from Midstates Equip. & Supply for the 2021 Cimline M2 Magma 230DHL Large Rear Cabinet Melter used for crack sealing which is currently being rented by the Highway Dept. Anderson and the Board discussed the value of the used machine (\$45,995), purchase options and advantage of owning our own crack sealing machine.

Motion by K Nelson, seconded by J Fritz to purchase the 2021 Cimline M2 Magma 230DHL Large Rear Cabinet Melter for \$45,995 minus the credit of 70% of the first month rental fee. No Discussion. All voted aye, motion carried.

Anderson mentioned the highway mechanic has requested a computer to maintain equipment maintenance records and research/order parts. Commissioners advised purchasing a Chrome Book from Amazon.

FUEL QUOTES

Fuel Quotes for the 2nd Qtr. are as follows: Sioux Valley Coop- Diesel #2-Landfill 3.96, New Effington Shop 3.96, Summit Shop 3.96, transport 3.67; Ethanol- Sisseton Shop 3.41 and Jail 3.41. Motion by J Dabek, seconded by F Johnston to accept the only bid from Sioux Valley Coop. No discussion. All voted aye, motion carried.

COURTHOUSE DOME MASONRY CONTRACT

The Board discussed the content of the contract for the Courthouse Dome project after accepting bid from Innovative Masonry Restoration.

Motion by J Dabek, seconded by F Johnston to authorize the Chairman to sign contract with Innovative Masonry Restoration LLC (IMR LLC) for Courthouse Dome Project. Johnston discussed the dates in the contract and Board decided dates were correct. All voted aye, motion carried.

CLAIMS

Motion by J Dabek, seconded by K Nelson to pay the following claims: COMMISSIONER-Travel/Brian Heinecke 79.75, Utilities/Venture Comm 67.41, Total 147.16; JUDICIAL-Supplies/Two Trees Tech 512.52, Total 512.52; AUDITOR-Supplies/TwoTrees Tech 1990.45, Utilities/Venture Comm 93.21, Total 2083.66; TREASURER-Supplies/TwoTrees Tech 716.87, Utilities/Venture Comm 94.64, Total 811.51; STATES ATTY-Supplies/Cannabis 477.00,

Twotrees Tech 4663.03, Travel/Dylan Kirchmeier 390.00, Tessa Dalberg 390.00, Utilities/Venture Comm 157.81, Total 6077.84; COURT APP ATTY-Services/Dakota Group 2500.00, Ellyson Law 1915.40, Green Roby Oviatt 472.17, Lenling Law 2275.50, Total 7163.07; GOV BLDG-Other/First Savings Bank 75.65, Rental/Venture Comm 261.04, Total 336.69; DIR OF EQUAL-Travel/Trip Co DOE 135.00, Supplies/TwoTrees Tech 665.30, Utilities/Venture Comm 97.64, Total 897.94; REG OF DEEDS-Supplies/TwoTrees Tech 649.10, Utilities/Venture Comm 105.14, Total 754.24; VETERAN SERV-Supplies/TwoTrees Tech 592.34, Utilities/Venture Comm 92.83, Total 685.17; SHERIFF-Supplies/Sioux Valley Coop 1630.28, Two Trees Tech 6.00, Total 1636.28; JAIL-Utilities/CHS 1845.89, Venture Comm 1206.38, Supplies/Cash Wa Dist 13376.28, Two Trees Tech 5943.00, Vestis 27.94, Repairs/Hamm Plumbing 275.00, Total 22674.49; DISPATCH-Other/Two Trees Tech 108.00, Total 108.00; MENTALLY ILL-Services/Delaney Nielsen & Sannes 150.00, Kennedy Pier Loftus & Reynolds 414.80, Yantkon Co Sheriff 50.00, Total 614.80; 4H BLDG-Utilities/CHS 736.32, Total 736.32; EXTENSION-Utilities/Venture Comm 153.86, Total 153.86; WEED-Supplies/TwoTrees Tech 18.00, Total 18.00; PLANNING & ZONING-Utilities/Venture Comm 88.41, Total 88.41; HWY & BRIDGE-Repairs/Auto Value 523.93, Supplies/Auto Value 44.53, Newman Traffic Signs 1947.92, Sioux Valley Coop 1519.40, TwoTrees Tech 579.80, Xerox 26.34, Utilities/Dakota Waste 99.75, Venture Comm 158.87, Verizon 110.26, Prof Fee/SD DOT 5447.44, Rental/Xerox 86.53 Total 10544.77; 911 TELE-Utilities/RC Tech 583.30, Total 583.30; EMERGENCY MGMT-Utilities/RC Tech 42.48, Venture Comm 50.79, Total 93.27; 24/7-Supplies/Pharmchem 575.67, Total 575.67; SHERIFF-Opioid Settlement/Dakota Plains Transitional Living 6500.00, Total 6500.00; LANDFILL-Repairs/Auto Value 97.01, Twin Valley Tire 28.25, Supplies/Auto Value 86.96, City of Sisseton 1745.00, Twotrees Tech 567.68, Utilities/BDM 73.00, Venture Comm 151.59, Total 2749.49; DEL TAX PMT-2746.90, Total 2746.90. TOTAL 69293.36

ADJOURN

Motion by J Dabek, seconded by J Fritz to adjourn from regular session at 11:30 am until April 7. All voted aye, motion carried.