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Enjoy WEM Patriot events with GVTL

Once again Garden Valley Technologies, in conjunction with Win-E-Mac, will be producing Patriot events throughout the school year. Channel 30 will be your official station to stay abreast of Patriot activities.

Due to the pandemic, spectators to events will be extremely limited until further notice.

In an effort to further widen viewer participation and connection with area schools, Garden Valley has released the following statement regarding 'live-streaming' local content for those that have their television services elsewhere:

We've also now fully launched our live-stream



functionality on our website at <https://www.gvtel.com/video/livestream/>. This allows members and non-members to

watch these games from a computer, tablet, or phone. Access for subscribers of a GVT service (phone, internet, cellular, GVTV) is included at no additional charge.

Non-members can purchase access to the live stream; \$5 for 30-day access or \$20 for annual access.

All paid subscriptions will support the school and local content channels.

A special thank you to Garden Valley Technologies for providing this service for Patriot supporters that look forward to another great season of Win-E-Mac Patriots events.

The schedule for events is found on the Win-E-Mac website at www.wemschools.org.



Remar Voxland with her pumpkin stand set up each fall in McIntosh is helping out customers Rosann and Craig Burslie during Harvest Festival in McIntosh.



The residents of Poplar Meadows are having a fundraiser throughout the winter to raise funds for a gazebo to be put in their back patio area. The first fundraiser event was an Adopt an Envelope event held during McIntosh Harvest Festival. If you would like to donate or know about other fundraising events, please contact Poplar Meadows Senior Living or follow them on Facebook. Pictured is: Lois Boehrnsen, Tara Burthwick and Becky Boehrnsen.



Grace Roed is ready to try out her skills at the pumpkin games during McIntosh Harvest Festival held Saturday, September 19th.



Macey Lee with her pumpkin entry and others in front of the table with the Pumpkin Decorating contest entries for McIntosh Harvest Festival.



The Breckel family had a wagon load of pumpkins at McIntosh Harvest Festival for sale this year. Who could resist great pumpkins and great conversation? Pictured is Paige, Holly and Jason Breckel.



Catching up with friends is part of the fun of McIntosh Harvest Festival. Here, Cheryl Jore and Eileen Burslie have a chance to sit and visit.



The streets of McIntosh were full of unique vendors for shoppers to enjoy and find some new treasures to take home during Harvest Festival. Here, Dawson Olson and his mom, Melissa check some out.



WEM School Announcements

Homecoming for elementary will be October 26-30 and homecoming for the high school will be October 26-30 and November 2-6 (this is so students can do all dress up days in high school – this will make sense once we send out the dress up days).

Drivers Education Classroom instruction will begin on Monday, October 19th from 3:15-6:00 p.m. in Mr. Ian Hanson's room. The dates of the class are October 19, 20, 22, 23, 26, 27, 29, 30 November 2, 3 and the 5th will be a make-up day. Students are expected to complete 30 hours of required instruction. Cost is \$160 and should be sent in with the registration form by Wednesday, October 14th.

Students enrolled in Drivers Education need to be 15 years old by June 1. Notice that there will be no classes on Wednesdays. Students will follow their usual RED/BLUE days of school. When it is your day to be in school you will be

in person for the classroom portion. When it is your day to be home, you will join through zoom. Please pick up forms in the office.

Volleyball practice: Through October 2nd. 7th & 8th Grades: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 3:30pm-5:30pm. 9th-12th Grades: Monday-Thursday 5:30pm-7:30pm. Please bring your own face masks and water bottle to practice.

Locker rooms will be open for changing purposes (before practice), nothing will be stored in them at this point.

7th graders need to have a sports physical on file with the school before participating in practice.

We understand that some junior high students will not be able to attend practice on the days that they are home during hybrid learning and cannot get a ride to practice

Football practice: Through October 2nd. 9th-12th Grades: Tuesdays and Thursdays 4:00pm, intrasquad scrimmage Oct. 2, 7:00pm.

Weight Lifting: Contact Aaron Cook (acook@win-e-mac.k12.mn.us) for your pod information.

Make sure to have your face

mask (gaiter) and your water bottle. Locker rooms will be open for changing before practice only.

