

September 10, 2024

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024, as advertised. Chairman Nilson called the meeting to order at 10:05am and noted the open meetings act posted for the public. Commissioners Tuerk and Frederick, Commissioner elect Tiefenthaler, Deputy Sheriff Linse and Clerk Wentworth were present.

After review, Nilson moved, Frederick seconded to approve the minutes as presented. Voting: Nilson—yes, Tuerk—abstain and Frederick—yes. Motion carried, Frederick moved, Nilson seconded to approve the Clerk, Treasurer and District Court Clerks monthly reports. Voting: Tuerk—yes, Frederick—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The County received an estimate from the company that inspected the courthouse for the bat infestation. The estimate was \$17,000 to remove the bats, seal all the entry points, disinfect and clean the building with a ten-year guarantee. The commissioners decided to wait and see if the bats continue to be a problem.

Tuerk had been unable to contact a company to estimate the repair where the floor is sagging, there will be an attempt to contact another company.

Deputy Emergency Manager Wyrick met with the commissioners to update them on the latest delay for the 2019 disaster. A new NEMA contact requested more information on the large roads project, Wyrick mentioned to the new contact that the county had signed off on an agreed amount for that project one year ago and was under the impression that the county was just waiting for the funds. Wyrick was told that NEMA contact would look into it, and he hasn't heard back yet.

With the fire on September 5<sup>th</sup>, and the use of the SEAT plane Wyrick needed an emergency declaration signed by the chairman. Frederick moved, Tuerk seconded to have the chairman sign the Keya Paha County Emergency Declaration. Voting: Frederick—yes, Nilson—yes and Tuerk—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

The Commissioners and Tiefenthaler went to lunch.

CLAIMS  
GENERAL FUND

	Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$16,377.68
24090003	Appeara	service	\$143.86
24090004	Applied Connective Tech	service	\$1,464.70
24090005	BC&BS	ins prem	\$17,282.34
24090006	Fairfield Inn	meeting expense	\$107.00
24090007	Hespe Auto Center	services	\$677.33
24090008	KBR Power	util	\$504.33
24090009	Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$942.98
24090010	Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$1,209.54
24090012	MC's Tee's & More	uniform exp	\$32.00
24090013	Medical Air Services Assoc	premiums	\$237.50
24090014	Microfilm Imaging Systems Inc	scanner rental	\$88.00
24090015	MIPS, Inc	data processing	\$1,342.51
24080016	Barbara Nilson	dispatch	\$708.33
24090017	North Central District Health Dept.	program	\$160.00
24090018	Office Products Center	supplies	\$222.22
24090019	Olson's Pest Techs	service	\$320.00
24090020	Powertech	generator repairs	\$1,600.06
24090021	Region IV Behavioral Health System	qrtly	\$1,029.50

24090022	Eric Scott	clerical/phone	\$850.00
24090023	Springview Herald	publishing	\$333.61
24090024	Three River Telco	util	\$583.71
24090026	Viaero Wireless	sheriff cells	\$173.04
24090027	Village of Springview	util	\$798.92
24090057	Keya Paha Clerk	postage	\$450.00

ROAD FUND

	Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$11,373.70
24090030	AKRS	repairs	\$239.34
24090031	Appeara	service	\$104.28
24090032	Atteberry Construction	road material	\$35,441.00
24090033	BC&BS	ins prem	\$8,742.69
24090034	Buckles	supplies	\$41.96
24090035	CVA	fuel	\$6,237.35
24090036	Frontier Diesel Inc	repairs	\$262.50
24090037	Hespe Auto Center	rep/tire rep	\$1,211.61
24090038	KBR Power	util	\$120.14
24090039	Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$666.48
24090040	Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$855.89
24090042	Outback Machine	repairs	\$457.04
24090042	Platte Valley Comm	repairs	\$1,103.46
24090044	Kenneth Sharp	road material	\$930.00
24090045	Three River Telco	util	\$125.36
24090046	Turbine Mart	fuel	\$418.73
24090047	Viaero Wireless	cell	\$43.84
24090048	Village of Springview	util	\$33.20

WEED FUND

	Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$833.33
24090051	BC&BS	ins prem	\$1,451.70
24090052	Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$56.25
24090053	Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$61.05
24090055	Three River Telco	util	\$57.41
24090056	Turbine Mart	fuel	\$76.09

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

Discussion was held on a road project that Atteberry Construction will be assisting with.

At 3:40 the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday September 24<sup>th</sup>,2024, 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 [www.keyapahacountyne.gov](http://www.keyapahacountyne.gov).

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

Corey Nilson, Chairman