

Osceola, Nebraska
April 21, 2026

Pursuant to notice published in the April 16th, 2026 issue of the Polk County News, the Board of County Commissioners convened at 9:30 a.m. with all members present. Minutes of the previous meeting 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.

Claims were audited and a motion was made by Westring that claims be allowed and warrants drawn against the various funds in the amounts listed below. The motion was seconded by Boruch and the roll call vote was Westring, aye; Boruch, aye; Boss, aye.

GENERAL FUND

General	Salaries	\$90,822.98
Annie Jeffrey Memorial Co. Health	Service	\$1,795.33
Bellari Maid Cleaning Services LLC	Service	\$340.00
Black Hills Energy	Service	\$1,007.22
Burg Auto Repair Inc	Service	\$579.00
Capital City Transfer	Service	\$357.30
Jack Carter	Mileage	\$9.80
Central Valley Ag	Service	\$1,434.49
CJT Electric	Service	\$75.00
Colonial Life & Accident	Insurance	\$170.91
Jennifer Conkel	Reimbursement	\$958.66
Culligan of York	Service	\$20.00
DAS State Acctg-Central Finance	Service	\$209.00
Shauna Drozd	Mileage	\$259.55
Eakes Office Solutions	Supplies	\$1,480.23
Economy Hometown Market	Supplies	\$220.05
Election Systems & Software	Supplies	\$2,636.22
Cheryl Erickson	Mileage	\$186.32
First Concord Benefits Group	Fees	\$26.25
Frontier Cooperative Co.	Service	\$9.55
Morgan Grashorn	Reimbursement/Milage	\$93.61
Hall County Sheriff	Service	\$27.52
Hastings Radiology	Service	\$55.00
Hometown Leasing	Service	\$53.88
Eric C Klutman	Service	\$198.75
MARC	Supplies	\$119.00
Masonic Lodge No. 65	Rent	\$250.00
Nebraska Health & Human Services	Service	\$93.00
Olson's Pest Technicians	Service	\$205.00
Osceola Implement & Supply	Supplies	\$12.70
Ostmeyer Lawn Service	Service	\$400.00
Pinnacle Bank Visa	Supplies	\$7.16
Pinnacle Bank Visa	Supplies	\$119.81
Pinnacle Bank Visa	Service	\$51.17
Pinnacle Bank Visa	Service	\$184.49
Pinnacle Bank Visa	Lodging	\$362.52
Pinnacle Bank N.A.	Supplies	\$86.99
POP Printing	Supplies	\$235.80
Polk County Clerk Retirement Account	Retirement Deposit	\$6,310.95
Polk County Clerk Social Security Account	Social Security Deposit	\$6,864.74
Polk County Extension	Reimbursement	\$374.13
Polk County Extension Tax Account	Reimbursement	\$209.77
Russell Cleland	Service	\$298.69
Jaci Swantek	Mileage	\$106.57

Thomson Reuters - West	Service	\$1,837.05
Ken Toline	Mileage	\$194.26
Vyve Broadband	Service	\$982.56
Jerry Westring	Service	\$30.00
Uniti	Service	\$16.83

ROAD FUND

Road	Salaries	\$35,582.00
Bill's Tire Outlet Inc	Service	\$20.00
Colonial Life & Accident	Insurance	\$77.28
Curtis Ericson	Reimbursement	\$22.58
H2 Equipment LLC	Service	\$204.87
John Deere Financial	Service	\$116.88
NMC, Inc.	Service	\$21,064.98
Pinnacle Bank Visa	Service	\$411.57
Polk County Clerk Retirement Account	Retirement Deposit	\$2,249.93
Polk County Clerk Social Security Deposit	Social Security Deposit	\$2,698.05
Polk Light & Water	Service	\$104.96
Riverside Portables LLC	Service	\$120.00
Dan Theis	Reimbursement	\$128.13
Verizon Wireless	Service	\$66.07
Uniti	Service	\$258.35

SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER FUND

Midwest Covenant Home	Service	\$16,809.07
Vyve Broadband	Service	\$363.66

INHERITANCE TAX FUND

Cardinal Assessment Group LLC	Service	\$14,960.00
DAS State Acctg-Central Finance	Service	\$275.00

WEED FUND

James Carlson	Reimbursement	\$80.00
Constellation Newenergy Gas Division	Service	\$32.38
Pinnacle Bank Visa	Service/Fees	\$161.59

The agreement with BraveBe Child Advocacy Center was reviewed. A motion was made by Boruch authorizing the Sheriff and the County Attorney to sign the Service Agreement for fiscal year 2026-2027 as presented. The motion was seconded by Westring and the roll call vote was Boruch, aye; Westring, aye; Boss, aye.

Matt Childress with Applied Connective met with the Board to discuss their proposal to connect the county's firewall to Vyve's optical network terminal and to replace 7 access points. Applied Connective has reviewed the Vyve Broadband business service order for upgrading their current access points and firewall which is on the agenda and has reached out to Vyve for clarification. Applied has recommended tabling action on both the Vyve business service order and the Applied Connective quote until a reply from Vyve has been received. Action was tabled until the next meeting of the Board.

Chris Hays met with the Board to review the survey he did of the Wesley Chapel Cemetery at the request of Commissioner Boruch. According to his survey, the property line, based on the recorded deeds, extends further west than the west fence of the cemetery and several graves are located south of the deeded southern boundary of the cemetery. County Attorney Johnson will be consulted to determine a possible remedy to the situation since the cemetery has been declared to be an abandoned cemetery which the County maintains.