NOTICE

The Lessor Township Annual Meeting will be Tuesday, October 12, 2020 at 7:00 pm at Trinity Lutheran Church in rural McIntosh. M29C

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a hearing has been set for October 23, 2020 at 9:20 a.m. in the meeting room at Polk County Environmental Services, 320 Ingersoll Ave, Crookston, Minnesota or should you wish to join us remotely, a WEBEX meeting is available upon request, to consider the application of David Kvdt, 1300 Lincoln Drive, Grand Forks, ND 58201 for a Conditional Use Permit to hook a new septic system up to an existing accessory structure on a parcel of land located at: 39909 Sunset Shores Rd, Erskine, Mn 56535 and described as: Lot Five (5), Block Two (2), Sunset Shores, a portion of Lots 2, 3, and 4, of Section 35, Township 148 N., Range 43 W, Polk County Minnesota, parcel #74.00914.00. All property owners within ¼ mile of the proposed Conditional Use Permit are invited to appear at said hearing. If attending via WEBEX, you must contact our office 3 days prior to the public hearing at 218-281-6445. Dated: October 3, 2020 Jacob J. Snyder Planning & Zoning Administrator M29C

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How to cope with professional caregiver grief

By Heather Larson, LSW, CT

As a professional caregiver, you may spend more time with the people you care for than your own family. Sometimes the people you care for can become like family to you or you may feel like family to them, especially if the person does not have family of their own.

It can be difficult when the person you are caring for—perhaps for quite some time—becomes ill or dies. The work you are doing every day is in the service of others, not just a job. You pour your time and energy into caring for someone who depends on you; this is sacred work.

Losing a person who you cared for can take an emotional toll on you. It can hurt, and you might find yourself feeling a range of other emotions, such as sadness, regret or guilt. You may even feel frustrated or angry about circumstances of the death or how you feel the person's family participated or behaved.

These different reactions and feelings can be summed up in one word: grief.

You may feel you don't have the right to grieve because you are a professional caregiver. Often, you must step up and continue to provide care, even after the person's death. You may need to provide support to the family and friends gathered at the bedside. At times you must push your feelings and grief to the side to be able to do what is needed.

Even so, this doesn't mean you don't have a right to grieve. Your grief deserves its time and place. It is important to honor your grief, and in doing so, you are also honoring the person who has died.

Suggestions for honoring the person who died:

Reflect on the good memories or stories you have of the person—and share them with coworkers

Hold a small memorial service at the facility, if appropriate

Sit with intention in your feelings or observe a few moments of silence

Use your creativity, such as creating artwork or journaling

Do something outdoors to honor the person by planting a flower or tree, etc.

There are tangible ways to cope with your grief and to share how you feel with those you trust without revealing protected health information about the person under your care.

One of the most crucial as-

pects of being a professional caregiver is practicing good self-care. Self-care becomes even more critical when you are dealing with grief. Effective self-care practices allow caregivers to continue their work while functioning at the highest level. It also helps you maintain a level of satisfaction and enjoyment in your career.

Self-care looks different from person to person and can include: Balanced nutrition; Drinking more water; Getting more rest or sleep; Walking or exercising; Listening to music, podcasts, etc.; Disconnecting from technology, when appropriate.

Quieting your mind through mindfulness and meditation practices, and taking deep breaths. There are many free helpful resources and videos available on apps, like Insight Timer, and YouTube.

Good self-care combined with other resources available to you, such as talking with a trusted coworker or friend, can help you cope with your caregiver grief.

You are human; therefore, you will experience grief. It's as simple as that.

Take the time and space needed for your grief, share it with those you trust and carve out time to care for yourself. Know your grief feelings will not last forever; they change and subside as you heal.

Thank you for using your servant hands and heart to change the world.

If you need additional support, Hospice of the Red River Valley can help. Contact us or call (800) 237-4629 and ask to speak to the grief support department.

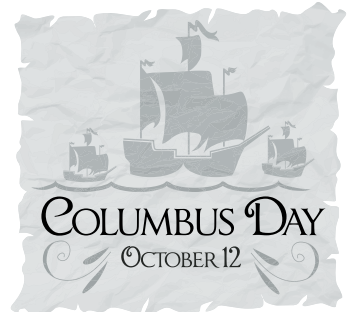
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The discovery of America is one of the most important events in history. Each October, on Columbus Day, we honor Christopher Columbus for his historic voyage.

