

January 12, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, January 12th 2021 as advertised. Chairman Tuerk called the meeting to order at 10:00 am with commissioners Nilson and Ritterbush and Co Clerk Wentworth present. Tuerk noted the open meetings act posted for the public.

After review Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to accept the Clerk, District Court Clerk and Treasurers monthly reports and the Sheriff quarterly report, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Under general business: snow removal in the parking lot was discussed, and the continuation of the Agreement with Region 4 Behavioral Health System Interlocal Agreement.

Ritterbush moved, Tuerk seconded to appoint Nilson as chairman. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—abstain and Ritterbush—Tuerk—yes. Motion carried.

Nilson moved, Tuerk seconded to appoint Ritterbush as vice chairman. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Tuerk moved with unanimous consent, and without objection to: select the Springview Herald the official Keya Paha County newspaper, select West Plains Bank as they Keya Paha County official depository, appoint Springview Fire and Rescue the official county ambulance service for billing, appoint Tuerk as they county representative to the Cherry/KP Development board, appoint Lloyd Smith as the Keya Paha County Highway Superintendent, appoint Ritterbush as the county representative to the Region IV Mental Health Board and appoint Nilson as they county representative to the Region IV Northstar board. Ritterbush moved, Nilson seconded to appoint Kurtis Mizner as Keya Paha County Weed Superintendent. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried. Ritterbush moved with unanimous consent and without objection to: appoint D. Kienke as the Keya Paha County Zoning Administrator, appoint Ritterbush as they county representative to the RC&D board, appoint Nilson as the county representative to the North Central District Health Department board, appoint K. Thiede and J. Kirsch to the county safety committee and appoint Tuerk as the board member on the safety committee appoint S. Wentworth as the NIRMA contact person, appoint Tuerk as the Niobrara Council representative, appoint D. Kienke as county representative to the NCDC.

Discussion was held on getting gravel from Atkinson on a back haul.

T. Wyrick met with the commissioners to update them on FEMA projects.

Veterans Service Officer Austin beard, along with R. Gierau and B. Orton met with the commissioners to hold a discussion on Beard beginning to hold some hours for the veterans here in Keya Paha County to eliminate travel to Ainsworth for those needing service.

The commissioners went to lunch.

L. Smith stopped in to update commissioners on some projects.

Ritterbush discussed the E-911 with Region 24.

CLAIMS GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Insurance Reimb		\$	14,949.77
Appeara	util	\$	116.00
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	6,390.54
Clerk of District Court Assoc	dues	\$	50.00
Hespe auto	patrol service	\$	133.13
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	71.93
KBR Power	util	\$	735.18
Keya Paha Co Payroll Acct	co-share retirement	\$	781.84
Keya Paha Co Payroll Acct	co-share fica	\$	2,911.58
Keya Paha Co Treasurer	patrol registration	\$	10.00
Microfilm Imaging Systems	data processing	\$	88.00
Mid-States Organ Crime Inv Center	membership fee	\$	100.00
MIPS Inc	data processing	\$	275.82
NACO	cont ed	\$	50.00
Barbara Nilson	radio dispatch	\$	708.33

Office Products Center	supplies	\$	261.93
Region IV, Inc	3rd qrt	\$	1,055.50
Rev-Tac Firearm Instruction	training	\$	500.00
Schrantz Welding & Repair	rep	\$	50.00
Eric Scott	clerical/phone	\$	850.00
Springview Herald	publishing	\$	248.25
Three River Telco	phone line @courthouse	\$	600.80
Town & Country Market	supplies	\$	161.17
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	372.08
Viaero Wireless	sheriff dept cells	\$	128.68
Village of Springview	util	\$	68.00
Suzy Wentworth	ins deductible reimb	\$	800.00
WPB	safety deposit boxes	\$	60.00
Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	200.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	11,525.00
AKRS Equipment	rep	\$	331.05
Appeara	util	\$	63.23
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	2,034.96
Buckles Automotive	supplies	\$	1,969.20
CVA	fuel	\$	4,699.16
Hespe Auto Center	rep	\$	461.59
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	72.39
KBR Power	util	\$	227.55
Keya Paha Co Payroll Acct	co-share retirement	\$	642.94
Keya Paha Co Payroll Acct	co-share fica	\$	867.89
Mr Automotive	rep	\$	17.75
MNC Exchange LLC	rep	\$	14.73
Power Plan	rep	\$	9,725.15
Road Builders Supply	rep	\$	12,061.29
Sahling Kenworth	rep	\$	74.82
Schrantz Welding & Repair	rep	\$	424.07
Three River Telco	util	\$	102.64
Town & Country Market	supplies	\$	15.14
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	198.16
Village of Springview	util	\$	23.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUNE

Salary		\$	625.00
Atteberry Construction	gravel/fema work	\$	50,546.28
Stanley Hanson	gravel loads	\$	336.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Myron Nilson	mileage	\$	40.68
Kenneth Sharp	gravel loads	\$	2,144.00
Thad Davis	gravel loads	\$	5,637.50
Mike Tuerk	mileage	\$	633.00

Timothy Wyrick	fema hours	\$	250.00
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WEED FUND

Salary		\$	708.33
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BC&BS	ins prem	\$	1,013.72
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Keya Paha Co Payroll Acct	co-share retirement	\$	47.81
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Keya Paha Co Payroll Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19
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Nebraska Weed Control Assoc	dues	\$	135.00
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Three River Telco	util	\$	54.47
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Ritterbush moved, Nilson seconded to pay the above claims. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

K. Mizner presented his annual reports to the commissioners.

Greg Swan met with the commissioners to discuss his health and the doctors letter he had submitted. The commissioners decided that, based on the information presented, Swan could start working for the county again effective January 13, 2021.

At 3:34 chairman Nilson declared the meeting adjourned until the next regular meeting to be held on Tuesday, January 26th 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda will be on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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January 26, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, January 26, 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m. with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, County Attorney Scott and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson referenced the open meetings act posted for the public. After review, Nilson moved to approve the minutes as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

After discussion, Nilson moved to adopt the fuel card policy and to distribute the fuel cards to employees after they sign the agreement on use of the cards by employees, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to adopt Resolution 21-01 allowing L. Smith to prepare a report on the Road Abandonment as described in Resolution 21-02, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Tuerk moved, Nilson seconded to adopt Resolution 21-02 setting the hearing to the road abandonment for March 9, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. at the courthouse. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Nilson moved to adopt Resolution 21-03 allowing the signing of the Year End Certification of the Highway Superintendent, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The commissioners and Scott took a break for lunch.

T. Wyrick, Deputy Emergency Manager met with the Commissioners to update them on FEMA projects that he working with our FEMA representative on. Wyrick needed GPS coordinates from Ritterbush.

Ritterbush moved, Nilson seconded to authorize the chairman to sign the additional rip rap proposal for Leavens Bridge from Norfolk Contracting. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$ 13,359.02
Applied Concepts	radar unit	\$ 2,203.00
Brown Co Treasurer	judges cost	\$ 152.70
DAS State Accounting	data proc	\$ 151.78
Gall's LLC	decals	\$ 263.94
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$ 688.12
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 1,011.10
MIP's Inc	data proc	\$ 179.67
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$ 708.33
Rock Co Treasurer	region 24 costs	\$ 7,350.21

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$ 8,845.00
Blue Cross Blue Shield	ins prem	\$ 4,069.92
Bomgaars Supply Inc	supplies	\$ 19.98
Hespe auto Center	tires	\$ 8,946.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$ 428.29
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 662.87
Cordell Nilson	trapping	\$ 300.00
Sahling Kenworth Inc	rep	\$ 186.27

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salary		\$ 625.00
Community Truck Scales	3 loads	\$ 21.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 47.81
Niobrara Valley Consultants	fema projects	\$ 2,200.86
Norfolk Contracting, Inc	leavens bridge ecp	\$ 71,180.00

WEED FUND

Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$ 47.81
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Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19
Sandhill Weed Management Area	membership	\$	200.00

Nilson moved to pay the above claims, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor, Motion carried.

D. Kienke met with the commissioners about filling the planning board positions. After discussion and as per Kienke's request Ritterbush moved to reappoint Monte Frauen and Bruce Heyden to three year terms on the Planning Board, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

At 3:00 the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on February 9th 2021 at 10:00a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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February 9, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, February 9th 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:10 a.m. with commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, L. Smith and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson noted the open meetings act posted for the public.

After review, Nilson moved, Tuerk seconded to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to approve the monthly reports for the Clerk, Treasurer and the District Court Clerk, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

L. Sawle, M. Sawle and K. Galas were in the discuss LB 236 with the commissioners. The commissioners will look into adopting a resolution and but the topic on the agenda for the next meeting.

Nilson moved to open the 1-6 Year Road Hearing at 11:00 a.m., Tuerk seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried. No one from the public attended. At 11:30 Tuerk moved to come out of the 1-6 Year Road hearing, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried. Tuerk moved to approve the 1-6 Year Road Plan and adopt resolution 21-07. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The commissioners talked to the road crew about the billing on the Leavens Bridge.

Ritterbush moved to adopt Resolution 21-06, transferring \$600,000 that was borrowed for the emergency road fund back into the inheritance fund, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Discussion was held on the E911 Surcharge that is collected in Keya Paha County.

The commissioners took a lunch break.

T. Wyrick met with the commissioners to update them on the various FEMA projects and what FEMA is requesting on the different projects, including an archeology study at the Leavens Bridge.

Discussion was held on Region 24 and what the future is for Keya Paha county to continue being a part of the region. Brown and Cherry counties have set dates that they will remove themselves The commissioners asked the county attorney to set up a joint meeting with the commissioners of all the counties that are included in Region 24 right now.

