

# COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING

Tuesday - April 8, 2025

Regular Meeting - 9:00 A.M.

- 9:00 **Equalization Meeting** - Sandra Northrop, Director of Equalization.  
Equalization Agenda – attached.
- 9:30 Jonathan Waldner, Edmunds County Sheriff.  
James W. Bock who was hired as full-time dispatcher accepted a job elsewhere and therefore never became an Edmunds County employee.  
Approve the Sheriff's hiring of Robin L. Kerzman-Lesnar, as full-time dispatcher in the Sheriff's Department, at a salary of \$21.96 per hour, effective April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025.
- 9:40 Michael Jager, Highway Superintendent.  
Open bids for sale of 2004 Case IH MXM 155 tractor.  
Rescind the motion, made at the March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025 commissioners meeting, to accept the bids for Bituminous Mixture (Hot & Cold Mix). Rebidding.  
Highway bid opening for Bituminous Mixture (Hot & Cold Mix).  
Consider Joint Powers Agreements for the rental of county Blade/Motor Grader, snow removal equipment and an operator, with the Townships of Bowdle, Cloyd Valley, Hosmer, Hudson, and Madison, from February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025 to February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026.  
Discuss purchase of a new mowing tractor.  
Updates on road projects & machinery.
- 10:00 Weed & Pest Board Meeting - Michael Jager, Weed Supervisor.  
Approve the minutes of the January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025 weed meeting.  
Consider Joint Powers Agreement with Hosmer City for mosquito spraying.  
Update on weed control plan for 2025.  
Adjourn weed meeting - time \_\_\_\_\_.
- :-- New County Law Enforcement Center.  
Approve Contingency Draw #2 – Roofing \$10,811.00.
- :-- Public Forum and Visitors.
- Approve the minutes of the March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025 regular meeting.
- Accept the resignation of Bonnie K. Nehlich, 4-H Educator, effective May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025.
- Approve the hiring of Morgan C. Weisser as 4-H Educator, at a salary of \$23.54 per hour, effective April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

Consider 2025-2026 Employee's Health Insurance renewal with the South Dakota School District Benefits Fund. 1.00% increase - \$964.00 to \$974.00 for single coverage \$1000 deductible and also offering \$1500 deductible. Also consider adding optional employee-funded Vision Insurance.

Increase the salary of Melissa R. Kleffman, Deputy Auditor, to \$48,960.00 per year, effective April 1, 2025. *Six month raise.*

Travel authorization request; Bonnie Nehlich and Morgan Weisser, 4-H Online and Fair Entry Training in Aberdeen on April 10<sup>th</sup>.

Executive Session, SDCL 1-25-2(1),(3).

Pay bills.

Next meetings: April 22<sup>nd</sup> & May 6<sup>th</sup>.

Adjourn meeting - time \_\_\_\_\_.

*\* Meeting will be held in the Commissioner's Chambers, Edmunds County Courthouse, 210 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Ipswich, SD.*

*\*\* The Public Forum and Visitors section offers the opportunity for anyone not listed on the agenda to speak to the commissioners concerning important topics. The time will be limited to 5 minutes in length.*