

April 23, 2024

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, April 23rd 2024 as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Tuerk and Frederick, Clerk Wentworth, L. Smith and E. Bomar present. Nilson made reference to the open meetings act posted for the public. After review Frederick moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Nilson seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—yes and Frederick—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

J. Cook was present when E. Bomar met with the commissioners to discuss the grader that the county purchased from Nebraska Machinery. Bomar assured the commissioners that they will bring a rental machine at no cost to the county when they come to get the county's new machine for warranty issues. Bomar guaranteed NMC will make it right at no additional cost to the county.

Cook and the commissioners discussed a couple of projects.

B. Speck, with the BKR Extension office met with the commissioners to present the 2024-2025 budget. After discussion, Frederick moved to approve the BKR Extension budget presented by Speck with the Keya Paha County percentage increase of \$535.00, Nilson seconded. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Frederick—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Discussion was held on the wooden fence along the parking lot, it was decided to remove the fence and replace it with cement curb stops.

T. Wyrick met with the commissioners to discuss progress on projects with the 2019 flood and more information request from NEMA.
The Commissioners went to lunch.

CLAIMS
GENERAL FUND

Payroll & Ins Reimb		\$16,104.68
Chase Lawn Service	power rake	\$845.00
Cook Tax Service	quarterly	\$65.00
Election Systems & Software	data processing	\$63.44
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$942.98
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$1,193.37
Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$708.33
Office Products Center	supplies	\$169.25
Olson's Pest Technicians	courthouse pest control	\$75.00
Painter Electric	bulbs	\$35.08
Heidi Snyder	ins reimb	\$500.00

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$11,843.86
Bomgaars	supplies	\$39.48
Hometown Automotive	supplies	\$181.80
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$698.21
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$889.01
Newco Truck Parts	supplies	\$699.90
Productivity Plus Acct	repairs	\$42.86

WEED FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$833.33
Kearney Trailers LLC	UTV trailer	\$3,850.00
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$56.25
Keya Paha Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$61.05

Keya Paha Co Treasurer

spraying equip title

\$10.00

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

At 2:45 the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regular commissioners meeting to be held on Wednesday, May 15th 2024 at 10:00 a.m., the meeting is going to be held on Wednesday rather than Tuesday to avoid the primary election day for the clerks office. 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

*****These minutes are not yet approved and may be corrected*****