CLAIMS GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Insurance Reimb		\$	13,651.52
Appeara	util	\$	116.00
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	6,390.54
Corhusker State Industries	equipment	\$	1,685.00
Heartland Fire Protection	fire ext. inspection	\$	24.36
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	74.08
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	686.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,010.53
KBR Public Power	util	\$	520.18
L & B Johnson	KP Cherry housing	\$	118.74
Microfilm Imaging Systems	equip rental	\$	59.00
MIPS Inc	data proc	\$	275.82
Keith Mizner	snow removal	\$	200.00
Thomas Munk	ins reimb	\$	400.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Office Products Center	supplies	\$	38.49
NE Assn of County Clerks	dues	\$	75.00
Eric Scott	clerical/phones 2 months	\$	1,700.00
Springview Herald	publishing	\$	357.77
Three River Telco	util	\$	598.07
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	480.94
Viaero	cell service	\$	129.88

Village of Springview	util	\$	68.00
Timothy Wyrick	deputy emerg manager	\$	200.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	9,722.50
Appeara	supp	\$	62.14
Backstreet Repair	rep	\$	1,193.00
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	2,034.96
Buckles Automotive	rep	\$	1,150.03
Central Valley Ag	fuel	\$	3,376.00
Duden Welding LLC	rep	\$	3,295.56
Frontier Diesel	rep	\$	2,254.80
Heartland Fire Portection	fire ext inspection	\$	432.11
Hespe Auto Center	rep	\$	2,235.57
Inland Truck Parts & Service	rep	\$	5,650.96
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	72.39
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	487.52
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	730.01
KBR Public Power	util	\$	242.94
Outback Machine & Welding	rep	\$	823.54
Power Plan	rep	\$	1,730.74
Rosebud Auto Parts	parts	\$	638.88
Sandhills Equipment	rental	\$	3,375.00
Sioux City Truck Sales Inc	rep	\$	118.80
Springview Implement	supplies	\$	187.40
Three River Telco	util	\$	104.88
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	381.64
Village of Springview	util	\$	23.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salary		\$	625.00
Craven Ranch Trucking LLC	hauling	\$	4,620.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Timothy Wyrick	fema hours	\$	225.00

WEED FUND

Salary		\$	708.33
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	1,013.72
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19
Three River Telco	util	\$	57.47

Ritterbush moved and Nilson seconded to pay the above claims. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

At 4:00 p.m. the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled to be held on Tuesday, February 23rd 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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February 23, 2021

The Keya Paha County commissioners met Tuesday, February 23rd 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m. and noted the open meetings act posted for the public. Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, County Attorney Scott and Clerk Wentworth were present.

Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

The commissioners discussed LB 236 and the resolution that they passed in 2020 making Keya Paha County a 2nd Amendment friendly county.

Tuerk updated the rest of the board with the status of a joint meeting in the planning stage that includes all the counties in Region 24. The meeting will be held in Keya Paha County at the courthouse with representation from each member county. Tuerk has a yes from each county that would like to participate. Scott will set the date and pass the information to the clerk for advertising and letting each counties clerk know.

E. Hallock, representing the village board met with the commissioners to discuss the possibility of the village membership with NCDC. The proposed agreement would be for the county to 66% of the membership fee and village pay 33% of the membership fee. Tuerk mentioned he would hope that a member of the village board would be on the NCDC board. Tuerk moved to coop with the village on a 2/3 to 1/3 basis membership to the NCDC, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The Commissioners and Scott went to lunch.

Lee and Kurt with Atteberry Construction stopped in to talk to the commissioners about dirt pits in the future.

T. Wyrick, Deputy Emergency Manager met with commissioners for a FEMA update.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	13,288.27
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	6,390.54
Cook Tax Service	4th qrt docs	\$	342.10
DAS State Accounting	data proc	\$	151.78
Keya Paha Co W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	659.89
Keya Paha Co W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	982.74
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Office Products Center	supplies	\$	65.45
Region 24 Emergency Management	em costs	\$	3,083.33

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	9,700.00
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	2,034.96
Bomgaars	supplies	\$	89.99
Hespe Auto	rep	\$	300.00
Andrew Keogh	reimb for part	\$	8.99
Keya Paha Co W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	486.00
Keya Paha Co W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	728.28
Newco Truck Parts	repairs	\$	98.83
NMC Exchange LLC	rep	\$	2,431.44
Turp's Automotive	supplies	\$	9.95

EMERGENCY ROAD

Salary		\$	625.00
Joe Anderson	94 loads	\$	1,410.00
Bruce Heyden	25 loads	\$	375.00
Carma James	25 loads	\$	375.00
Keya Paha Co W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81

Keya Paha Co Treasurer	transfer to Inheritance fund	\$	600,000.00
Calvin Klein	64 loads	\$	960.00
Filena Miller	60 loads	\$	900.00
Niobrara Valley Consultants	disaster work	\$	4,586.86
Norfolk Contracting, Inc	bridge work	\$	17,924.00
Dewey Peterson	35 loads	\$	525.00
Nancy Richey	10 loads	\$	150.00
Bruce Ritterbush	23 loads	\$	345.00
Don Swanson	32 loads	\$	480.00
Duane Swim	43 loads	\$	645.00
Stanley Tuton	75 loads	\$	1,125.00

WEED FUND

Salary		\$	708.33
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	1,013.72
Keya Paha Co W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19
MNWAG	chemical	\$	3,796.52

Ritterbush moved to pay the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

At 3:30 the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, March 9th 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at: <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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March 9, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, March 9th 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson call the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, L. Smith and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson noted the open meetings act posted for the public.

Nilson moved , Tuerk seconded to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented. voting Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to accept the Treasurer, Clerk and district Court Clerk's monthly reports, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to accept the letter of engagement for Budget prep for the budget years 2021/2022 and 2022/2023 with Caleb Johnson of J13 Enterprises, LLC, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Nilson moved to open the road abandonment hearing at 11:00, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried. L. Smith recommended abandonment of both sections of the road advertised. The commissioners listened to concerns from the public.

At 11:20 Nilson moved to close the hearing, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried. Tuerk moved to honor the request for road closure from W. Lawrence, contingent upon approval from the Co. Attorney and sign the resolution stating so, seconded by Nilson. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

T. Wyrick met with the commissioners to give them a FEMA update.

D. Fox was present and the commissioners discussed the charge for mitigation for Keya Paha County, it was decided that the mitigation cost for the village should be paid by the village, the fee will be \$2,000 for the county and \$1,000 for the village.

The commissioners went to lunch.

CLAIMS GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	13,713.27
Appeara	util	\$	120.00
DAS State Accounting	data processing	\$	151.78
Hespe Auto Center	auto repairs	\$	166.91
Jones Automotive	auto repairs	\$	315.12
KBR Public Power	util	\$	705.62
KC Collision, LLC	auto repairs	\$	130.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	691.38
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,015.25
Microfilm Imaging systems, Inc	data processing	\$	88.00
MIPS, Inc	data processing	\$	275.82
Nebraska Assoc. of Co Treasurers	dues	\$	50.00
Nebraska Sheriff's Assoc	dues	\$	115.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Office Products Center	supplies	\$	65.45
Painter Electric	rep	\$	45.25
Region 4 Behavioral Health	qrtly	\$	1,082.75
Eric Scott	clerical/phone	\$	850.00
Springview Herald	publishing	\$	700.44
three River Telco	util	\$	602.69
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	569.14
US Bank	supplies	\$	85.06
Viaero	sheriff cell	\$	129.88
Village of Springview	util	\$	108.00

Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	200.00
ROAD FUND			
Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	9,700.00
Appeara	util	\$	64.18
Backstreet Repair	rep	\$	693.00
Buckles Automotive	rep	\$	1,169.72
CVA	fuel	\$	787.03
Frontier Diesel	rep	\$	587.04
Hespe Auto Center	rep/tires	\$	4,217.47
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	72.39
KBR Public Power	util	\$	289.01
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	486.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	728.28
Thomas Munk	ins reim	\$	400.00
NETCom, Inc	rep	\$	213.00
NMC Exchange	rep	\$	2,399.59
Power Plan	rep	\$	144.10
Road builders Supply, Inc	rep	\$	1,878.32
Sioux City Truck Sales, Inc	rep	\$	54.50
three River Telco	util	\$	106.36
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	240.80
US Bank	rep/supp	\$	828.36
Village of Springview	util	\$	23.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	625.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Dave Beck	12 loads	\$	180.00
Shepperd Feeding Co, Inc	scale use	\$	415.00
Timothy Wyrick	fema hours	\$	387.50

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	79.68
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19
three River Telco	util	\$	57.47

Ritterbush moved to pay the above claims, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Marie Larson met with the commissioners to ask the county to donate the cost of two dumpsters for the county clean up days, the estimated date is May 5th 2021. Nilson made a motion that the county support 2 dumpsters for the county clean-up days, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—absent, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, motion carried. Larson also mentioned that there will be a tire amnesty on April 1st and to contact Bill Barnes for information.

At 3:45 Nilson declared the meeting until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, March 23rd, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda will be on file in the clerk' office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

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MARCH 23, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, March 23, 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:07 with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, County Attorney Scott and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson referenced the open meetings act posted for the public. Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor, motion carried.

Under general business the fuel contract discussed at the previous meeting was signed.

Many tax payers were present to discuss concerns on the 30X30 Land Grab issue. Tuerk stated that the Commissioners are against the 30X30 plan and it is time for everyone to step up and take a stand, this is a stepping stone to bigger plans by the government. D. Heerten, representing the Keya Paha County Republican party presented a resolution they drafted requesting the commissioners begin looking for solutions. A. Johnson, Springview Herald, asked what the county plans to do about the issue. E. Scott suggested that everyone educate themselves on this issue and also tax codes that are coming to disfavor agriculture and write your senators and representative.

Nilson moved to write a letter of support for LB236, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried. D. Heerten representing the Keya Paha County republican party presented a resolution they prepared requesting the commissioners to declare Keya Paha County a sanctuary county.

T. Wyrick, deputy emergency manager met the commissioners to update them on the progress of FEMA projects, the most critical need right now is the trespass agreements for the archeology study that need to be sent in. Wyrick also stated that he will turn in the request for a partial payment for the portion of project #110112 that is complete, which comes to \$458,299.56. Wyrick also discussed the First Net option for cell service, there are requests for more info to several individuals.

