The Corson County Board of Commissioners met in the Commissioner Room of the Courthouse on November 14, 2022. Chairman Jacob Nehl called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. with Shawn Hinsz, Darren Bauer, Lucas Sutherland, and Stephen Keller present.

Approve Minutes

All voted in favor of a motion by Keller, seconded by Sutherland, to approve the minutes of the regular October 4, 2022 meeting.

Agenda

All voted in favor of a motion by Bauer, seconded by Sutherland, to approve the agenda as posted.

Liquor License Renewals

No one appeared for the renewal of liquor licenses. Majority voted in favor of a motion by Bauer, seconded by Keller, to approve the following applications:

Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, Grand River Casino, Mobridge, SD, SE¼ of 35-19-29 less 10 acres, taken area, Tract No. T79 of Reservation Trust Land (Lounge with food service and Sunday On-sale Liquor Operations, Retail On-Sale Liquor).

Lindskov’s Firesteel Creek Hunting Lodge Co., 13299 SD Hwy 65, Isabel, South Dakota, NW¼ of the SE¼ 33-18-22 (Retail On-Sale Liquor).

On roll call vote: Hinsz, yes; Bauer, yes; Sutherland, no; Keller, yes; Nehl, yes.

December Meeting Dates

Discussion was held on December meeting dates. The regular commission meeting will be held on December 6th and special end of year commission meeting will be held on December 29th.

Thanksgiving/Christmas Leave

Consensus was to grant administrative/holiday leave to full time employees for eight hours on November 24 and November 25 in observance of Thanksgiving. Consensus was to grant administrative/holiday leave to full time employees for eight hours on December 23 and December 26 in observance of Christmas.

Health Insurance

Auditor Bertolotto informed the commission that health insurance rates with Blue Cross Blue Shield will decrease 10.35% with our current plan and TransAmerica rates will stay the same with our current plan. All voted in favor of a motion by Bauer, seconded by Hinsz to renew our current health care plans with Blue Cross Blue Shield and TransAmerica.

Highway Report

Superintendent Schell reported on road conditions, millings, 5 year road and bridge plan approval, and CDL Training. No action taken.

LATCF

Discussion was held on the Local Assistance and Tribal Consistency Fund (LATCF). Following discussion, all voted in favor of a motion by Keller, seconded by Hinsz to appoint Auditor Tammy Bertolotto as the authorized representative and contact person for the Local Assistance and Tribal Consistency Fund.

Senior Citizen Building

Bryant and Marlene Traxinger were present to inquire about purchasing the Senior Citizen Building in McLaughlin. No action taken.

Premium Pay

Discussion was held on Premium Pay for county employees. All voted in favor of a motion by Keller, seconded by Hinsz to authorize retrospective premium pay, out of the general fund, for essential employees for January 1st thru December 31st 2021 who are currently still employed with Corson County as follows: Stephen Keller, $900; Shawn Hinsz, $900; Darren Bauer, $900; Lucas Sutherland, $900; Jacob Nehl, $900; Tammy Bertolotto, $3600; Heather Gall, $3600; Priscilla Werner, $3600; Marcia Schell, $3600; June Werner, $2160; Hunter Nehl, $2475; Amy Schriock, $3600; Dawne Donner, $1800; Kevin Dyda, $720; Alan Dale, $3600; Michael Varilek, $3600; Justin Tvedt, $3600; Shane Penfield, $3150; Jasper Iron Cloud, $250; Melva Brenner, $3600; Rickey Schell, $3600; Benny Joe Schell, $3600; Mike Buechler, $2475; Lyle Geigle, $3600; Jason Hovda, $3600; Drew Hermes, $3600; Thomas Hermes, $600; James Price, $1650; Benjamin B Schell, $1500; Tammy Bertolotto, Grant Administration $1800; motion carried.

Sheriff’s Office

Sheriff Alan Dale informed the commission that he would like to surplus the 2008 Dodge Durango. Following discussion, all voted in favor of a motion by Bauer, seconded by Keller to surplus the 2008 Dodge Durango and sell at a later date.

Discussion was held on vacation time for Sheriff’s Office employees. No action taken.

Canvass Election

The votes of the November 8, 2022 General Election were canvassed by the commissioners. The vote was found to be the same as the unofficial tally.

