

December 9, 2025

The Keya Paha County Commissioners met Tuesday, December 9th 2025 as advertised. Chairman Frederick called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Nilson and Tiefenthaler and Clerk Wentworth present. Frederick let the pledge of allegiance and noted the open meetings act for the public.

After review, Nilson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented, Frederick seconded.

Voting: Nilson—yes, Frederick—yes and Tiefenthaler—yes.

Tiefenthaler moved to accept the Clerk, Treasurer and District Court monthly reports, Frederick seconded. Voting: Frederick—yes, Tiefenthaler—yes and Nilson—yes, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

B. Speiker, BKR Extension office met with the board to get approval of the new Keya Paha County board member. Frederick moved to accept Ellen Trahan to fill the Keya Paha County open position on the BKR Extension board, Nilson seconded the motion. Voting: Tiefenthaler—yes, Nilson—yes and Frederick—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Zoning Admin Kienke met with the commissioners the cell tower hearing is now scheduled for January 27th at 10:30.

J. Cook, Road foreman and Elizabeth Yost stopped in for Yost to get acquainted with the board members.

T. Wyrick stopped to give the commissioners a quick update.

After review, Nilson moved to adopt Resolution 25-12, Signing of the Year-End Certification of County Highway Superintendent 2025, Tiefenthaler seconded. Voting: Nilson—yes, Frederick—yes and Tiefenthaler—yes. All voted in favor, motion carried. Tiefenthaler moved, Nilson seconded to authorize the chairman to sign the Year-End Certification of County Highway Superintendent, Nilson seconded. Voting: Frederick—yes, Tiefenthaler—yes and Nilson—yes. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

The Commissioners went to lunch.

J. Cook met with the commissioners to discuss the road department happenings.

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	14,846.39
BC&BS	prem	\$	10,394.88
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	fee	\$	411.87
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	953.17
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	1,089.41
MC Tees & More	uniform cost	\$	17.00
MIPS Inc	jph postcards exp	\$	1,561.16
NE Dept of Labor	fee	\$	174.46
Office Products Center	supplies	\$	67.60
Powertech	generator service	\$	1,797.19
Jim Ripley	foundation donation	\$	250.00
Springview Implement	supplies	\$	73.76

ROAD FUND

Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	13,913.76
B's Enterprises Inc	signs	\$	1,187.86
Bomgaars	tool	\$	289.99
Dennis Cullison	CDL reimb	\$	60.00
J & J Sanitation	util	\$	135.73
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	771.07

Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	973.01
Springview Implement	supplies	\$	118.10
WEED FUND			
Salaries & Ins Reimb		\$	200.00
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share retirement	\$	13.50
Keya Paha Co Payroll W-H Acct	co-share fica	\$	12.61
Springview Implement	supplies	\$	14.00

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

Chairman Frederick declared the meeting adjourned until the next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Tuesday, January 13th at 10: am at the courthouse meeting room. A current agenda is on file in the clerks office and available online at <https://keyapahacountyne.gov>.

Suzy Wentworth, Clerk

John Frederick, Chairman

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