Nilson moved to approve the Keya Paha County Agricultural Society's annual liquor license, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to approve the county audit report, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

CLAIMS
GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	14,119.27
Ainsworth Star-Journal	hearing notice	\$	14.85
Byers Printing Co	mortgage book	\$	362.84
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	718.78
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fic	\$	1,046.32
NE Law Enforcement Training Center	tube test	\$	18.85
NetCom Inc	install & equip	\$	1,516.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch & annual util	\$	1,908.33
Office Products	supplies	\$	49.60
Rau Repair LLC	bumper	\$	1,132.50

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	11,298.50
Bomgaars	supplies	\$	311.48
Duden Welding	repairs	\$	1,476.64
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	593.84
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	850.51
NMC Exchange	repairs	\$	3,933.36
Road Builders	repairs	\$	548.06
Springview Implement & Supply	rep/supplies	\$	211.54
Truck Center Companies	rep	\$	46.04
Central Valley Ag	contract fuel deposit	\$	5,968.35

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	625.00
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Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
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WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
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Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	47.81
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Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19
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Ritterbush moved to approve the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The commissioners and Scott went to lunch.

Nilson moved to open the Conditional Use Permit at 1:30, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried. Discussion was held on the application for the conditional use permit for Carns West, LLC with Zoning Administrator Kienke and Brad Arrowsmith representing Carns West, LLC. Kienke reported that the Zoning Board unanimously recommends that the commissioners approve the request, which is for campground improvements. At 1:40 Nilson moved to close the hearing, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Tuerk moved to approve the Conditional Use Permit for Carns West, LLC, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

T. Eichenberger stopped in the meeting to ask what the requirements and restrictions were for occupying the right of way, he was given the application to occupy the right of way.

The meeting moved upstairs to the courtroom for the 2:00 agenda item, Region 24 Issues and Resolutions. Along with the Keya Paha County Commissioners and Attorney, there were representatives from each of the other counties in Region 24. Those present included: Cherry County Commissioners Martin DeNaeyer, James Ward in person and Tanya Storer via cell phone, Brown County Commissioner Buddy Small, Brown County Attorney Andrew Taylor, Brown County Sheriff Bruce Papstein, Boyd County Supervisors Alan Nicolaus and Ronald Bernt, Boyd County Sheriff Chuck Wrede, Rock County Commissioners Jimmy Stout, Wade Hollenbeck and Glen Mays, who is also the deputy emergency manager in Rock County, along other interested individuals. Scott began by stating that the reason for the meeting between the counties comprising Region 24 was to determine if it is feasible to continue. Brown County and Cherry County have both filed notices that they will withdraw from Region 24 effective June 30th 2021. Representatives of both counties affirmed that decision, stating they are not interested in being involved with Region 24 even if it is restructured. The conclusion after discussion, is that Region 24 cannot continue in its current form. They Keya Paha county commissioners will continue to discuss options at future meetings.

At 4:50 Chairman Nilson declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 13th, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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April 13th, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, April 13th, 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:02 and noted the open meetings act posted for the public. Present were Commissioners Nilson, Tuerk, Ritterbush, L Smith and Deputy Clerk Kinney. Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson-yes, Tuerk-yes and Ritterbush-yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

After review, Tuerk moved to accept the Clerk, District Court Clerk, Treasurer's monthly, Sheriff's quarterly and Treasurers semi-annual reports, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk-yes, Ritterbush-yes, and Nilson-yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to accept the claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush-yes, Nilson-yes, and Tuerk-yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

CLAIMS
GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$14,738.02
Ainsworth Star-Journal	publishing	\$14.85
Appera	util	\$180.00
Blue Cross Blue Shield	insur prem	\$6,390.54
Brown County Treasurer		\$10,250.00
Central Valley Ag	util	\$184.52
County Assessor's Assn of Nebr.	dues	\$50.00
Hespe Auto Center	service	\$405.02
KBR Public Power	util	\$463.10
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$1,280.12
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$2,854.53
Microfilm Imaging Systems	equip rental	\$88.00
MIPS	data proc.	\$263.82
North Central Development Center	service	\$2,500.00
Neb Assoc of County Treasurers	cont. educ.	\$100.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$708.33
Niobrara Valley Consultants, LLC	bridges	\$1,328.76
Office Products Center	supplies	\$792.42
Region IV, Inc	4th qrt	\$1,055.50
Eric Scott	clerical	\$850.00
Springview Herald	publishing	\$362.38
Three River Telco	util	\$594.87
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$562.28
US Bank	supplies	\$151.06
Valentine Midland News	publishing	\$15.27
Viaero Wireless	cell service	\$129.88
Village of Springview	util	\$108.00
Timothy Wyrick	deputy emerg manager	\$200.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$16,371.25
Appera	util	\$96.33
Blue Cross Blue Shield	ins prem	\$2,034.96
Buckles Automotive Inc	parts	\$182.39
Central Valley Ag	fuel	\$1,044.12
Duden Welding, LLC	repair	\$340.00
Frontier Diesel, Inc	parts	\$105.11
Inland Truck Parts & Service	parts	\$621.07
J & J Sanitation	util	\$72.39
KBR Public Power	util	\$247.70
Netcom, Inc	parts	\$756.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$3,772.35
NMC Exchange LLC	parts	\$475.59

Outback Machine & Welding	repair	\$7,005.74
Power Plan	repair	\$1,552.74
Jim Ripley	supp	\$100.00
Rosebud Auto Parts	parts	\$156.04
Springview Electric	building repair	\$631.01
Three River Telco	util	\$105.84
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$539.03
US Bank	supp	\$498.01
Village of Springview	util	\$23.00
WM Krotter Co	parts	\$149.98

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salary		\$625.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$114.68
Timothy Wyrick	fema hours	\$475.00

WEED FUND

Salary		\$708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$79.68
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$123.73
Kurtis Mizner	reimb	\$849.86
Three River Telco	util	\$57.68

Discussion was had regarding Letter of Support for LB 188. B. Palmer presented a revised resolution in support for LB 188. With E. Scott on the phone and after discussion, Nilson moved to approve the resolution of the Keya Paha County board of Commissioner affirming the right to bear arms #KP21-09, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Ritterbush-yes, Nilson-yes, and Tuerk-yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Discussion was had regarding the request to occupy County right-of-way. After discussion Commissioners were needing more information. T. Eichenberger came in and gave a better location. Nilson moved to approve the request to occupy the right-of-way, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson-yes, Tuerk-yes and Ritterbush-yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Eric Kamler called in representing Adrian Smith giving updates. Commissioner Tuerk asked about guns, 30x30 program, the border issue and election fraud. Eric Kamler said that Adrian feels the same way and that he will pass our concerns on to him.

Tuerk discussed that he was approached by E Hallock regarding approaches located on 436th Ave. and had went and looked at them and gave to go ahead on them, Nilson and Ritterbush agreed that was fine.

First Net was discussed, T Wyrick, deputy emergency manager, gave his input on testing the service. At this time the Commissioners have decided that it's not going to work at this time.

T. Wyrick, met with the commissioners to update them on the progress on FEMA projects. The archeological study will be conducted next week. Landowners have agreed and have been given the option to be contacted if they would like. Paperwork for culvert work has been sent in so just waiting on those to be approved and for other projects to be done to finalize paperwork.

Commissioners went to lunch.

Discussion regarding Keya Paha County's future with Region 24 was discussed. T Wyrick gave his opinion and suggested a couple of options. Commissioners are going to look into those options and have tabled it until they have figures and some discussions with surrounding counties.

D. Kienke started the discussion on the 30x30 land program with a statement from the Keya Paha County Planning Commission, that reads as follows: Keya Paha County Planning Commission met on April 13, 2012 at the Keya Paha County Courthouse. Chairman Arrowsmith called the meeting to order at 10:02am. All members plus Zoning Administrator Kienke were present. Amy Johnson representing the Springview Herald was also in attendance. Open Meetings statement was made. Minutes from the previous meeting were read. Motion made by Hallock seconded by Bretschneider to approve minutes as read. Motion passed. Dolly presented the 30x30 Program Resolution that the County Attorney had drawn. Discussion followed. Frauen made a motion to approve the 30x30 Program Resolution and recommend County Commissioners approve, seconded by Hallock. Roll call voted showed all members voted aye. Meeting adjourned at 10:50am.

D. Kienke presented to the Commissioners the resolution approved by the Planning Commission. With many taxpayers present regarding the 30x30 program, discussion was had. Commissioners informed all in attendance that they will do everything to protect the county and agree with all the concerns. B. Palmer presented another resolution but was fine with the planning commissions resolution if something was in place. Tuerk made a motion to approve the Planning Commissions resolution, Resolution No. 2021-10, Resolution Opposing the Federal Government's "30x30" Land Preservation Goal, Nilson seconded. Voting Tuerk-yes, Ritterbush, yes, and Nilson- yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

At 2:54pm Chairman Nilson declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 27th, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Emily Kinney, Deputy Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

April 27, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, April 27th as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, County Attorney Scott and Clerk Wentworth present. After review Nilson moved, Ritterbush seconded to approve the minutes as presented. Voting: Nilson—yes Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

J. Orton and T. Mundorf, representing the historical society board, discussed the situation with the building. They stated that the board will be voting whether to renovate the old building or to move forward with funding a new building at their next meeting. Presently they have more money pledged to renovate the current building. They were seeking some kind of a pledge from the commissioners, the commissioners guaranteed they will assist but a specific dollar amount will be determined after they have a specific plan, which direction they are going the building and the cost.

K. Thiede met with the commissioners to discuss setting up the 2580 fund which is for the Covid American Rescue Plan Act that the county will be receiving fund for. The government hasn't yet released the list of what will be eligible for these funds to be spent on. Thiede will contact Caleb Johnson the budget preparer for how to set the fund up.

Wyrick met with the commissioners to update them on the ongoing FEMA projects. The archaeology study is done on Leavens and we are waiting to hear back, Wolf is in EHP, Wyman just needs riprap to be finished. Discussion was also held on Cub Creek and Riverview Road projects.