First National Bank will be **CLOSED Monday, October 12th** in observance of Columbus Day



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Wed. Oct. 7: Samantha Rasmussen, Rob Roed, *Rob & Lori Roed
Thurs. Oct. 8: *Darren & Holly Kringlen
Fri. Oct. 9: Jason Carlson, Heidi Lemer
Sat. Oct. 10: Jim Ferden, Jonah Salvhus
Sun. Oct. 11: Annabelle Shultz, Sandra Jore, Ambrose Anderson, Shawn Ostenaar
Mon. Oct. 12: Brady Finseth, Kyle Mandt, Anika Paskvan
Tues. Oct. 13: Darren Kringlen, Paisley Roed, Louis Ott

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Tues. Oct. 13th - Pork Loin - Mashed Potatoes & Gravy - Corn - Wheat Bread - Brownies - Milk

Wed. Oct. 14th - Sweet-N-Sour Meatballs - Rice - Carrots - Tropical Fruit Salad - Wheat Rolls - Lemon Bars - Milk

LSS Meals is looking for a volunteer(s) to deliver meals to the community of McIntosh 2 days a week. For more information, please call 218-687-2262 and speak to Laura or Kira



ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Fosston
Fr. John Suvaheen, Pastor

Sun. October 11: 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's, Fosston; 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph's, Bagley

Sun. October 18: 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's, Fosston; 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph's, Bagley

OURS SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH (ELCA)
McIntosh
Supply Pastor
Gordon Syverson

Our Savior's Church of McIntosh will resume church services stating on October 4th. The plan moving forward will be to alternate with Calvary every other week. Our Savior's will host on the 1st and 3rd Sunday's and Calvary the 2nd and 4th Sunday's of each month. The new time will be 10:30 am every Sunday at both locations.

The following guidelines will be in place. Masks must be worn at all times, social distancing from non-family members or anyone else you aren't currently spending time with, no singing as all the hymnals will be removed from the pews and the hymns will be in your bulletin to follow along with, communion will be held in the pews on the 1st and 2nd Sunday's of the month with the communion kits we are currently using, offering trays will be placed on a table to put your offering in when you come in, no sharing of the peace.

If you don't have a mask we'll have some available but please take with you afterwards and dispose of at home. Hand sanitizer will also be available to use before sitting down in your pew. Please only sit in the pews that aren't taped off.

We will still continue to have services on Garden Valley and YouTube so if you aren't comfortable in coming please stay home and enjoy on tv.

MCINTOSH AFLC
McIntosh Trinity / Mount Carmel:

Pastor Karl Anderson
Mt Carmel and Trinity Free Lutheran Churches in McIntosh have resumed holding Sunday Services.

9:30 Trinity
11:00 Mt Carmel
Social distancing practices will be encouraged.

Video Services will continue on GVTV Channel 30 at 10am Sunday, 7pm Sunday and 6pm Wednesday.

They will also be posted on the McIntosh AFLC Parish YouTube channel

GOSEN LUTHERAN CHURCH
Independent
Gary Johnson, Pastor
www.gosen-church.com
Face Book: Gosen Church
Sun., October 11: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Study; 11:00 a.m. Worship Service (also on Facebook: gosenchurch and gosenchurch.com)

Tues, October 13: 10:00 a.m. Sunday worship service telecast on GVTV--30

Wed, October 14: 6:30 p.m. Bible Study at Sharon Ramberg's home.

CALVARY-IMMANUEL LUTHERAN PARISH
Winger/Bejou
Supply Pastor
Gordon Syverson
Calvary Lutheran Church, Winger, Immanuel Lutheran Church, Bejou, and Our Saviors Lutheran Church, McIntosh will run church services on Channel 30 on Garden Valley Channel 30. They will also be available on YouTube on channel One in Spirit Calvary. Our Saviors service will be available by 8:30 am each Sunday until further notice.

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Breelyn Hegre tries her hand at pumpkin ring toss, which was a part of the kids games for Harvest Festival held in McIntosh.

