

COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

The Jerauld County Board of Commissioners held a special meeting as County Board of Equalization on Tuesday, April 23rd, 2024 at 8:00 am with Chairman Shane Mentzer, Commissioner Charles Bergeleen, Commissioner Walter Hein, Commissioner Fred Krohmer, and Commissioner DeVonne Losing present.

Chairman Mentzer led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Moved by Bergeleen, seconded by Krohmer, all members voted aye. Motion carried to approve the agenda.

Moved by Hein, seconded by Bergeleen, all members voted aye. Motion carried to act as Jerauld County Board of Equalization.

Christina Karsky, Jerauld County Director of Equalization, was available. DOE Karsky asked the board if they wished to look at the Dale and Media Township books. No concerns by the board. No appeals were filed this year.

Moved by Losing, seconded by Krohmer, all members voted aye. Motion carried to declare the work of the Jerauld County Board of Equalization complete and to close the assessment books.

The board adjourned as County Board of Equalization and reconvened as the County Board of Commissioners at this time.

DOE Karsky presented the 2024 Transfers list to the board to review.

Moved by Bergeleen, seconded by Losing, all members voted aye. Motion carried to meet in executive session at 8:25 am per SDCL 1-25-2(1) to discuss personnel. Chairman Mentzer declared executive session over and to resume in regular session at 8:35 am.

Chairman Mentzer reported that the Agrilime load would cost approximately \$1,300 for the Jerauld County half. Chairman Mentzer will be reaching out to the Summer Rec Program to see how the bill will be handled between Woonsocket and Jerauld County.

Auditor Fagerhaug updated the board on funding through the GF&P program that had been recommended by District III. Due to the large amount of minimum funding for a project, the option is not viable at this time.

Discussion was held on the revised South Dakota Department of Health contract for Community Health Services. Moved by Bergeleen, seconded by Hein, all members voted aye. Motion carried to approve and sign the contract for Community Health Services for 2024.

The SD Weed & Pest agreement for grant funds was presented. The total funds were approved at \$6,100 for 2024 chemical and spray truck upgrade expenditures. Moved by Hein, seconded by Krohmer, all members voted aye. Motion carried to approve and sign the 2024 agreement with the SD Weed & Pest Control Commission.

Quotes were presented to the board for lawn care to the 4-H ballfield and courthouse lawn. The 4-H ballfield was for 3 applications from spring to fall at @ \$900.00. Moved by Bergeleen, seconded by Krohmer, all members voted aye. Motion carried to complete the lawn care at the 4-H

ballfield. The courthouse lawn was quoted for 3 applications as well @ \$1,143.00. Moved by Losing, seconded by Hein, all members voted aye. Motion carried to approve the lawn care at the courthouse.

The next regular meeting will be held Tuesday, May 7th, at 9:00 am.

Moved by Hein, seconded by Losing, all members voted aye. Motion carried to adjourn at 9:30 am.

Shane Mentzer, Chairman

Attest: Shannon Fagerhaug, Auditor

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