The Commissioners and Scott went to lunch.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb			
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	6,390.54
KBR Leadership Academy	tuition	\$	790.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	662.42
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	985.38
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Olson's Pest Technicians	pest control	\$	235.00
Town & Country Market	supplies	\$	149.83
US Bank	supplies & misc	\$	478.65

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb			
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	2,034.96
Bomgaars	supplies	\$	39.91
Hespe Auto	repairs	\$	1,139.04
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	644.73
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	908.15
Thomas Munk	mileage	\$	22.40
Myron Nilson	mileage	\$	22.40
Town & Country Market	supplies	\$	41.52

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb			
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Niobrara Valley Consultants	bridge consult	\$	1,345.02

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb			
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	1,013.72
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19

Ramada Inn	mtg exp	\$	69.00
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Van Diest Supply Co	chemical	\$	11,582.80
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Ritterbush moved to approve the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted I favor. Motion carried.

Representatives from Rock and Boyd, the remaining counties in Region 24 were present to discuss options for moving forward as Region 24. Rock County had prepared a new interlocal agreement. The planned budget was presented for Region 24 for the 2021-2022 fiscal year in the amount of \$77,300 to be divided evenly between the remaining 3 counties. The Keya Paha County commissioners are still weighing options and not ready to commit to being a member of Region 24 beyond June 2021. Emergency management was tabled until the next meeting, when they will make a decision and notify Boyd and Rock Counties.

K. Thiede was present for the safety meeting. Discussion was held on the tree on the southwest corner of the building that needs to be removed. There were no other issues discussed.

At 5:20 p.m. the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly schedule meeting to be held on Tuesday, May 11th 2021 at 10:00 a.m. in the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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May 11, 2021

The Keya Paha County commissioners met Tuesday, May 11, 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m. with commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson noted the open meetings act posted for the public.

After review, Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to accept the Treasurer, Clerk and District Court Clerk's monthly reports, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson made a motion to authorize the Treasurers office to create a fund for the American Rescue Plan dollars the county will receive, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Tuerk moved to adopt Resolution 21-11 which states effective June 30, 2021 Keya Paha County will withdraw from Region 24, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

At 11:00 the commissioners had a zoom session with the Cherry County commissioners to discuss the possibility of Keya Paha County joining Cherry county for emergency management. Each county will research and bring numbers to the next meeting to be discussed again.

The commissioners went to lunch.

T. Mundorf and J. Orton, historical society committee members were present to report that the committee voted to renovate the building and are moving forward with the goal to have the new roof by fall. They were asking for the county to back them on the roof costs, it was estimated they have approximately half the funding needed for the roof at this point and have a fund raiser scheduled for Memorial Day weekend. The commissioners said that they can count on the county for some help, but they will wait to see what is needed, and at a later time set a dollar amount. The commissioners advised them to move forward with estimates and scheduling the roof repair.

The commissioners discussed the Blue Cross Blue Shield renewal and decided to stay with the \$500 deductible.

Nilson moved to approve tax correction 387, for duplicate personal property, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Mike Boden, NACO Benefit Service Manager met with the commissioners to introduce himself, he just started with NACO is February. The commissioners asked him to get them more info on the disability that is offered through NACO.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	14,076.52
Appeara	util	\$	120.00
CNED	membership	\$	858.00
CVA	util	\$	376.11
DAS State Accounting	data processing	\$	151.78
Dugan Printing	election exp	\$	121.46
Gworks	gis costs	\$	9,703.00
Hespe Auto	service	\$	97.06
KBR Power	util	\$	292.78
KBRB Radio	ad	\$	30.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	487.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,043.05
Kirk Kunze	reimb fuel cost	\$	52.41
Microfilm Imaging	scanner cost	\$	88.00
MIPS Inc	data processing	\$	1,159.54
NE Law Enforcement Training	tabe test	\$	20.00
NE Assc of County Officials	1st 1/2 dues	\$	1,073.04
NE EM Equip	shrf dept cages & install	\$	3,804.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Office Products	supplies	\$	207.22

Springview Herald	supp/publishing	\$	544.27
Three River Telco	util	\$	603.00
Tower Plastics	supplies	\$	160.00
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	552.26
Viaero	cell service	\$	130.28
Village of Springview	util	\$	108.00
Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	200.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	12,118.75
AKRS Equipment	filters	\$	401.18
All In One Shop	rep	\$	252.80
Appeara	util	\$	63.94
Backstreet Repair	rep	\$	885.00
Buckles Auto	socket	\$	43.83
CVA	fuel	\$	3,894.60
Duden Welding	rep	\$	781.50
Gworks	gis cost	\$	2,760.00
Hespe Auto	rep	\$	442.12
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$	10.64
Inland Truck Parts	rep	\$	1,545.80
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	72.39
KBR Power	util	\$	223.09
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	432.84
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	913.33
Thomas Munk	ins ded reimb	\$	400.00
NMC Exchange	rep	\$	149.41
Power Plan	rep	\$	123.54
Runnings	rep	\$	36.47
Springview Implement	rep	\$	687.23
Three River Telco	util	\$	107.31
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	439.00
Village of Springview	util	\$	23.00

Emergency Road Fund

Salary		\$	625.00
Community Truck Scales	weigh fee	\$	63.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Norfolk Contracting	Leavens FEMA project	\$	68,620.00
Timothy Wyrick	FEMA hours	\$	425.00

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19
Springview Herald	publishing	\$	107.80
Three River Telco	util	\$	57.68

Ritterbush moved to approve the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

At 4:45 pm Nilson declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, May 25, 2021 at 10:00 am in the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the Clerk's office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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May 25, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, May 26th 2021 as advertised. The chairman called the meeting to order at 10:15 am with commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, County Attorney Scott and Clerk Wentworth present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read with Nilson moving to approve as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes. Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

T. Wyrick, deputy emergency manager, met with the commissioners to update on the progress with FEMA payments

The conference call with Cherry County was tabled until June 8th 2021 at 11:00 a.m.

The commissioners and Scott went to lunch.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$ 13,766.02
BC&BS	ins prem	\$ 6,390.54
Carl Chase	lawn work	\$ 700.00
Cook Tax Service	file qrtly	\$ 50.00
DAS State Accounting	data processing	\$ 151.78
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$ 695.54
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 1,019.29
Kirk Kunze	mileage	\$ 73.79
Aumentum Technologies	2020 serv	\$ 3,128.00
NetCom	fuese	\$ 21.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$ 708.33
Niobrara Valley Consultants	misc prohects	\$ 1,888.64
Eric Scott	clerical/phone	\$ 850.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$ 12,081.25
BC&BS	ins prem	\$ 2,034.96
Bomgaars	tools/supplies	\$ 608.94
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$ 646.75
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 910.44

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$ 625.00
Steve Hallock	hauling	\$ 3,520.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 47.81

WWED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$ 708.33
BC&BS	ins prem	\$ 1,013.72
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$ 47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 54.19
Van Diest Supply Co	chemicals	\$ 5,614.35

Ritterbush moved to approve the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Heather Hespe, Head of Ambulance for Springview Fire and Rescue met with the commissioners to discuss options for replacing one the ambulances. Hespe will make some contacts and gather some more information and report back. The commissioners are also waiting for insight pertaining to what expenditures the covid relief money will be approved for.

At 2:00 pm the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, June 8th 2021 at 10:00 am at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda will be available in the clerks office and online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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June 8, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, June 8th, 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:05 with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson note the open meetings act posted for the public. After review, Nilson moved, Ritterbush seconded to approve the minutes of the previous meeting held on May 25, 2021. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor, motion carried.

After review, Nilson moved to approve the Clerk, district Court Clerk and the Treasurers monthly reports, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to have the chairman sign the Highway 20 Law Enforcement Agreement, Nilson seconded. All voted in favor, motion carried. This interlocal agreement is renewed every year.

After discussion with Cherry Co Commissioners and Co Attorney Scott via conference call Tuerk authorized Chairman Nilson to enact and sign the Emergency Management Interlocal Agreement with Cherry County Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

The commissioners took a break for lunch.

C. Giles with BKR Extension office met with the commissioners to discuss replacing the car used for the extension activities. The percentage of the cost for Keya Paha County will be \$673.75, this amount will be added to the next fiscal years budget. Nilson moved to approve the purchase of the vehicle, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

CLAIMS
GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	13,425.02
Appeara	util	\$	162.84
Brown County Treasurer	bkr ext budget	\$	10,250.00
CVA	util	\$	237.22
DAS State accounting	data processing	\$	151.78
Gworks	data processing	\$	1,550.00
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$	33.78
J&J Sanitation	util/clean up day donation	\$	1,274.22
KBR Power	util	\$	332.82
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	671.72
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	993.20
Mircrofilm Imaging Systems	data processing	\$	88.00
MIPS, Inc	data processing	\$	1,159.54
NE Law Enforcement Training Center	supplies	\$	18.85
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Office Products Center	supplies	\$	280.65
AnneJeanette Painter	insurance reimb	\$	500.00
Springview Herald	publishing	\$	127.33
Three River Telco	util	\$	639.47
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	524.81
US Post Office	box rentals	\$	300.00
Viaero	sheriff dept cells	\$	130.28
West Plains Bank	wire fee and bond payment	\$	27,413.26
Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	200.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	12,265.00
Ainsworth Auto Parts	repairs	\$	71.50
Appeara	util	\$	63.82

Buckles	repar	\$	537.35
CVA	fuel	\$	4,474.67
Godfrey Brake Service	repairs	\$	73.40
Harry K NAPA	repairs	\$	708.85
Hespe Auto	supp/tires/oil	\$	1,765.89
Homeland Grocery	sup	\$	27.06
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	72.39
KBR Power	util	\$	180.27
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	659.16
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	924.50
Thomas Munk	mileage	\$	25.76
Power Plan	repairs	\$	26,585.21
Road Builders	repairs	\$	967.47
Three River Telco	util	\$	126.91
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	3,315.82

EMERGENCY ROAD

Salary		\$	625.00
B's Enterprises	culver/signs	\$	2,513.72
Community Truck Scale	weigh fees	\$	56.00
Husker Steel, Inc	bridges	\$	201,482.00
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Hespe Auto	repairs	\$	60.19
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19
Three River Telco	util	\$	57.68
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	80.18

Ritterbush moved to pay the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The chairman declared the meeting adjourned at 4:10 pm, the next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 22nd, 2021 at 10:00 am at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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June 22, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday; June 22nd 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson referenced the open meetings act posted for the public.

