Osceola, Nebraska July 23, 2024

Pursuant to notice published in the July 18th, 2024 issue of the Polk County News, the Polk County Board of Equalization convened at 9:00 a.m. with all members present. Minutes of the July 9th, 2024 meeting of the Polk County Board of Equalization were read and approved. Chairman Westring informed those in attendance that a current copy of the Open Meetings Act is posted in the meeting room.

The Board reviewed and discussed the one hundred fifty-two protests that had been filed. Assessor Krance was also present for the discussion as well as other property owners from those lakes with leased lots. A motion was made by Boruch to agree with the Assessor's or the county contracted appraiser's recommendation on all of the filed protests that did not involve improvements on leased lots on a lake, thereby reducing the value on 39 parcels and leaving the value unchanged on 18 parcels. The motion was seconded by Boss and the roll call vote was Boruch, aye; Boss, aye; Westring, aye. A motion was made by Boruch to remove the value of the leasehold interest on those protests filed on parcels with improvements on leased land located on a Polk County lake, thereby reducing the value on 95 parcels. The motion was seconded by Boss and the roll call vote was Boruch, aye; Boss, aye; Westring, aye.

The following action was taken:

1.	Scott & Barb Fowler	Tax Lot D in W 1/2 SW 1/4 10-14-4
	Lower valuation to \$546,520	
2.	Adam R. Thomas	North 25' of Lot 13 & all 14, Blk. 9, Original
	Lower valuation to \$87,570	Town, Polk
3.	Allen D. Bower	Lots 20-22, Blk. 4, Original Town,
	Lower valuation from to \$49,330	Stromsburg
4.	Lindburg Farms, Inc. by Murray Lindburg	NE 1/4 16-13-2, Polk County
	Lower valuation to \$3,074,840	
5.	Brian Samuelson	Tract (355'x400') in S 1/2 SE 1/4 30-13-4
	No change as recommended by Assessor	
6.	Jane C. Swartz	Lots 7 & 8, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes
	Remove leasehold valuation	NE 1/4 13-16-2
7.	Jay Duffy	Lots 10 & 11, Blk.2, Smith's 2nd Addition,
	Lower valuation to \$44,165	Osceola
8.	Keith W. Peterson	Tax Lot C in SE 1/4 15-14-3
	Lower valuation to \$366,890	
9.	Larry G. Newell	Lot 24, Clear Creek West Sub in SW 1/4
	No change as recommended by Assessor	20-16-1
10.	Mark Jones for Carol & Duane Jones	N 1/2 NW 1/4 & SE 1/4 NW 1/4 16-14-3
	Lower valuation to \$846,360	
11.	Keet Redden	Lot 10 West 1/2, Lot 11, Block 3
	Lower valuation to \$152,975	Morrill's S Addition, Stromsburg

12.	Ronald K. and Tammy M. Schroeder
10	Remove leasehold valuation
13.	Clark J. and Marcia D. Grant
	Remove leasehold valuation
14.	Kirk Selden
	Remove leasehold valuation
15.	Michael & Brenda Huey
	Remove leasehold valuation
16.	Pat A. and Susan D. Tindall
	Lower valuation to \$306,530
17.	Roland Johnson
	No change as recommended by Assessor
18.	Roland Johnson
	Lowered valuation to \$68,875
19.	Roland Johnson
	No change as recommended by Assessor
20.	Shiloh Rentals & Invest, LLC
	No change as recommended by Assessor
21.	Arborville Land & Cattle, LLC
	Lower valuation to \$761,325
22.	Sylvia J. Dunlap
	Remove leasehold valuation
23.	Keith & Vikki Mihulka
	Remove leasehold valuation
24.	Kathryn & Justin Macken
	Remove leasehold valuation
25.	John Woodward
	Remove leasehold valuation
26.	Christopher Wegner
	Remove leasehold valuation
27.	Steven J. and Corinne R. Fischer
	Remove leasehold valuation
28.	David P. Crane
	Remove leasehold valuation
29.	Mary Ann Wilcox
	Remove leasehold valuation
30.	Ronald R. Erks
	No change as recommended by Assessor
31.	Karen Schmidt, Trustee
	Remove leasehold valuation
32.	Debbie Niles-Maurer
	Remove leasehold valuation
33.	Kay Hassler