Statement of Fees Collected Approved:

Register of Deeds, October, 2022: $7,689.20; Petty Cash: $50.00

Auditor’s Account with Treasurer

September 2022 Cash on hand: $1,355.83, Checks in Treasurer’s possession less than 3 days: $13,382.54, Demand Deposits: $656,430.89, Time Deposits: $3,664,749.33, Petty Cash Accounts: $2,657.00

The following bills were presented and ordered paid out of their respective funds:

Salaries of officials and employees by department:

Commission 4983.35

Auditor 5122.50

Treasurer 7322.00

States Attorney 4420.00

General Government Buildings 2957.50

Director of Equalization Wages 3856.66

Register of Deeds 5494.66

Sheriff 18905.00

Veteran Service Officer 625.00

Emergency Management 550.00

4-H Secretary 1560.00

Weed & Pest 3333.34

Road & Bridge 34740.05

E911 333.34

OASI 7011.57

South Dakota Retirement System 5293.05

Group Insurance 20034.71

The following bills were presented and ordered paid out of their respective funds:

AMERICAN SOLUTIONS 941.31 SUPPLIES, AT & T MOBILITY 604.14 UTILITIES, BEADLE'S SALES 2918.75 Supplies, BEST WESTERN RAMKOTA HOTEL 182.00 LODGING, KENTON BIEBER 467.36 CORONER TRAINING REIMBURSEMENT, BIEGLER EQUIPMENT, INC 253.41 SUPPLIES, BUTLER MACHINERY COMPANY 236.01 Supplies, CAPITAL ONE TRADE CREDIT 70.97 Supplies, CENTURYLINK 56.43 Monthly Utilities, CITY OF MCINTOSH 249.60 Monthly Utilities, CITY OF MCLAUGHLIN 82.10 UTILITIES, CITY OF MOBRIDGE 1923.78 OCTOBER E911 REMITTANCE, CITY OF RAPID CITY 3782.28 Search/Rescue Services, CONNECTING POINT 36.00 Trend Micro, CRAWFORD TRUCKS & EQUIPMENT 855.55 Supplies, DRG MEDIA GROUP 192.00 ADVERTISING, ECOLAB PEST ELIM DIV 145.21 Rodent Control, EDMUNDS COUNTY SHERIFF OFFICE 2600.00 PRISONER BOARDING, EDNEY DISTRIBUTING CO INC 132.90 Supplies, ELECTION SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE 38.90 SUPPLIES, G & O PAPER SUPPLIES 709.45 Supplies, GTC AUTO PARTS INC 206.27 SUPPLIES, INTOXIMETERS, INC 350.00 SUPPLIES, JOHNSEN TRAILER SALES INC 216.88 PARTS/SUPPLIES, KNIGHT SECURITY INC. 60.00 NETWORK MONITORING, LABRENSZ INC 673.56 Supplies, LEE & JUNDT AUTO BODY LTD 599.42 Vehicle Repairs, MONTANA DAKOTA UTILITIES 1331.38 Monthly Utilities, MEADE COUNTY AUDITOR 4880.00 Board of Prisoners, MELLING & ROSELAND LAW 3000.00 OCTOBER PUBLIC DEFENDER, MOBRIDGE REGIONAL HOSPITAL 72.00 Lab Services, MOREAU GRAND ELECTRIC 196.06 Monthly Utilities, CORSON SIOUX NEWS MESSENGER 846.67 ADVERTISING, OAHE VETERINARY HOSPITAL 388.89 K9 Care, PENNINGTON COUNTY JAIL 850.00 PRISONER BOARDING, PHARMCHEM, INC 62.90 SUPPLIES, PHEASANTLAND INDUSTRIES 1040.71 Supplies, REDWOOD TOXICOLOGY 7.00 LAB SERVICES, RUNNINGS SUPPLY INC 111.90 SUPPLIES, SD DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE 260.78 Sept/Oct Sales & Excise Tax, SD DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION 16725.00 Asphalt Millings, SD DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION 560.32 2022 HIGHWAY WORK COST SHARE, SDACC 168.00 CLERP QUARTERLY ASSESSMENT, SD ASS'N OF COUNTY OFFICIALS 44.00 October M&P Fund, SDML WORKERS COMPENSATION FUND 21418.00 WORKERS COMP 2023, SEACHANGE PRINT INNOVATIONS 185.00 SD PUBLICATION BALLOT, SANDRA C SEMERAD, RMR, CRR 71.25 COURT REPORTING, SERVALL UNIFORM & LINEN SUPPLY 283.76 RUG SERVICE, STATE TREASURER 49106.72 ANIMAL DAMAGE CONTROL FUND, TYLER TECHNOLOGIES, INC 449.00 VETRASPEC RENEWAL, WEST RIVER COOP TELEPHONE CO. 328.45 UTILITIES, WEST RIVER TELECOMMUNICATIONS 186.51 Monthly Utilities, MARSHA ABERLE 216.75 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, JOSLYN AGARD 304.95 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, DONNA ARCHAMBAULT 230.10 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, ZACH