After review Nilson moved to approve the minutes as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

T. Wyrick, deputy emergency manager met with the commissioners to update them on the FEMA projects that are still pending. Wyrick reported that the disaster has met a new threshold and will now be in a 90/10 split with the county portion of the expenses now being just 10%, retroactively.

K. Theide and A. Painter presented a resolution, after discussion Nilson moved to adopt the Public Agency Investment Trust Resolution, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Tuerk moved to have Kaye Thiede and AnneJeanette Painter with the Treasurer's office open and be named authorized signors for the required American Rescue Plan Act account for the funds that are being sent to the county, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried

The Treasures office also presented a copy of the new pledged securities to the commissioners.

Tuerk moved to authorize the chairman to sign the representation letter from the auditors, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

The commissioners went to lunch.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	13,905.52
Blue Cross Blue shield	ins premium	\$	6,390.54
Brown county Treasurer	vet service	\$	2,994.42
DAS State Accounting	data processing	\$	151.78
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	1,182.87
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,029.96
Midwest Radar & Equip	supplies	\$	80.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
NIRMA	ins premium	\$	17,408.24
North Central Nebraska RCD	dues	\$	200.00
Office Products Center	supplies	\$	35.00
AnneJeanette Painter	mtg exp	\$	200.48
Region 4 Behavioral Health System	qrtly	\$	1,077.25
Village of Springview	util	\$	208.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	11,365.00
Blue Cross Blue shield	ins premium	\$	2,034.96
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	598.40
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	855.65
NIRMA	ins premium	\$	20,435.76
Road Builders	repairs	\$	1,121.84
Village of Springview	util	\$	23.00

EMERGENCY ROAD

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	625.00
Atteberry Construction, Inc	road surfacing	\$	24,930.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Timothy Wyrick	fema hours/miles	\$	464.06
21060095 Lost Spur Trucking	hauling	\$	2,370.00

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Blue Cross Blue shield	ins premium	\$	1,013.72
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	54.19

Ritterbush moved to pay the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

After review, Nilson moved to adopt the Hazard Mitigation Plan Update, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

At 4:00, the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly schedule meeting to be held on Tuesday, July 13th 2021 at 10:00 a.m. in the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at: <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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July 13, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioner met on Tuesday, July 13th 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:05 with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson noted the open meetings act posted on the wall. After review Ritterbush moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved accept the Clerk, district Court Clerk and Treasurers monthly reports and the Sheriff's quarterly report, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

T. Wyrick updated the commissioners on FEMA project progress.

C. Plate, BKR Extension presented the commissioners with the extension office budget. Nilson moved, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Keya Paha Historical Society board members J. Orton, T. Mundorf and J. Ripley met with the commissioners to update them on the fundraising progress and planned work on the roof. Ritterbush moved to make a one time payment of \$30,000 out of the Inheritance Fund to the Historical Society to help with the expense of the roof. A sinking fund was discussed and the commissioners suggested that the historical society board create a budget to present to the commissioners at the next meeting.

The commissioners went to lunch.

T. Ripley met with the commissioners to request a donation to the community fireworks. Nilson moved to make a \$200 donation in the claims in the next meeting, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

J. Vaisvilas and J Prewitt with KBR Power presented a Request to Occupy ROA Application for a buried power line. Ritterbush moved to approve the application, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	13,930.52
Appeara	util	\$	120.00
Brown Co Treasurer	veterans service share	\$	4,646.52
Hespe Auto	patrol service	\$	164.38
Holt Co Treasurer	probation costs	\$	379.82
KBR Power	util	\$	482.27
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	705.24
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,031.87
Microfilm Imaging Systems, Inc	rental fee	\$	88.00
MIPS Inc	data processing	\$	1,576.73
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Office Products	supplies	\$	259.99
Region IV, Inc	qtrly	\$	1,055.00
Rock Co Sheriff	jail exp	\$	135.00
E\$ric Scott	clericla/phone	\$	850.00
Springview Herald	publishing	\$	143.36
Three River Telco	util	\$	639.69
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	554.86
US Bank	meeting exp/supplies	\$	263.96
Viaero	cell service	\$	130.28
Village of Springview	util	\$	526.00
Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	200.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	16,570.00
Akrs Equipment	rep	\$	118.30

Appeara	util	\$	64.30
Backstreet Repair	mileage/labor	\$	294.00
Bomgaars	supplies	\$	30.96
Buckles Automotive	parts	\$	425.12
Duden Welding, LLC	repairs	\$	343.60
Frontier Diesel, Inc	parts	\$	271.68
Harry K NAPA	parts	\$	10.29
Hespe Auto	rep/tires/tow	\$	2,685.03
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	72.39
KBR Power	util	\$	171.66
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	949.74
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,250.28
Mr Automotive	parts	\$	381.03
NetCom Inc	radio	\$	620.00
Power Plan	rep	\$	410.13
Road Builders	repairs	\$	1,116.34
Sahling Kenworth	valve	\$	93.26
Three River Telco	util	\$	125.23
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	1,610.69
Village of Springview	util	\$	23.00

EMERGENCY ROAD

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	625.00
Jeffres Sand & Gravel	gravel	\$	11,299.42
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Lost Spur Trucking	hauling	\$	2,925.00
Niobrara Valley Consultants	bridge work	\$	1,073.72
Timothy Wyrick	fema hours	\$	175.00

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	51.49
Sandhills Weed Management Area	publications	\$	64.51
Three River Telco	util	\$	57.68
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	254.32
VanDiest Supply Co	chemicals/supplies	\$	14,856.78
Warne Chemical Equipment	nozzles	\$	357.70

Ritterbush moved to pay the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

At 4:30 pm Nilson declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly schedule meeting to be held on Tuesday, July 27th 2021 at 10:00 am at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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July 27, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, July 27th 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m. with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, Clerk Wentworth present, County Attorney Scott arrived after court Nilson noted the open meetings act posted for the public.

After review, Nilson moved, Ritterbush seconded to approved the minutes of the previous meeting as presented. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to accept the Treasurers semi annual report, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes, and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The discussion on Wolf Creek Bridge was tabled until a later time.

The commissioners worked on the budget,

The commissioners took a break for lunch.

Judd Allen with NACO met with the commissioners to update them on a new NACO offer.

L. Smith met with the commissioners to present Resolution 21-14 Carns Bridge State Aid Relaxation Resolution. Ritterbush moved to adopt resolution 21-14, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk-yes. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

Wyrick met with the commissioners to update them on FEMA projects.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	13,535.52
Albin Law Office	attorney fees	\$	365.00
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	6,606.57
Cook Tax Service	2nd qtr e-filing	\$	50.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	678.98
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,001.65
Jeffrey Kirsch	reimb	\$	7.48
Kirk Kunze	reimb	\$	7.48
Madison County District Court	fees	\$	100.00
Madison County Sheriff	service fees	\$	23.01
Mundorf Refridgeration	bldg rep	\$	213.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Jim Ripley	donation	\$	200.00
Viaero Wireless	cell service	\$	129.98

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	11,950.00
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	2,103.77
Bomgaars	supplies	\$	299.99
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	637.88
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	896.85
Premier Parts & Paint	rep	\$	2,452.46
Sahling Kenworth Inc	rep	\$	195.53

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salary		\$	625.00
Steve Hallock	hauling	\$	5,692.50
Jeffres Sand & Gravel	surfacing	\$	7,044.95
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Lost Spur Trucking	hauling	\$	4,830.00
Niobrara Valley Consultants	fema projects	\$	862.50

Thad Davis	125 loads	\$	15,822.00
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INHERITANCE FUND

Keya Paha County Historical Society	bldg rep/donation	\$	30,000.00
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WEED FUND

Salary		\$	708.33
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BC&BS	ins prem	\$	1,047.98
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Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
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Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	51.49
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Kurtis Mizner	reg/hotel/mileage conf exp	\$	881.62
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Office Products	printer	\$	629.99
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VanDiest Supply Co	chemicals	\$	543.05
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Ritterbush moved, Tuerk seconded to approve the above claims. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

At 4:00 pm the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on August 10th 2021 at 10:00 am at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerk office and available online at: <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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August 10, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, August 10th 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, Clerk Wentworth and L. Smith, Niobrara Consultants present. Nilson noted the open meetings act posted for the public.

After review, Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to approve the monthly reports for the Clerk, Treasurer and Dist. Court Clerk, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

K. Thiede and A. Painter presented Resolution 21-15 which transfers from General Fund into the Road Fund. Nilson moved to adopt Transfer Resolution 21-15, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes. Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes/. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to adopt Resolution 21-15 Signing of the County Annual Certification of Program Compliance 2021, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Nilson moved to sign the auditors agreement with Ritterbush & Piotrowski, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The commissioners went to lunch.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	14,103.52
Appeara	util	\$	120.00
DAS State Accounting	data processing	\$	151.78
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$	112.77
KBR Public Power	util	\$	493.10
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	466.72
Keya Paha Co Court	fees	\$	49.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,045.11
Kirk Kunze	mtg reimb	\$	39.59
Microfilm Imaging Systems, Inc.	data processing	\$	88.00
MIPS Inc	data processing	\$	1,191.87
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Office Products	supplies	\$	48.08
Springview Herald	publishing	\$	216.52
Three River Telco	courthouse	\$	653.42
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	525.16
US Bank	supplies	\$	19.52
Village of Springview	util	\$	412.00
Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	200.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	12,160.00
AKRS Equipment	repair	\$	879.49
Appeara	util	\$	64.06
Central Valley Ag	fuel	\$	15,306.70
Dennis Cullison	mileage	\$	48.72
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$	9.98
Inland Truck Parts	parts	\$	1,265.45
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	72.39
KBR Public Power	util	\$	152.32

Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	652.07
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	912.94
Power Plan	repair	\$	2,450.74
Sahling Kenworth	repair	\$	319.74
Sioux City Truck Sales, Inc	repair	\$	207.61
Three River Telco	util	\$	123.66
Truck Center Co	repair	\$	125.95
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	940.93
Village of Springview	util	\$	23.00
Winner Welding Machine, Inc	repair	\$	135.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries		\$	625.00
Atteberry Construction	road material	\$	37,621.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Kenneth Sharp	246 loads	\$	6,134.00
Timothy Wyrick	fema hours and mileage	\$	340.50

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	51.49
Three River Telco	util	\$	57.68
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	113.09
VanDiest supply Co	chemicals	\$	2,228.00

Ritterbush moved to pay the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

T. Wyrick, deputy emergency manager reported via telephone the updates on the various FEMA projects. Wyrick also reported what specs he is needing for a laptop. The county ordered one online.