Lot 4, Blk. B, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1
Lot 44, Ernst Lake in W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1
Lot 22, Ernst Lake in W 1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1
Lot 7, Blk. C, Duncan Lakes, NE1/4 13-16-2
Tax Lot C in S1/2 NE1/4 17-14-2
Lot 14 Deer Lake Dev. NE1/4 SE1/4 19-16-1
Lot 10 Deer Lake Dev. NE 1/4 SE /4 19-16-1
Lot 5 Deer Lake Dev. NE 1/4 SE 1/4 19-16-1
N 80' of Lot 7, Blk. 3, Morrill's Addition, Stromsburg Lot 3 & Accretion in SW1/4 18-15-3
Lot 11, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE1/4 13-16-2 Lots 9 & 10, Block B, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Lot 40, Blk A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 42 Ernst Lake in W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1
Lot 27, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 46, Blk A., Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 35, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 27, Blk. A., Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 3, Clear Creek East in E 1/2 SE 1/4 20-16-1 Lot 44, Block A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 41, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2
Lots 48 & 49, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes

	Remove leasehold valuation
34.	Murray D. and Ann K. Ostberg
	Lower valuation to \$289,710
35.	David A. & Sharon A. Polzin
	Remove leasehold valuation
36.	Marla J. Prososki
	No change as recommended by Assessor
37.	Daniel L. Gabel
	Remove leasehold valuation
38.	Daniel L. Gabel
	Lower valuation to \$816,750
39.	Patrick D. Gabel
	Lower valuation to \$15,235
40.	Patrick Gabel
	No change as recommended by Assessor
41.	Patrick D. & Christine A Gabel, Trustees
	Lower valuation to \$263,645
42.	Rick Pickinpaugh
	Remove leasehold valuation
43.	Dan & Bev Pensick
	Remove leasehold valuation
44.	Dan & Bev Pensick
	Remove leasehold valuation
45.	Dan & Bev Pensick
	Remove leasehold valuation
46.	Donald E. & Judith K. Machacek
	Remove leasehold valuation
47.	Sherman B. Conkel
	Remove leasehold valuation
48.	Douglas S. Michalak
	Remove leasehold valuation
49.	Eric Shemek
	Remove leasehold valuation
50.	Kurt Bogus
	Remove leasehold valuation
51.	Paula K. Timperley
	Remove leasehold valuation
52.	Paula K. Timperley
	Remove leasehold valuation
53.	Emil & Diane Turek
	Remove leasehold valuation
54.	M. Renee Brosnihan

in NE1/4 13-16-2 Tax Lot 1 in E1/2 SE1/4 28-14-4 Lot 22, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE1/4 13-16-2 Lots 3 & 4, Peterson's Addition, Osceola Lot 25 Gonka Lake, SW1/4 NW1/4 21-16-1 E1/2 NE1/4 27-14-1 Grain bins on SE 1/4 33-14-1 Grain bins on NE1/4 NW1/4 4-13-1 SE1/4 NW1/4 & 2.65 Ac. In NE1/4 NW1/4 4-13-1 Lot 38 Ernst Lake in W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1 Lot 14 Ernst Lake in W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1 Lot 18, Ernst Lake in W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1 Lot 15 Ernst Lake in W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1 Lot 9 Blk. I, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Lot 37 Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 1, Blk. H, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 10, Blk. I, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Lot 42, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 12, Blk. C, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 11, Blk. C, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 30, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes

in NE 1/4 13-16-2

Lot 29, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes

	Remove leasehold valuation
55.	Kent Urban
	Lower valuation to \$160,935
56.	Betty Kirby
50.	Lower valuation to \$93,730
57.	Terry G. Evans
57.	Remove leasehold valuation
58.	Robert L. and Lana S. Urban
20.	Remove leasehold valuation
59.	Matthew R. Brase
071	No change as recommended by Assessor
60.	Jerome Lind
	Lower valuation to \$14,245
61.	William J. & Sharlene A. Seipel
	Remove leasehold valuation
62.	Michael A. Schleis
	Lower valuation to \$180,200
63.	Joseph I. Rystrom
	No change as recommended by Assessor
64.	Larry K. & Diane C. Rogers
	Remove leasehold valuation
65.	Dennis & Pam Micek
	Remove leasehold valuation
66.	Dennis & Pam Micek
	Remove leasehold valuation
67.	Doyle & Darla Reinwald
	Remove leasehold valuation
68.	Donald Pickrel
	Remove leasehold valuation
69.	Thomas Woracek
	Remove leasehold valuation
70.	Michael McMeekin
	Lower valuation to \$11,270
71.	Mary Kay Dixon
	Remove leasehold valuation
72.	Mary Kay Dixon
	Remove leasehold valuation
73.	Lee Kohrs
	Remove leasehold valuation
74.	Lee Kohrs
	Remove leasehold valuation
75	Kaith A Cottachall
75.	Keith A. Gottschall