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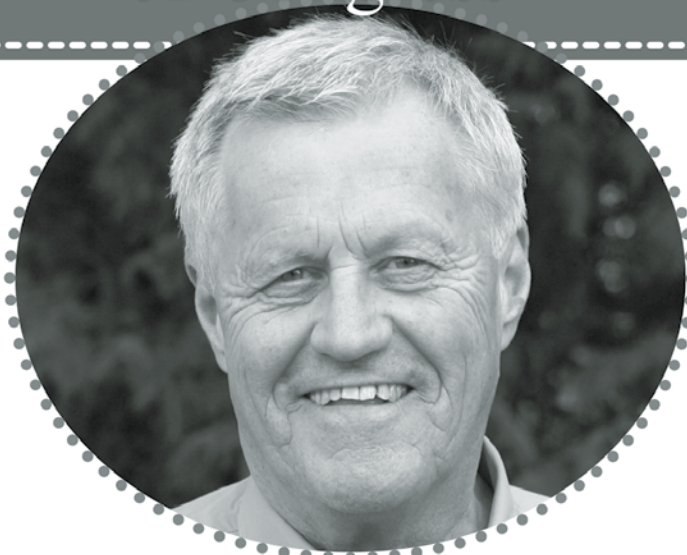


Pictured left: Playing a pumpkin game (on the old football field) for the kids at Harvest Festival held in McIntosh on Saturday, September 19th was Finn Frisk.



Adler Stordahl takes a picture during Harvest Festival held in McIntosh on September 19th.

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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

Pursuant to Minnesota Statute 204C.05, a State General Election will be held on Tuesday November 3, 2020 in the State of Minnesota , the County of Polk

County of Polk for the purpose of nomination the following officer's to wit:

State General Election voters must be registered to vote pursuant to Minesota Statute 201.054, subdv. 1.

TOWNSHIP/CITY	POLLING LOCATION		VOTING HOURS
Columbia	LENGBY COMMUNITY HALL	104 Main Ave N, Lengby, MN 56651	7:00am - 8:00pm
Crookston Ward 1	ST. PAULS LUTHERAN CHURCH	1214 University Ave., Crookston, MN 56716	7:00am - 8:00pm
Crookston Ward 2	ST. PAULS LUTHERAN CHURCH	1214 University Ave., Crookston, MN 56716	7:00am - 8:00pm
Crookston Ward 3	FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	510 Broadway ST N, Crookston, MN 56716	7:00am - 8:00pm
Crookston Ward 4	FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	510 Broadway ST N, Crookston, MN 56716	7:00am - 8:00pm
Crookston Ward 5	FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	510 Broadway ST N, Crookston, MN 56716	7:00am - 8:00pm
Crookston Ward 6	ST. PAULS LUTHERAN CHURCH	1214 University Ave., Crookston, MN 56716	7:00am - 8:00pm
East Grand Forks Ward 1	EAST GRAND FORKS SENIOR CENTER	538 Rhinehart Dr. SE, East Grand Forks, MN 56721	7:00am - 8:00pm
East Grand Forks Ward 2	EAST GRAND FORKS CITY HALL	600 DeMers Ave NW, East Grand Forks, MN 56721	7:00am - 8:00pm
East Grand Forks Ward 3	EAST GRAND FORKS CIVIC CENTER LOBBY	300 15th ST NE, East Grand Forks, MN 56721	7:00am - 8:00pm
East Grand Forks Ward 4	EAST GRAND FORKS CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBER	600 DeMers Ave NW, East Grand Forks, MN 56721	7:00am - 8:00pm
East Grand Forks Ward 5	EAST GRAND FORKS NASH PARK WARMING HOUSE	915 22nd ST NW, East Grand Forks, MN 56721	7:00am - 8:00pm
Fertile City	FERTILE COMMUNITY CENTER	101 Mill St S, Fertile, MN 56540	7:00am - 8:00pm
Fosston City	FOSSTON EMBASSY COMMUNITY CENTER	603 3rd St NE, Fosston, MN 56542	7:00am - 8:00pm
Lengby City	LENGBY COMMUNITY HALL	104 Main Ave N, Lengby, MN 56651	7:00am - 8:00pm
Queen	QUEEN TOWN HALL	36481 400th Ave SE, Fosston, MN 56542	10:00am - 8:00pm
Sletten	SLETTEN TOWN HALL	28488 430th St SE, Fosston, MN 56542	10:00am - 8:00pm
Sullivan	SULLIVAN TOWN HALL	11542 430th Ave SW, East Grand Forks, MN 56721	10:00am - 8:00pm
Woodside	WOODSIDE TOWN HALL	36817 160th Ave SE, Erskine, MN 56535	7:00am - 8:00pm

