

The Barnes County Commission met in regular session on Tuesday, February 2, 2021 with Cindy Schwehr, Vicky Lovell, Pete Paulson, and Shawn Olauson present. Chairman Carlblom attended via phone. Vice-Chairman Schwehr called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m., the Pledge of Allegiance was recited, and the Agenda was reviewed.

#### **Highway Dept – Project Updates**

Kerry Johnson, Highway Superintendent, and Brian Tykwinski and Matt Lang, Kadmas, Lee & Jackson, provided updates on the Sheyenne River Erosion Control, Kathryn Hillslide, as well as other projects.

#### **Weed Board – Spray Truck**

Jamen Windish, Weed Officer, updated the Commission on the purchase of a new 2021 RAM 3500 truck, and provided the annual report of the grant work completed, as well as a palmer amaranth update.

#### **Arvid Winkler – Jail Questions**

Arvid Winkler, Barnes County resident, presented questions to the Commission regarding the jail decision process, the publication of County expenses, and whether the County or City is responsible for medical expenses of City inmates.

#### **Auditor – Minutes**

Vicky Lovell moved to approve the January 19, 2021 minutes; Shawn Olauson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

#### **Commission Discussion**

Commission discussion included Veterans Service, Library, Water Resources, and City-County Health District.

#### **Bills Approved For January 2021**

**General Fund:** Aflac \$2,837.29, Aflac Group Insurance \$48.45, Allard Trophy Co \$65.00, Americinn Of Bismarck \$69.00, Andrew S Marquart \$198.00, Appliance City Electronics \$210.24, Avera Medical Group Radiology \$361.00, Bakkegard & Schell \$270.35, Balco Uniform Co. Inc \$191.43, Barkus Law Firm P.C. \$342.00, Barnes County Wildlife Federation \$1,200.00, Bek Communications Cooperative \$120.83, Bitz Tire & Service, Inc. \$1,315.78, Cable Services \$92.20, Cardmember Service \$20,659.55, Carlblom, William \$35.08, Cash-Wa Distributing Co Of Fargo L \$2,785.43, Cass County Electric \$314.57, Central Business Systems \$859.11, Centurylink Az \$1,180.23, Chs Dakota Plains Ag \$126.58, Cintas Corporation \$263.04, City County Health District \$4,151.25, Cna Surety \$50.00, Coast To Coast Solutions \$693.33, Cole Papers Inc. \$470.36, Colonial Life Insurance \$226.55, Columbus Bank And Trust \$2,407.00, Counties Providing Technology \$1,976.53, Dacotah Bank \$671.05, Dacotah Paper Co. \$217.51, Dakota Central Telecommunications \$21.00, Delta Dental Of Minnesota \$2,572.14, Dickey Rural Telephone Coop. \$231.00, Document Output Center Llc \$10,106.13, Duffy, Tonya \$81.06, Galls Incorporated \$120.18, Good Source Solutions Inc \$194.00, Grotberg Electric, Inc. \$50.08, Handy Hardware & Rental \$158.63, High Plains Technology \$11,324.31, High Plains Water Treatment, Inc. \$20.00, Idemia Identity & Security Usa Llc \$6,521.00, Information Technology Department \$5,518.31, Inter-Community Telephone \$150.00, James-Valley Reg. Lodge #4 \$29.17, Johnson Controls \$527.27, Koepplin, Bobby \$64.40, Leaf \$213.33, Leever's Foods \$727.03, Litchville Bulletin \$146.66, Lunde's S & P \$300.00, Marco Inc - St Louis \$448.32, Mid-States Organized Crime Inform. \$100.00, Miller Motors Inc \$1,549.55, Montana-Dakota Utilities \$1,675.25, Morrison County Sheriff's Office \$50.00, Nd Association -Drug Court Profess \$50.00, Nd Association Of Counties \$12,495.00, Nd Attorney General \$1,290.00, Nd County Auditor's Assn \$125.00, Nd County Commissioners Associatio \$1,650.00, Nd Sheriffs & Deputies Assn \$500.00, Nd State Radio Communications \$360.00, Nd Winter Show \$210,000.00, Northern Safety Technology Inc \$426.62, Nucara Pharmacy \$102.54, O'reilly Auto Parts \$206.99, On Demand Graphics & Signs \$608.27, Otis Elevator Company \$34,694.74, P.O.S.T. Board \$70.00, Petro Serve Usa \$1,708.05, Pharmchem Inc \$1,582.15, Puklich Chevrolet Buick Gmc \$238.88, Record Keepers, Llc \$81.00, Richards, Brenda \$60.00, Rj's Plumbing & Heating \$107.02, Ross' Tree Service \$575.00, Sanford Health Occupation Medicine \$196.00, Schwehr, Cindy L \$50.00, Servicemaster Of Valley City \$1,630.00, Smith Lumber Company \$121.75, Stein's, Inc. \$1,372.57, Streicher's \$281.95, Superior Vision Services Inc \$725.10, Synchrony Bank\Amazon \$288.78, Thomson Reuters -West \$273.84, Titan Data Safe Llc \$5,099.45, Valley Auto Parts \$152.60, Valley City Public Works \$1,745.41, Valley City Times-Record \$672.48, Valley Officeworks \$227.87, Verizon Wireless \$1,908.13, Wagon Wheel Inn Ltd \$1,890.00, Wells Fargo Bank \$548.32, West Central Regional Juvenile Cen \$600.00, Total For Fund \$372,023.07, **City County Health:** Acb Snow Removal Llc \$335.00, Aflac \$1,137.22, Aflac Group Insurance \$85.85, Barnes Co Treasurer \$647.57, Berg, Janice \$40.00, Briggs Healthcare \$135.59, Bsn Sports, Llc DbA Us Games \$424.67, Cardmember Service \$2,150.83, Centurylink Az \$31.57, Chs Dakota Plains Ag \$75.70, City County Health District \$1,816.00, Cole Papers Inc. \$181.33, Columbus Bank And Trust \$1,036.66, Dash Medical Gloves, Inc. \$314.70, Delta Dental Of Minnesota \$845.83, Dex Media East Llc \$33.00, Edward Jones - (Kevin) \$100.00, Electro Watchman, Inc. \$5,497.77, Esch, Mike \$65.00, First Community Credit Union -Vc \$5,979.49, Glaxosmithkline Pharm \$5,383.35, Healthcare Environmental Services \$507.40, I3g Media \$1,950.00, Koepplin, Bobby \$33.35, Larson, Renee \$560.00, Leaf \$176.32, Leever's Foods \$14.19, Lydia Loberg \$28.53, Mckesson Medical-Surgical Mn Suppl \$396.76, Mclean, Delmere \$5,000.00, Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp \$3,264.67, Montana-Dakota Utilities \$427.11, Nd Department Of