in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Tax Lot K in E1/2 NW1/4 NE1/4 16-14-2 Tax Lot A in NW1/4 NE1/4 25-15-4

Lot 24 & 25, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 8 & W1/2 Lot 9, Blk. C, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 E1/2 NE1/4 27-15-1

Lot 4, Blk. 3 Hastert's Addition, Shelby Lot 59, Blk A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 75'x140' in SE1/4 SE1/4 Suburbs of Shelby 9-14-1 East 60' of N1/2 Lot 1, Blk. 5 Morrill's Addition, Stromsburg Lot 1, Blk. D, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 26 Ernst Lake, W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1

Lot 25 Ernst Lake W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1

Lot 35 Ernst Lake W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1

Lot 30 Gonka Lake, SW1/4 NW1/4 21-16-1 Lot 60 Ernst Lake, W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1

Part of Tax Lot B in SW1/4 NE1/4 16-14-2 Lot 14, Blk. D, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 13, Blk. D, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 67, Ernst Lake W1/2 SW1/2 21-16-1

Lot 68, Ernst Lake W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1

Lot 55 & E1/2 Lot 56, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes

	Remove leasehold valuation
76.	Dean Cerny
	Remove leasehold valuation
77.	Brian Oppliger
	Remove leasehold valuation
78.	Nicholas P. & Kendra K. Augustine
	Remove leasehold valuation
79.	John R. & Mariella G. Medura
	Remove leasehold valuation
80.	Alisha Fellows
	No change as recommended by Assessor
81.	James R. Grant
	Remove leasehold valuation
82.	James R. Grant & Traci L. Ryba-Grant
	Remove leasehold valuation
83.	Cheryl Morris
	No change as recommended by Assessor
84.	Jerome Lind
	Lower valuation to \$177,710
85.	Jennifer Schott
	Lower valuation to \$857,885
86.	Mike Haack
	Lower valuation to \$806,585
87.	Scott W. Nickolite
	Lower valuation to \$83,550
88.	CJ & Cortny Augustine
	Lower valuation to \$519,875
89.	Larry R. Tworek
	Remove leasehold valuation
90.	Larry R. Tworek
	No change as recommended by Assessor
91.	Rick Johnson & Rachel Janssen
	No change as recommended by Assessor
92.	Alex Fehringer
	Remove leasehold valuation
93.	Brian & Michele Fehringer
	Remove leasehold valuation
94.	Daniel A. & Cheryl A. Luedtke
	Remove leasehold valuation
95.	Tim & Tina Schilz
	Remove leasehold valuation
96.	Darrel R. & Carol J. Norman
	Remove leasehold valuation

in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 12, Blk. I, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Lot 11, Blk. I, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Lot 8, Blk. B, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Lot 8, Blk. 1, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Tax Lot A in 24-13-4 Lot 63 Ernst Lake in W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1 Lot 64 Ernst Lake in W1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1 Trailer Court, Blk. 2 Morningside Addition, Osceola Lot 2 & 3, Blk. 3 Hastert's Addition, Shelby N1/2 NW1/4 & Accretion & SE1/2 NW1/4 17-15-3 S1/2 NW1/4 & SW1/4 35-15-3 Tract (134.62'x266.55') in SW1/4 SE1/4 20-16-1 S1/2 SW1/4 less Tax Lot A 14-15-1 Lot 4 Gonka Lake SW 1/4 NW 1/4 21-16-1 Tax Lot F in NE1/4 16-14-1 Custer's Addition, Shelby Lot 10 & E1/2 Lot 9, Blk. C, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 3 Gonka Lake SW 1/4 NW 1/4 21-16-1 Lots 16 & 17, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 20, Blk. D, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 28, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 58, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes

in NE 1/4 13-16-2

97.	Kenneth A. Lee
	Remove leasehold valuation
98.	Mark & Patricia Crogham
	Remove leasehold valuation
99.	Marty B. Lopez
	Remove leasehold valuation
100.	Gary Huismann
	Remove leasehold valuation
101.	David J. Gembica
	Lower valuation to \$50,270
102.	Robert Kretz
	Remove leasehold valuation
103.	Shawn LeClair
	Remove leasehold valuation
104.	James P. Gustafson
	Remove leasehold valuation
105.	James P. Gustafson
	Remove leasehold valuation
106.	Brett Yochum
	Lower valuation to \$1,958,145
107.	Jeremy Everson
	Lower valuation to \$35,480
108.	Jeremy Everson
	Lower valuation to \$39,060
109.	Jeremy Everson
	Lower valuation to \$24,270
110.	Jeremy Everson
	Lower valuation to \$58,260
111.	Jeremy Everson
	No change as recommended by Assessor
112.	Jeremy Everson
	No change as recommended by Assessor
113.	Wayne A. Nestor
	Lower valuation to \$93,695
114.	Robert Leavitt
	Remove leasehold valuation
115.	Roger & Brenda Fujan
	Remove leasehold valuation
116.	Marv & Dianne Hilger
	Remove leasehold valuation
117.	Jacob Nachtman
	Lower valuation to \$113,960

Lots 16 & 17, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 4, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 9, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 7, Blk. I, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Mobile Home & Garage located on NE 1/4 NW 1/4 10-15-3 Lot 28, Ernst Lake, W 1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1

Lot 31, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lots 6 & 29, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 5, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 N1/2 SE1/4 (15 Acre Tract) 16-13-1

Lots 1 & 2, Blk. 19 Original Town, Polk Lot 13, Blk. 19 Original Town, Polk Lot 3 & N1/2 Lot 4, Blk 9 Original Town, Polk 160' x 117' in NW1/4 28-13-4

W1/2 of Lots 5 & 6, Blk. 5 Original Town, Polk Lot 4, Blk. 4 Stunkel's Addition, Polk N 52' of Lots 1-3, Blk. 3 Wilson's Addition, Polk Lot 45, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 21, Ernst Lake, W 1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1

Lot 27, Ernst Lake, W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1

135' x 110', SW corner of Lot A Morningside Addition, Osceola

118.	Larry LeSuer
	No change as recommended by Assessor
119.	Debra R. Doerr & Douglas E. Charko
	Remove leasehold valuation
120.	Bryant Alt
	Lower valuation to \$431,045
121.	Kathryn L. Schmidt
	Remove leasehold valuation
122.	Michael L. Willman
	Remove leasehold valuation
123.	Dennis Kruse
	Remove leasehold valuation
124.	Mark Blessen
	Remove leasehold valuation & lower
	building value
125.	Wendell Lindsley
	Lower valuation to \$72,550
126.	James Krumbach
	Lower valuation to \$451,175
127.	Conrad & Susan Dush
	Remove leasehold valuation
128.	Timothy J. Hartshorn
	Remove leasehold valuation
129.	Paul J. & Dawn R. Hegert
	Remove leasehold valuation
130.	Kevin Barton
	Remove leasehold valuation
131.	Tom Settje
	Remove leasehold valuation
132.	Jody Harris
	Remove leasehold valuation
133.	Thomas J. & Mary E. Harris
	Remove leasehold valuation
134.	Richard L. Blessen
	Remove leasehold valuation
135.	Richard L. Blessen
	Remove leasehold valuation
136.	Lee Peterson
	Lower valuation to \$727,345
137.	Daniel I. Woulfe
	Remove leasehold valuation
138.	Daniel I. Woulfe
	Remove leasehold valuation