At 3:50 p.m. the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, August 24, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the Clerk's office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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August 24th, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, August 24th, 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:10 and noted the open meetings act posted for the public. Present were Commissioners Nilson, Tuerk, Deputy Clerk Kinney, and Commissioner Ritterbush joined later. Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Discussion regarding the Safety Manual was tabled till next meeting.

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb.		\$ 14,573.02
Albin Law Office	attorney fees	\$ 365.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret.	\$ 1,210.87
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 2,768.70
Keya Paha County Treasurer	transf. to Rd fund	\$ 150,000.00
Madison County District Court	judicial cost	\$ 100.00
Madison County Sheriff	service Fees	\$ 30.03
MC Tees and More	training material	\$ 102.12
NE Law Enforcement Training Center	materials	\$ 135.00
Barb Nilson	dispatch	\$ 708.33
Office Products Center	supplies	\$ 113.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb.		\$ 12,272.50
Backstreet Repair	repairs	\$ 1,788.44
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret.	\$ 659.65
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 921.52
Mr. Automotive	parts	\$ 229.68
Sahling Kenworth, Inc	parts	\$ 563.90
Schaeffer MFG. Co.	supplies	\$ 649.60
Sioux City Truck Sales, Inc.	supplies	\$ 161.18
Springview Implement & Supplies	parts	\$ 513.43
Titan Machinery	parts	\$ 286.50
Winner Welding Machine, Inc.	labor	\$ 212.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries		\$ 625.00
Elkhorn Sand & Gravel	loads	\$ 3,578.24
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 47.81
Lost Spur Trucking	hauling	\$ 3,000.00
Keely Munger	FEMA work	\$ 93.13

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb.		\$ 708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret.	\$ 47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 51.49
Van Diest Supply Company	chemicals	\$ 1,717.00

Tuerk moved to accept the claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk-yes, and Nilson-yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

J. Orton and T. Mundorf in attendance for the Historical Society, they gave an update regarding the Historical Society and what the next issues are that need addressed, along with a budget. After discussion the Commissioners would like to set up a \$5,000.00 sinking fund for them and will help along with projects.

T. Wyrick stopped to discuss FEMA projects. He reviewed and discussed a letter received from FEMA regarding Wolfe Creek bridge and what follow-up needs to be done. Projects are wrapping up and paperwork is being finalized. T. Wyrick also discussed the training he attended in Taylor, Nebraska and said that it was informative.

Commissioners went to lunch.

Treasurer Thiede and Deputy Treasurer Painter came in and discussed the SLFRF, the American Rescue Act, the appointment of a committee and the responsibilities that the committee needs to do. As of now, they are still working on getting information on how the money can be spent. Until we know how the money can be spent the commissioners will leave Treasurer Thiede the representative.

Resolution KP 21-17 allowable Increase of Restricted Funds (1%) was presented to the Commissioners, Tuerk moved to approve Resolution KP 21-17, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush-yes, Nilson-yes and Tuerk-yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to approve Resolution KP 21-18, Authorization/Reauthorization of Petty Cash Funds, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson-yes, Tuerk-yes and Ritterbush-yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Nilson moved to approve Resolution KP 21-19, Tax Allocation to the Miscellaneous Districts, Nilson moved to approve KP 21-19, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk-yes, Ritterbush-yes and Nilson-yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Commissioners discussed different options, styles, and prices on tanker trucks. Commissioners are going to continue to look and will decide at a later date when some options are found.

At 3:10 p.m. the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly schedule meeting to be held on Tuesday, September 14th, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. in the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Emily Kinney, Deputy Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, September 14th 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:00 with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush and Clerk Wentworth. Nilson referenced the open meetings act posted for the public. After review, Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to accept the Clerk, District Court Clerk and Treasurer's monthly reports as presented from the Clerk and Treasurer, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

T. Wyrick and L. Smith met with the commissioners to discuss the continuing FEMA projects. Smith will gather the information needed for some specific projects.

The commissioners went to lunch.

D. Kienke and K Olson both representing the NCDC discussed the counties membership and that the rate will be going to \$5,000 annually. It would be determined by the both boards what percentage of the membership is paid by the village and county. Olson stated that there has been a great deal of monetary benefits to the county in the last year through the help of the NCDC, naming the grocery store as one project.

At 1:59 p.m. the chairman declared the meeting adjourned to hold the tax request hearing, the budget hearing and the special meeting to adopt the budget resolutions. The regular meeting will reconvene at the end of the special meeting.

At 2:50 Nilson called the regular meeting open to finish general business.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$ 17,725.52
Albin Law Office	fees	\$ 35.00
Anderson's Tree Service	tree removal	\$ 2,850.00
BC&BS	ins prem	\$ 6,606.57
Cherry County Justice Center	prisoner boarding	\$ 1,210.00
Hespe Auto	vehicles serviced	\$ 192.13
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$ 25.94
KBR Rural Power	util	\$ 488.85
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$ 954.71
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 1,321.00
MC Tees & More	uniforms	\$ 59.84
Microfilm Imaging Systems	data processing	\$ 88.00
MIPS Inc	data processing	\$ 1,291.90
Nebraska Notary Assoc	renewal	\$ 148.66
Netcom	antenna	\$ 22.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$ 708.33
Niobrara Valley Consultants	misc projects	\$ 3,952.02
Office Products	supplies	\$ 77.97
Olson's Pest Technicians	courthouse spraying	\$ 235.00
Page My Cell	annual fee	\$ 300.00
Region 24 Behavioral Health	qrtly	\$ 1,077.25
Runnings	sheriff dept supplies	\$ 89.99
Springview Herald	publishing	\$ 213.71
Three River Telco	courthouse lines	\$ 644.45
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$ 753.63
US Bank	computer/supplies mtg exp	\$ 2,536.55
Viaero Wireless	sheriff dept cell phones	\$ 129.78
Village of Springview	util	\$ 444.00

Timothy Wyrick	deputy EM	\$ 200.00
ROAD FUND		
Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$ 16,540.00
ATC Group Services	testing	\$ 1,660.00
BC&BS	ins preim	\$ 2,103.77
Buckles Automotive	supplies/repairs	\$ 1,993.39
CVA	fuel	\$ 5,878.62
Frontier Diesel	repairs	\$ 881.14
Grossenberg Implement	bulk oil	\$ 3,627.45
Harry K NAPA	parts	\$ 227.07
Hespe Auto	repairs/tires	\$ 6,164.49
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$ 60.01
Inland Truck Parts	parts	\$ 2,684.01
J&J Sanitation	util	\$ 72.39
KBR Rural Power	util	\$ 143.01
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$ 947.70
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 1,247.98
Mundorf Refrigeration	repairs	\$ 40.00
Thomas Munk	mileage	\$ 321.44
Netcom	antenna	\$ 10.00
Productivity Plus Account	titan parts	\$ 286.50
Sahling Kenworth	repairs	\$ 319.74
Schrantz Welding & Repair	repairs	\$ 1,592.20
Sioux City Truck Sales	repairs	\$ 98.58
Three River Telco	shop phone/internet	\$ 126.39
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$ 1,425.50
US Bank	parts	\$ 130.82
Village of Springview	util	\$ 103.00
Winner Welding	repair	\$ 212.00
EMERGENCY ROAD		
Salaries		\$ 625.00
Community Truck Scales	scale fee	\$ 7.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 47.81
Norfolk Contracting	culvert work	\$ 12,375.00
WEED FUND		
Salaries		\$ 708.33
BC&BS	ins prem	\$ 1,047.98
Cobblestone Hotel & Suites	meeting exp	\$ 89.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$ 47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 51.49
Travis Mundorf	mileage/postage/mtg exp	\$ 329.14
Springview Herald	publishing	\$ 44.10
Three River Telco	phone	\$ 57.68
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$ 143.76
VanDiest Supply Co	chemical	\$ 9,676.80

Ritterbush moved to approve the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

At 3:15 the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regular meeting to be held on Tuesday, September 28th 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the Keya Paha County courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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September 14, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, September 14th 2021 at the Keya Paha County courthouse meeting room with the purpose of holding the 2021-2022 Tax Request Hearing, as advertised in the September 8th 2021 edition of the Springview Herald. At 2:00 p.m. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson referenced the open meetings act posted for the public. No members of the public attended. With no support, opposition or questions from the public, at 2:15 Nilson moved to close the hearing, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

September 14, 2021

They Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, September 14th 2021 at the Keya Paha County courthouse meeting room with the purpose of holding the 2021-2022 Budget Hearing, as advertised in the September 8th 2021 edition of the Springview Herald. Nilson called the meeting to order at 2:15 p.m. with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush and Clerk Wentworth also present. Nilson referenced the open meetings act posted for the public. Nilson also presented the overview of the 2021-2022 budget. The Clerk made available 3 copies of the proposed budget for the public. No members of the public were present. With no support, opposition or questions from the public at 2:46 Nilson moved to close the budget hearing, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

September 14, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met in a special session Tuesday, September 14th 2021 at the Keya Paha County Courthouse meeting room with the purpose of adopting the budget and setting the final tax request as advertised in the September 8th 2021 edition of the Springview Herald. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 2:47 p.m. with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush and Clerk Wentworth also present. Nilson referenced the open meetings act posted for the public. There were no members of the public present.