Environmental Qua \$60.00, Ndpha \$600.00, Newman Outdoor Advertising - Jmst \$785.00, Ray Nelson Construction \$100.00, Sanford Health Occupation Medicine \$192.00, Schmidt, Linda \$3,080.00, Servicemaster Of Valley City \$2,340.00, Smith Lumber Company \$8.58, Stryker Corporation \$703.12, Summit Properties V, Llc \$1,200.00, Superior Vision Services Inc \$242.10, Thompson, Laurel \$1,770.00, Thrifty White Stores \$329.62, Tykwinski, Betty \$520.00, Valley City Public Works \$1,636.90, Valley City Times-Record \$579.00, Valley Lumber Company \$781.70, Valley Officeworks \$386.92, Verizon Wireless \$320.08, Wagar, Jonathan \$700.00, Total For Fund \$55,010.48, **Veterans Service Office:** Centurylink Az \$4.09, Delta Dental Of Minnesota \$127.31, Miller Motors Inc \$95.40, Ndactvso \$50.00, Petro Serve Usa \$290.56, Superior Vision Services Inc \$26.92, Verizon Wireless \$112.96, Total For Fund \$707.24, **County Road And Bridge:** A P Equipment Inc \$58.69, Aflac \$788.88, Aflac Group Insurance \$78.85, Barnes Co Treasurer \$63.49, Bayshore City Side \$9.07, Bitz Tire & Service, Inc. \$86.00, Butler Machinery Co. \$56.79, Cardmember Service \$8.91, Centurylink Az \$71.51, Chs Dakota Plains Ag \$969.68, Colonial Life Insurance \$94.34, Columbus Bank And Trust \$733.00, Delta Dental Of Minnesota \$359.98, Dickey Rural Telephone Coop. \$87.75, First International Insurance \$828.00, Handy Hardware & Rental \$54.48, Inland Truck Parts & Service \$210.59, Law Office Of Daniel H Oster \$566.90, Leever's Foods \$79.60, Montana-Dakota Utilities \$349.62, Nd Association Of County Engineers \$375.00, Newman Outdoor Advertising - Jmst \$845.55, Northwest Tire Inc. \$1,757.22, O'reilly Auto Parts \$163.98, Ottertail Power Company - Jamestown \$138.07, Quick Lane \$1,210.08, R & H Maintenance & Lawn Care \$640.00, Risser, Richard \$100.00, S&S Auto Electric \$45.88, Sanford Health Occupation Medicine \$144.00, Schaefer Vermeer Equipment Llp \$819.07, State Disbursement Unit - North Da \$1,125.80, Stoudt-Ross Ford, Inc. \$6.46, Superior Vision Services Inc \$46.00, Valley Auto Parts \$959.41, Valley City Public Works \$725.33, Valley City Times-Record \$112.00, Verizon Wireless \$96.67, Vining Oil & Gas Llc \$1,099.05, Total For Fund \$15,965.70, **Weed Control:** Aflac \$149.93, Barnes Co Highway Dept \$30.96, Cardmember Service \$55.00, Verizon Wireless \$160.04, Windish, Jamen \$50.00, Total For Fund \$445.93, **County Agent:** Centurylink Az \$4.51, Ndsu Extension Service \$18,794.63, Sanford Health Occupation Medicine \$48.00, Total For Fund \$18,847.14, **Farm To Market 15 Mill:** Gilbertson, Jeffrey A \$3,109.00, Klj Engineering Llc \$1,260.21, Nd Dept Of Transportation \$45,288.86, Ottertail Power Company - Jamestown \$56.51, Subsurface Inc \$86,780.00, Total For Fund \$136,494.58, **County Agent Revolving:** Leever's Foods \$140.31, Total For Fund \$140.31, **Community Service:** Nd Community Corrections Associati \$200.00, Valley Officeworks \$242.99, Verizon Wireless \$130.54, Total For Fund \$573.53, **Grants And Projects:** Aman, Betty \$300.00, Anderson, Tara \$1,310.00, Cashwise Foods \$304.84, Centurylink Az \$.24, Collier, Rebecca \$945.00, Keller, Constance \$300.00, Schulz, Joyce \$2,064.64, Sundvor, Brooke \$300.00, Swenson, Allison \$935.00, Zent, Julie \$842.46, Total For Fund \$7,302.18, **Corrections Commissary Fu:** Leever's Foods \$776.77, Total For Fund \$776.77, **Soil Conservation:** Barnes Co Soil Conserv. Dist. \$24,179.37, Total For Fund \$24,179.37, **Flood Emergency 2011:** Anderson Township \$4,845.00, Green Township \$34,190.10, Total For Fund \$39,035.10, **Stewart Drain:** Barnes Co Highway Dept \$169.16, Postmaster \$55.00, Total For Fund \$224.16, **Garrison Conservancy Dist:** Garrison Diversion Cons Dist \$24,117.67, Total For Fund \$24,117.67, **Airport:** Barnes Co Municipal Airport \$65,390.81, Total For Fund \$65,390.81, **State Funds:** Nd State Treasurer \$29,210.96, Total For Fund \$29,210.96, **Older Persons:** South Central Adult Services \$48,234.47, Total For Fund \$48,234.47, **Ambulance:** Barnes County Ambulance \$21,299.73, Community Volunteer Ems Of Lamoure \$2,380.32, Total For Fund \$23,680.05, **Water Resources:** Aflac \$36.75, Centurylink Az \$.16, Columbus Bank And Trust \$50.00, Griggs County Water Resource Distr \$1,749.10, Moore Engineering, Inc \$27,761.12, Nd Water Resource Districts Assn \$675.00, Ohnstad Twichell, P.C. \$1,939.24, Red River Joint Water Resource Dis \$75,581.00, Upper Sheyenne River Joint Water \$2,622.12, Total For Fund \$110,414.49, **Historical Society:** Barnes Co Historical Society \$18,089.16, Total For Fund \$18,089.16, **Library:** Valley City Public Library \$45,397.43, Total For Fund \$45,397.43, **Cities:** Dazey \$4,570.37, Fingal \$5,388.03, Kathryn \$3,121.42, Leal \$592.86, Litchville \$2,984.85, Nome \$1,173.87, Oriska \$1,681.55, Pillsbury \$404.50, Rogers \$1,490.74, Sanborn \$7,648.53, Sibley \$2,693.98, Tower City \$724.11, Valley City \$386,901.61, Wimbledon \$13,471.71, Total For Fund \$432,848.13, **Townships:** Alta \$13,336.37, Anderson \$21,081.65, Ashtabula \$4,851.05, Baldwin \$9,056.84, Binghampton \$5,070.28, Brimer \$21,824.72, Cuba \$11,634.00, Dazey \$10,058.23, Eckelson \$13,754.17, Edna \$12,639.76, Ellsbury \$10,037.89, Getchell \$12,020.25, Grand \$11,728.07, Green \$8,084.50, Greenland \$18,512.31, Hemen \$17,086.28, Hobart \$9,316.18, Laketown \$15,218.70, Mansfield \$10,936.66, Marsh \$10,230.65, Meadow \$18,117.60, Minnie \$18,560.54, Nelson \$16,767.78, Noltimier \$8,240.89, Norma \$8,911.58, Oakhill \$7,677.23, Oriska \$15,353.32, Pierce \$7,946.74, Potter \$13,291.24, Raritan \$9,087.46, Rogers \$14,502.27, Rosebud \$4,259.48, Sibley \$8,217.81, Skandia \$7,316.38, Spring \$6,621.59, Springvale \$14,278.54, Stewart \$6,560.72, Svea \$15,800.99, Thordenskjold \$10,238.34, Uxbridge \$13,426.86, Valley \$14,185.91, Weimer \$19,391.85, \$505,233.68, **Park Districts:** Fingal \$125.88, Kathryn \$41.80, Litchville \$157.56, Nome \$45.95, Sanborn \$198.90, Tower City \$125.85, Valley City \$127,145.90, Total For Fund \$127,841.84, **School Districts:** Barnes County North \$421,657.13, Enderlin Area Sd 24 \$58,885.98, Griggs County Centra \$4,886.23, Hope-Page \$74,197.07, Litchville-Marion \$232,319.72, Maple Valley \$349,840.57, Montpelier \$18,436.61, Valley City \$849,153.08, \$2,009,376.39, **Rural Fire Districts:** Dazey \$10,269.28, Edna \$3,400.01, Enderlin \$302.96, Fingal \$3,610.23, Hope \$3,682.10, Kathryn \$5,265.38, Nome \$4,552.04, Page \$2,454.15, Sanborn \$31,573.67, Tower City \$4,992.92, Valley City Rural Fire Protection \$14,879.48, Wimbledon \$12,301.91, Total For Fund \$97,284.13, **Thordenskjold Drain:** Eckelson Lake Snagging & Clearing \$602.85, Stewart Drain Li \$17,561.15, Thordenskjold Drain \$20,815.27, Total For Fund \$38,979.27, **Upper Maple River Dam Ass:** Maple-Steele Joint Water Resource \$1,574.57, Total For Fund \$1,574.57, **Payroll Fund:** Nd Association Of Counties Wc \$59,818.15, State Tax Commissioner \$9,876.50, Total For Fund \$69,694.65, Total Warrants \$4,319,093.26

With no further business, Shawn Olason made a motion, seconded by Pete Paulson, to adjourn the meeting.

Motion carried unanimously, and the meeting was adjourned at 9:13 a.m.

Bill Carblom, Chairman  
Barnes County Commission

Beth M Didier  
Barnes County Auditor