Tract in S1/2 SW1/4 21-14-2 Lot 8, Blk. D, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Tax Lot B in SE1/4 35-14-1 Lot 4, Blk I, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Lot 3, Blk. G, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 3, Blk. I, Duncan Lakes in NW 1/4 18-16-1 Lot 14, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Tax Lot C in SE1/4 SW1/4 21-14-2 N1/2 SE1/4 (less 15 acre tract), N 225' in SE1/4 SE1/4 16-13-1 Lots 5 & 6, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 14, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 15, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 50, Ernst Lake, W 1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1 Lot 37, Ernst Lake, W 1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1 Lots 3 & 4, Blk. D, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 53, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 13, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 12, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Tract 359.5' x 592.43' in SE1/4 26-13-3 Lot 34, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2 Lot 35, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes in NE 1/4 13-16-2

139.	Andrew J. Aldrich	Lot 51, Ernst Lake, W1/2 SW1/4 21-16-1
	Remove leasehold valuation	
140.	Shelli Berck	Tax Lot B in E1/2 of SW1/4 31-14-1
	Lower valuation to \$823,650	
141.	Ben Duffy	Lots 18 & 19, Blk. E, Duncan Lakes
	Remove leasehold valuation	in NE 1/4 13-16-2
142.	Gerald & Monica Osmera	Lot 58, Ernst Lake, W 1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1
	Remove leasehold valuation	
143.	Gerald & Monica Osmera	Lot 57, Ernst Lake, W 1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1
	Remove leasehold valuation	
144.	Mary J. Williamson	N1/2 NE1/4 (less tract) & NE1/4 NW1/4
	Lower valuation to \$430,270	13-16-1
145.	Michelle Stewart	Lot 23, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes
	Remove leasehold valuation	in NE 1/4 13-16-2
146.	Susan Antulov-Sharp	Lot 3, Ernst Lake, W 1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1
	Remove leasehold valuation	
147.	Keith E. & Janelle R. Kline	Lot 5, Blk. C, Duncan Lakes
	Remove leasehold valuation	in NE 1/4 13-16-2
148.	Craig A. Potthast	Lot 1, Blk. F, Duncan Lakes
	Remove leasehold valuation & lower	in NE 1/4 13-16-2
	building value	
149.	Scott Augustin	NW1/4 7-15-1
	No change as recommended by Assessor	
150.	Scott & Aimee Hollon	Lot 25, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes
	Remove leasehold valuation	in NE 1/4 13-16-2
151.	Marti L. English	Lot 24, Blk. A, Duncan Lakes
	Remove leasehold valuation	in NE 1/4 13-16-2
152.	Dale D. & Deborah D. Murcek	Lot 6, Ernst Lake, W 1/2 SW 1/4 21-16-1
	Remove leasehold valuation	

Assessor Krance presented her three year Plan of Assessment to the Board as required by statute.

Assessor Krance presented Tax List Correction # 991 for approval. The correction adjusted the real estate taxes for a parcel that was appealed to TERC in 2023 and a confession of judgement was received which lowered the valuation of the property. A motion was made by Boss to approve the tax list correction as presented. The motion was seconded by Westring and the roll call vote was Boss, aye; Westring, aye; Boruch, aye.

Assessor Krance presented a list of properties that were determined to be overvalued, undervalued or omitted for assessment year 2024 after the county's abstract was submitted to the Property Tax Administrator. A motion was made by Westring to approve the updated values for all of the properties listed on the report as presented by Assessor Krance. The motion was

seconded by Boss and the roll call vote was Westring, aye; Boss, aye; Boruch, aye. Valuation change notices will be sent to those affected property owners.

At 1:05 p.m. a motion was made by Boruch to open the hearing on the permissive exemption application received from Swede Plain Methodist Church. The motion was seconded by Westring and the roll call vote was Boruch, aye; Westring, aye; Boss, aye. No representative from Swede Plain Methodist Church appeared to discuss their application for tax exemption on the tract in the SE ¼ SE ¼ 3-13-4. At 1:15 p.m. a motion was made by Boruch to close the hearing. The motion was seconded by Westring and the roll call vote was Westring, aye; Boruch, aye; Boss, aye. The recommendation of Assessor Krance to deny the application was reviewed. A motion was made by Boss to agree with the Assessor's recommendation and deny the application for exemption because the parcel is not being used for a religious purpose. The motion was seconded by Boruch and the roll call vote was Boss, aye; Boruch, aye; Westring, aye.

There being no further business, the Board of Equalization adjourned at 3:50 p.m.

Approved:	/S/ Debra S. Girard	/S/ Jerry Westring
	County Clerk	Chairman