After review of Property Tax Request Resolution 2021-20, which sets the 2021/2022 property tax request for the General Fund be set at \$778,078.19 and the Road Bond Fund be set at \$178,893.08 which is a decrease from the 2020/2021 tax request, Nilson noted the county's proposed operating budget is decreasing by 16.95%. Nilson moved to adopt the Tax Request Resolution 21-20, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Tuerk moved to adopt Resolution 21-21 Keya Paha County 2021/2022 Budget Document Resolution of Adoption and Appropriations, Ritterbush seconded Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to adopt Resolution 21-22 Transfer of Funds from county General Fund to the Road/Bridge Fund, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

At 2:50 p.m. Ritterbush moved to adjourn the special meeting, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

September 28, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, September 28th 2021. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, Clerk Wentworth, County Attorney Scott and Highway Supt. Smith present. The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed, Nilson moved to approve the minutes as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Susan Cook, acting Superintendent of the Niobrara Scenic River National Park Service, met with the commissioners to discuss Quiet Parks International. She has invited representatives to come and float the area to decide if it should be included into the Quiet Parks International program.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	15,115.52
Brown County Treasurer	BKR Ext 1/2 budget	\$	11,000.00
Consolidated Management Co.			
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	762.48
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,121.34
Madison District Court	court fees	\$	100.00
Madison County sheriff	fees	\$	26.69
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Niobrara Valley Consultants	bridge inspections	\$	2,419.80
Office Products Center	supplies	\$	43.93
US Bank	supplies	\$	529.90
Viaero Wireless	sheriff dept cells	\$	259.66
Timothy Wyrick	deputy emrg mngr	\$	416.67

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	12,304.38
Backstreet Repair	rep	\$	683.50
Jebro	asphalt	\$	15,962.58
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	661.80
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	923.97
Myron Nilson	mileage	\$	57.12
Springview Implement	supplies	\$	474.09
US Bank	supplies	\$	49.17

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	625.00
Atteberry Construction	Wyman Bridge	\$	5,350.78
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Keely Munger	fema hours	\$	56.25

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	51.49

Ritterbush moved to approve the above minutes, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The commissioners went to lunch.

Nilson moved to adopt transfer Resolution #21-23, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

At 2:00 the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, October 12th 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the Clerk's office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

October 12, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, October 12th 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. and referred to the open meetings act posted for the public, with Commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, Clerk Wentworth and L. Smith present.

Nilson made a motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to approve the treasurer, clerk and district court clerk monthly report and the sheriff quarterly report, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

T. Wyrick, deputy emergency manager met with the commissioners to update them on the fema projects. Wyrick reported that to this date Keya Paha County has received \$477,575.16 from the disaster and there are more projects being reviewed and ready to be paid out.

The 11:30 agenda item to discuss an intersection signage was referred to the highway superintendent.

The tree removal agenda item was referred to the highway superintendent.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	15,105.52
Appeara	util	\$	300.00
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	6,606.57
Consolidated Management Co	training academy meals	\$	194.72
Hespe Auto	service/vehicle towing	\$	224.18
KBR Power Power	util	\$	439.03
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	760.21
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,120.58
Keya Paha Co Treasurer	transfers to weed & ambo	\$	54,466.54
Microfilm Imaging systems	data transfers	\$	88.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Office Products Center	syookues	\$	27.69
Region IV Inc	2nd qrtr	\$	1,055.50
Springview Herald	publishing/envelopes	\$	440.09
Three River Telco	util	\$	636.00
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	898.91
Tyler	vet service program	\$	449.00
Village of Springview	util	\$	229.00
Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	416.67
Greater Sandhills Family Healthcare	sheriff dept exp	\$	363.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	12,028.75
AKRS Equip	parts	\$	119.34
Appeara	util	\$	160.79
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	2,103.77
Buckles	parts	\$	275.76
CVA	fuel	\$	6,533.67
Dennis Cullison	mileage	\$	52.64
Harry K NAPA	parts	\$	21.81
Hepse Auto	rep/parts/tires	\$	3,507.73

Inland Truck Parts	parts	\$	3,269.35
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	72.39
Jeffers Sand & Gravel	surfacing	\$	6,498.52
KBR Power Power	util	\$	143.71
Andy Keogh	training meals	\$	45.07
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	643.20
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	902.87
Paulsen, Inc	ashphalt	\$	10,000.00
Power Plan	repairs	\$	119.58
Rock Co Tire	tire rep	\$	30.00
Sahling Kenworth	parts	\$	160.83
Sioux City Truck Sales	parts	\$	230.26
Three River Telco	util	\$	121.65
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	766.80
Village of Springview	util	\$	23.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	625.00
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
Timothy Wyrick	fema hours	\$	150.00

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	1,047.98
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	51.49
Sandhills Weed Management Area	mailers	\$	68.80
Springview Herald	publishing	\$	107.80
Three River Telco	util	\$	57.10
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	37.50

Ritterbush moved to approve the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting" Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The Commissioners and Smith went to lunch.

The Commissioners and Smith went to view the bridge on Riverside Road.

At 3:00 p.m. the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regular scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, October 26th, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda will be on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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October 26th, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, October 26th, 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:02 and noted the open meetings act posted for the public. Present were Commissioners Nilson, Tuerk, Ritterbush, County Attorney Scott and Deputy Clerk Kinney. Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Commissioners talked about an Assistance program NIRMA had available for replacing and improving safety equipment and training. An Application form was filled out and sent into NIRMA.

Nilson made a Motion to enter into the County Board of Equalization, Ritterbush seconded. Tuerk-yes, Nilson-yes, and Ritterbush-yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

After review, Ritterbush moved to Approval of Final Levy, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush-yes, Nilson-yes, and Tuerk-yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Ritterbush made a Motion to close the County Board of Equalization, Nilson seconded. Nilson-yes, Tuerk-yes, and Ritterbush-yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Tuerk recently attended a meeting with NACO where they talked about cyber security. The Commissioners discussed some things regarding how the county can make sure we are protected and will continue to discuss next meeting after some more research.

FEMA update is tabled to next meeting as T. Wyrick was unavailable to make it to the meeting.

Commissioners went to lunch with attorney Scott.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins. Reimb.		\$ 15,515.52
Consolidated Management Co.	training academy meals	\$ 270.91
Cook Tax Service	qtr reports	\$ 55.00
Galls, LLC	supplies	\$ 179.99
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$ 789.88
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 1,151.94
Netcom, Inc.	supplies	\$ 120.00
Barb Nilson	dispatch	\$ 708.33
Office Products Center	supplies	\$ 35.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins. Reimb.		\$ 10,750.00
Atteberry Construction Inc.	surfacing	\$ 31,022.00
Jebro Inc.	surfacing	\$ 15,536.76
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$ 556.89
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$ 805.05
Thad Davis	surfacing	\$ 12,285.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins. Reimb.		\$	625.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.88

WEED DEPARTMENT FUND

Salaries & Ins. Reimb.		\$	708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	51.49
Van Diest Supply Company	chemical	\$	1,178.00

Ritterbush moved to accept the claims, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson-yes, Tuerk-yes, and Ritterbush-yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Discussion regarding the Highway 20 Law Enforcement Interlocal Agreement, Tuerk made a motion to approve the agreement, Ritterbush seconded. Tuerk-yes, Ritterbush-yes, and Nilson-yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

D. Allpress presented the Commissioners with an Application for Special Exception between Allpress LLC and D. Allpress. D. Allpress said that he wanted 5 acres removed from the LLC and put into his own name. He expressed that the county did this for his brother a few years ago. Commissioners contacted D. Kienke to make sure there were no issues with zoning. After discussion Ritterbush made the motion to accept the application, Nilson seconded. Ritterbush-yes, Nilson-yes, and Tuerk-yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

At 2:38 p.m. the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly schedule meeting to be held on Tuesday, November 9th 2021 at 10:00 a.m. in the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Emily Kinney, Deputy Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

November 9, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, November 9th 2021, Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush and clerk Wentworth present. Nilson noted the open meetings act posted for the public. After review Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to accept the Clerk, District Court Clerk and the Treasurers monthly reports, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

C Plate, BKR Extension and J. Jenkins UNL Engagement Coordinator met with the commissioners to go over the interlocal agreement. Plate also asked the commissioners to approve a new member to the extension board from Keya Paha County. Sheri Connell has served her two terms, Plate recommended Russ Wentworth. Tuerk moved to appoint Russ Wentworth to a three year term on the extension board, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried. The commissioners tabled the interlocal agreement until the county attorney contacts them.

A Painter, deputy treasurer met with the board to explain the need for a motion to change the ARPA funds account from a business account to a business plus account to allow interest to accrue. Tuerk moved to move the ARPA funds from the business account to a business plus account, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor motion carried.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	14,835.52
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	6,606.57
Consolidated Management Co	academy meals	\$	97.36
GWORKS	redistricting	\$	1,550.00
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$	83.01
J13 Enterprises, LLC	budget prep	\$	2,167.64
KBR Power	util	\$	341.83
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	740.78
Keya Paha Co Court	fees	\$	17.00
Keya Paha Co Historical Society	foundation donation	\$	1,500.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,099.92
L&B Johnson	fees	\$	117.30
Microfilm Imaging Systems Inc	equip rental	\$	88.00
MIPS Inc	data processing	\$	1,191.87
NACO	dues	\$	1,073.04
NE Law Enforcement Training Center	fees	\$	175.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Niobrara Valley Consultants	misc projects	\$	2,997.82
Office Products Center	copier/supp	\$	51.88
Secretary of State	election training	\$	80.00
Springview Herald	publishing	\$	93.72
Three River Telco	phones/internet	\$	628.95
Mike Tuerk	mileage	\$	511.28
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	892.79
US Bank	supplies/mtg expenses	\$	584.44
Village of Springview	util	\$	145.00
Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	416.67

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb	\$	11,290.00
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AKRS	parts	\$	16.48
Atteberry Construction	grinding	\$	17,300.00
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	2,103.77
Buckles Automotive	parts	\$	1,437.64
CVA	fuel	\$	13,599.36
Frontier Diesel	repairs	\$	396.77
Gentle Trucking, LLC	trucking	\$	1,437.01
Hespe Auto	tires/parts	\$	3,742.02
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$	1.19
J&J Sanitation	util	\$	72.39
KBR Power	util	\$	127.62
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	593.35
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	846.36
Myereink Farm Service Inc	labor/parts	\$	532.13
Mulehead Gravel	crushed rock	\$	794.28
Power Plan	repairs	\$	403.03
Springview Implement & Supply	repairs/supp	\$	477.70
Three River Telco	phones/internet	\$	124.70
Truck Center Companies	repairs	\$	192.31
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	1,335.06
US Bank	supplies	\$	10.99
VanDiest Supply Co	chemicals	\$	560.00
Village of Springview	util	\$	23.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries		\$	625.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81
NE Emergency Management Agency	repayment on project	\$	32,348.51

WEED FUND

Salaries		\$	708.33
BC&BS	ins prem	\$	1,047.98
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	51.49
Three River Telco	phone	\$	57.10

Ritterbush moved to approve the claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The Commissioners took a break for lunch.