BERTOLOTTO 153.00 ELECTION WORK, SUSANNA DAGLEY 280.45 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, CARA DIMARE 230.10 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, SHARI L EVENSON 67.50 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, TERESA FISCHER 286.90 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, HEATHER I. GALL 94.50 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, VERNA GONE 366.15 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, THURMAN GOODHOUSE 161.00 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, LORINDA GRUHLKE 211.00 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, SHANNON HANSEN 215.63 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, MARY HOLLENBECK 359.90 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, KENEL DISTRICT 75.00 GENERAL ELECTION POLL RENT, MARISA KILLS IN WATER 184.00 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, MARY KILLS IN WATER 331.60 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, LITTLE EAGLE DISTRICT OFFICE 75.00 GENERAL ELECTION POLL RENT, CARLEEN LITTLE EAGLE 225.00 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, LOGAN LUGER 178.25 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, MARLISS MARSHALL 230.08 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, MCLAUGHLIN CITY 75.00 GENERAL ELECTION POLL RENT, KELSEY MELLETTE 266.45 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, BONNIE MOLLMAN 202.38 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, LOIS MOLLMAN 309.67 GENEARL ELECTION WORK, MORRISTOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT 75.00 GENERAL ELECTION POLL RENT, SHARON PAZIE 242.25 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, GERALD L. PIKE 279.58 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, ROCK CREEK LOCAL DISTRICT 75.00 GENERAL ELECTION POLL RENT, MARCIA SCHELL 85.50 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, PATRICIA SCHMEICHEL 249.35 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, STERLING ST. JOHN 149.50 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, CLAUDETTE STRICKER 353.91 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, RAEANDA TOMAC 274.80 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, TRAIL CITY COMMUNITY HALL 75.00 GENERAL ELECTION POLL RENT, WAKPALA COMMUNITY CENTER 75.00 GENERAL ELECTION POLL RENT, CHERYL WHITE TAIL 230.10 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, MARILYN YELLOW EARRINGS 184.00 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, EMILY ZIMBA 63.00 GENERAL ELECTION WORK, MCINTOSH POSTMASTER 250.00 Postage, CONNECTING POINT 36.00 Trend Micro, MCINTOSH POSTMASTER 140.00 Box Rent, MOREAU GRAND ELECTRIC 136.60 Monthly Utilities, TRUENORTH STEEL INC 25811.80 Culvert, CORSON COUNTY TREASURER 190.60 Partial Payment, CORSON COUNTY TREASURER 14.27 Partial Payment, AGTEGRA COOPERATIVE 581.35 Water, MASTERCARD 2449.08 Supples/Gas/Hotel, MONTANA DAKOTA UTILITIES 1673.53 Monthly Utilities, MEADE COUNTY AUDITOR 4080.00 August Board of Prisoners, TC&G WATER ASSOC INC 130.56 Monthly Utilities, WEST RIVER TELECOMMUNICATIONS 49.78 Monthly Utilities, WEST RIVER TELECOMMUNICATIONS 132.44 Monthly Utilities, CLARENCE JACOBS 46.09 Refund Overpay CAA Fees, CORSON COUNTY TREASURER 2467.58 Partial Payment, CENTURYLINK 1205.81 Monthly Phone Bill, CORSON COUNTY TREASURER 304.82 Partial Payment, CORSON COUNTY TREASURER 228.29 Partial Payment

Adjourn

All voted in favor of a motion by Hinsz, seconded by Sutherland to adjourn at 12:38 p.m. The next regular commission meeting will be held December 6, 2022.

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