BUFFALO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR MEETING – July 7, 2026

Chairperson Dawn Cable called the meeting to order at 1:00pm with Commissioner Rex Zastrow and Commissioner Donita Loudner present.

Also present were Dave Larson, Buffalo County States Attorney; Debi Kourt, Central Dakota Times; Debra Morrison, Buffalo County Finance Officer; Sheriff Wayne Willman, employees and citizens.

Recited Pledge of Allegiance.

Zastrow made a motion to accept the agenda; seconded by Loudner. Motion Carried.

Zastrow made a motion to approve June 2026, minutes; seconded by Loudner. Motion carried.

State 911 Coordinator Jason Husby addressed the commissioners. Zastrow made a motion to approve moving forward regarding the technological side of implementing Buffalo County 911 through Winner; seconded by Loudner. Motion carried.

Hand/Buffalo County Emergency Manager Arlen Gortmaker and Highway Superintendent Wes Wulff discussed with the commissioners a Disaster Declaration for Buffalo County. Zastrow made a motion to approve Resolution 2026-06 Disaster Declaration; seconded by Loudner. Motion carried.

States Attorney Dave Larson discussed a resolution certifying reimbursement to Yankton County for mental illness hearings involving Buffalo County residence found within Yankton County. After reviewing the resolution Loudner made a motion to approve Resolution 2026-06-1; seconded by Zastrow. Motion carried.

Public Input.

July fuel quotes/bids from Total Oil, Inc. for Unleaded Gas $3.82 per gallon, Ethanol Gas $3.25per gallon, Diesel #1 Dyed Premium $ (n/a), and Diesel #2 Dyed Premium $3.45 per gallon. Motion to accept by Loudner, seconded by Zastrow. Motion carried.

Highway Superintendent Wes Wulff gave his Highway Report.

Finance Officer Debra Morrison gave her report. There were 1 hospitalization. Treasurer/Auditor report as of May 2026: Bank Balance: $1,008,594.64; C.D.: $1,002,675.00; Cash & Cash Items: $400.00; total: $2,011,669.64.

Zastrow made a motion to approve vouchers; seconded by Loudner. Motion carried.
COMMISSIONERS – PAYROLL – $2,893.59
AUDITOR – PAYROLL - $3,785.23
TREASURER – PAYROLL - $4,724.51
STATES ATTORNEY – PAYROLL – $3,712.55
WEED/PEST SUPERVISOR – PAYROLL - $270.38
DIRECTOR OF EQUALIZATION – PAYROLL - $2,906.88

SHERIFF – PAYROLL - $5,706.55
HWY SUPERINTENDENT – PAYROLL - $4,892.50
HWY WORKERS – PAYROLL - $9483.08
WEED SPRAYING – PAYROLL – $840.00
MILEAGE/CELLPHONE/REIMBURSEMENTS – PAYROLL - $290.60
WELLMARK BCBS – PAYROLL - $7,439.02
DIVISION OF CHILD SUPPORT – PAYROLL - $390.00
AFLAC – PAYROLL - $185.89
SDRS – PAYROLL - $4,145.46
BEAM – PAYROLL - $177.38
COLONIAL LIFE – PAYROLL - $278.61
MASA – PAYROLL - $140.00
DELTA DENTAL – PAYROLL - $718.40
QUOIN FINANCIAL BANK – PAYROLL - $7,821.13
BUFFALO COUNTY FIRE – MONTHLY APPORTIONMENT - $355.70
CHAMBERLAIN SCHOOL DISTRICT – MONTLY APPORTIONMENT - $6,033.20
ELVIRA TOWNSHIP – MONTHLY APPORTIONMENT - $851.92
KIMBALL AMBULANCE DISTRICT – MONTLY APPORTIONMENT - $133.80
SOUTH CENTRAL WATER DEVEL DIST – MONTHLY APPORTMENT - $223.69
SDDOR – MONTHLY APPORTIONMENT - $22,181.81
SDACO – MONTHLY APPORTIONMENT - $12.00
WESSINGTON SPRINGS SCHOOL DIST – MONTHLY APPORTIONMENT $27,478.65
CENTERAL ELECTRIC – UTILITIES - $245.17
C&B – HWY - $723.25
TWIN VALLEY TIRE – HWY - $559.58
KALEB'S SERVICE & REPAIR– HWY - $425.19
A&R TRUCKING – HWY - $546.96
TOTAL OIL – HWY - $5,030.86
CENTERAL DAKOTA TIMES – COMMISSIONERS MINUTES - $61.17
TWOTREES TECHNOLOGY – VARIOUS MANAGES SERVICES - $1225.84
QUOIN BANK – HWY - $435.27
JANICE VONEYE – TREAS EXPENSES – $532.50
RURAL WATER – UTILITIES - $15.75
LYLE SIGNS – HWY - $232.29
BRULE COUNTY – SHERIFF EXPENSES - $5331.50
MICROFILM IMAGING SYSTEM – ROD EXPENSES - $23.52
CLERP – 2ND QUARTER ASSESSMENT - $473.00
BRULE COUNTY – 1 DAY PRISONER BOARD - $76.00
DEBRA MORRISON – ELECTION MILEAGE - $58.80
MIDSTATE COMMUNICATIONS – UTILITIES - $122.63
SD DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND REG – 1/4LY CONTRIBUTION - $113.41
L&M SANITATION – UTILITIES - $220.00
WAYNE WILLMAN – SHER MEETING/TRANSPORTATION MEALS - $82.95
MICHELLE SCHWEIDOP – SHER TRANSPORTATION - $175.00
NUTRIEN – WEED/PEST - $6,980.50

LINCOLN COUNTY AUDITOR – JUNE MENTAL ILLNESS - $1,654.22
AVERA WESKOTA MEMORIAL – HWY - $33.00
AVERA OCCUPATIONAL MEDICINE SF – HWY - $195.50

Next regular commissioners meeting will be on MONDAY, August 3, 2026 at 10:00AM.

Motion to adjourn made by Loudner; seconded by Zastrow. Motion carried.

Attested: /s/Debra Morrison, Auditor Approved: /s/ Dawn Cable, Chairman