T. Wyrick deputy emergency manager met with the commissioners to discuss FEMA projects.

Nilson moved to sign Resolution 19-24 Signing of the Year end Certification of the County Highway superintendent, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried. Tuerk moved to have the chairman sign the year end certification of the Highway superintendent, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

After contact with the county attorney and his approval Ritterbush moved to sign the UNL BKR Extension interlocal agreement, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

At 3:30 the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, November 23rd 2021 at 10:00 a.m. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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November 23, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, November 23, 2021 in regular session. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:10 a.m. with Commissioner Tuerk and Ritterbush, L. Smith and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson noted the open meetings act posted for the public.

After review, Nilson moved and Ritterbush seconded to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

The Commissioners discussed leasing a tractor from Grossenbergs again and made a call in to speak with Jeff.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	15,170.52
Consolidated Management Co.	academy meals	\$	161.73
DAS State Accounting	data processing	\$	303.56
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	765.39
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,125.55
NetCom Inc	parts	\$	315.00
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$	708.33
Ritterbush & Piotrowski	audit costs	\$	10,300.00
Eric Scott	clerical/phone 3 months	\$	2,550.00
Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	416.67

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	8,623.75
Atteberry Construction	grinding/hauling	\$	12,045.00
Jeffres Sand & Gravel	gravel	\$	2,300.10
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	413.36
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	642.41
Thomas Munk	mileage	\$	98.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	625.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81

HOLDING FUND

Keya Paha Co Treasurer	transfer	\$	251,246.92
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ROAD BOND FUND

West Plains Bank	principal/int/fees	\$	208,482.50
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WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	51.49
Kurtis Mizner	mielage/registration/mtg exp	\$	593.28

Ritterbush moved to pay the above claims, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to adopt Transfer Resolution 21-25 which transferred money into the Road Bond Fund, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

The commissioners tabled the salaries and wages agenda item until the first meeting in December.

The commissioners went to lunch.

At 1:00 p. Nilson moved to open the County Board of Equalization, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Discussion was held on the 457 Exemption Application for the Burton Assembly of God.

At 1:15 p.m. Tuerk moved to close as the County Board of Equalization, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Tuerk moved to approve the 457 Application for Exemption for the Burton Assembly of God Church, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

After discussion Nilson moved to sign a letter of intent to lease a tractor for 2022 from Grossenbergs, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

K. Theide the safety coordinator was present for the safety meeting. Discussion was held on the Assit grant that the county applied for through NIRMA for safety equipment.

At 3:00 pm the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, December 14th 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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December 14, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, December 14, 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:10 with commissioners Tuerk and Ritterbush, and Clerk Wentworth present. Nilson made reference to the open meetings act posted for the public.

After review, Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Nilson moved to accept the monthly reports for the Clerk, District Court Clerk and Treasurer, Ritterbush seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

Ritterbush moved to approve tax correction #389, which was personal property that had been removed from the county before they January 1, 2021 deadline but not reported removed, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The commissioners discussed wages and salaries.

Austin Cook and Loren Smydra from Road Builders Machinery and Supply met with the commissioners and took them to lunch.

At 1:30 the commissioners participated in a First Net presentation via zoom with Renee McCarthy.

More discussion was held on road employee wages and official salaries for the term beginning in January of 2023. Tuerk moved to raise the road employee's hourly wage by \$1.00 effective January 1st, with an annual increase based upon the CPI, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—no. Motion carried. Ritterbush stated that he wanted the increase to be \$1.50 an hour minimum.

The official salary resolution for the next term was tabled until the next meeting.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	15,282.02
Blue Cross Blue Shield	insurance	\$	6,606.57
Central Valley Ag	repairs	\$	127.06
Consolidated Management Co.	meals	\$	187.70
Hespe Auto Center	repairs	\$	1,113.08
Keya Paha Co Payroll Acct	co-share ret	\$	809.37
Keya Paha County Payroll Account	co-share fica	\$	1,175.85
Keya Paha County Treasurer Kaye Thiede	transfer	\$	100,000.00
Microfilming Imaging Systems, Inc.	rentals	\$	88.00
Mips Inc	data processing	\$	1,191.87
Nilson, Barbara K.	dispatch	\$	708.33
Nilson, Corey	insurance reimb	\$	400.00
Niobrara Valley Consultants LLC	insp	\$	1,202.38
Regional 4 Behavioral Health System	3rd quarter	\$	1,077.25
Ritterbush, Bruce	insurance reimb	\$	400.00
Scott, Eric A	clerical salary + phone	\$	1,700.00
Springview Herald	notices	\$	123.25
Three River Telco	courthouse	\$	641.27
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	796.79
US Bank	supplies	\$	551.01
Viaero Wireless	cell phones	\$	128.58
Village of Springview	courthouse	\$	183.00
Timothy Wyrick	dep em	\$	416.67

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	11,050.00
AKRS Equipment	repairs	\$	351.38

B's Enterprises Inc.	parts	\$	367.50
Blue Cross Blue Shield	insurance	\$	2,103.77
Community Truck Scales	weigh fees	\$	7.00
Grossenberg Implement	rentals	\$	3,540.90
Hespe Auto Center	repairs	\$	354.90
J & J Sanitation	county shed	\$	72.39
KBR Rural Public Power Dist.	shed	\$	190.09
Keya Paha Co Payroll Act	co-share ret	\$	577.13
Keya Paha County Payroll Account	co-share fica	\$	828.01
Mr. Automotive	parts	\$	71.72
Mulehead Gravel, LLC	gravel	\$	9,176.76
Newco Truck Parts, Inc.	filters	\$	324.28
Power Plan	parts	\$	1,441.36
Road Builders Supply Co. Inc.	motor grader	\$	925.43
Three River Telco	shop	\$	122.13
Turbine Mart	fuel	\$	872.77
US Bank	safety supply	\$	1,066.03
Village of Springview	shop	\$	23.00

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries		\$	625.00
Keya Paha County Payroll Account	co-share fica	\$	47.81

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Blue Cross Blue Shield	insurance	\$	1,047.98
Keya Paha Payroll ACCT Ret	co-share ret	\$	47.81
Keya Paha County Payroll Account	co-share fica	\$	51.49
Nebraska Weed Control Assn.	dues	\$	135.00
Three River Telco	weed dept	\$	57.10

Ritterbush moved to pay the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Ritterbush—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

At 4 p.m. the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly schedule meeting to be held on Tuesday, December 28th at 10:00 a.m. at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

December 28, 2021

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, December 28th 2021 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:10 a.m. with Commissioner Tuerk and Clerk Wentworth present. Commissioner Ritterbush arrived at 11 a.m.

Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting, Tuerk seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Ritterbush—absent. Motion carried.

Discussion was held on the possibility of ARPA funds being used by the county for the purchase a new ambulance. The County will be consulting Lutz & Company to determine what the ARPA funds can be used for.

Discussion was held on the fuel tanks for the road department. No action was taken at this time.

Discussion was held on the opioid funding and the county attorney let the commissioners know that the county is enrolled and will be eligible for any funding.

The Commissioners and county attorney took a break for lunch

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	15,375.52
Brown County Treasurer	BKR Extension budget	\$	11,000.00
Consolidated Management Co	academy meals	\$	72.50
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$	55.39
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	779.63
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,141.23
Rosa Kienke	mileage/postage	\$	346.18
MIPS Inc	office supplies	\$	146.80
Barbara Nilson	dispatch/electricity	\$	1,908.33
Niobrara Valley Consultants	misc projects	\$	1,478.76
Office Products Center	supplies	\$	232.70
US Bank	supplies/mtg expenses	\$	588.93
Viaero Wireless	cell services	\$	257.76
Suzy Wentworth	reimb computer supplies em	\$	266.24
Timothy Wyrick	deputy em	\$	416.67

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	8,702.50
Stanley Hansen	41 loads	\$	984.00
Atteberry Construction	road material	\$	20,721.00
Homeland Grocery	supplies	\$	1.98
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	418.67
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	648.41
Murphy Tractor & Equipment Co	parts	\$	3,500.00
NMC Exchange LLC	repairs	\$	228.82
Kenneth Sharp	177 loads	\$	4,284.00
Thad Davis	38 loads	\$	51.30
Tri R Farms	15 loads	\$	368.00
US Bank	supplies/tools	\$	301.99

EMERGENCY ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	625.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	47.81

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	708.33
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	47.81
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	51.49
Sandhills Weed Management Area	dues	\$	200.00

Ritterbush moved to pay the above claims, Nilson seconded. Voting: Ritterbush—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

D. Kienke met with the commissioners to discuss the counties position as far as membership in the NCDC. The county has determined they will be a member in the NCDC and are just waiting for an invoice for the membership fee.

Salaries were discussed at length; no action was taken. The salaries were tabled until the next regularly scheduled meeting.

At 4:45 the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, January 11th 2022 at 10:00 a.m. a current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://co.keya-paha.ne.us>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman

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