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the voters in the following precincts will be receiving ballots and voting by mail as requested by the respective township/city boards:

Andover Township	Fairfax Township	Hill River	Onstad Township
Angus Township	Fanny Township	Hubbard Township	Parnell Township
Badger Township	Farley Township	Huntsville	Reis Township
Belgium Township	Fisher City	Johnson Township	Rhinehart Township
Beltrami City	Fisher Towship	Kertsonville Township	Roome Township
Brandsvold	Garden Township	Keystone Township	Rosebud Township
Brandt Township	Garfield	King Township	Russia Township
Brislet Township	Gentilly Township	Knute Township	Sandsville Township
Bygland	Godfrey Township	Lessor Township	Scandia Township
Chester Township	Grand Forks Township	Liberty Township	Tabor Township
Climax City	Grove Park-Tilden Township	Lowell Township	Trail City
Crookston Township	Gully City	McIntosh City	Tynsid Township
Eden Township	Gully Township	Mentor City	Vineland Township
Erskine City	Hammond Township	Nesbit Township	Winger City
Esther Township	Helgeland Township	Nielsville City	Winger Township
Euclid Township	Higdem Township	Northland Township	

Eligible voters that live in a mail ballot precinct who did not receive a ballot in the mail may vote by absentee ballot at the office of the Taxpayer Service Center at the Polk County Government Center, 612 N. Broadway, Ste 207, Crookston, MN 56716 until 8:00 p.m. on Election Day. Mail Ballots and Absentee Ballots will be tabulated at the Polk County Government Center at the close of polls on November 3 2020 at 8:00 p.m and for the 7 days following if postmarked by November 3, 2020.

/s/ Michelle M. Cote
Michelle M. Cote

Dated: September 29,2020

Polk County Director of Property Records/Election Administrator

POLK COUNTY BOARD MINUTES

SEPTEMBER 1, 2020
BOARD MINUTES

Pursuant to motion of adjournment, the Polk County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 8:00 o'clock a.m., September 1, 2020 at Environmental Services, 320 Ingersoll Avenue, Crookston, MN. Members present: Commissioner Gerald Jacobson, Commissioner Warren Strandell, Commissioner Gary Willhite, Commissioner Joan Lee and Commissioner Don Diedrich and Charles S. Whiting, County Administrator, Clerk of the Board. Other present: Michelle Cote, Deputy Clerk of the Board.

AGENDA

A motion was made by Commissioner Lee seconded by Commissioner Jacobson and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to approve the September 1, 2020 agenda.

CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Commissioner Strandell seconded by Commissioner Willhite and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to approve the September 1, 2020 consent agenda:

1. Approve Auditor Warrants.

COUNTY BOARD MEMBERS
ISSUE FORUM

1. Commissioner Jacobson brought forth that he attended no meetings since the prior Board meeting. He did receive several calls regarding signs targeted at Governor Walz. Discussion was brought forth regarding restoration of gravel pits.
2. Commissioner Strandell brought forth that he attended the Pine To Prairie Drug Task Force meeting. He also attended the Polk County Building Committee meeting which focused on the East Grand Forks Human Service Center.
3. Commissioner Willhite brought forth that he attended a Polk County Planning & Zoning Commission meeting.
4. Commissioner Lee brought forth that she participated in a Pine To Prairie Drug Task Force meeting. She also participated in the AMC Education Committee meeting. She received a resident call of concern regarding the grading of County Road 201. Discussion was brought forth regarding voting by absentee ballot.
5. Commissioner Diedrich brought that he attended a Tri-Valley Opportunity Council meeting where the focus was the 401k provider.

LAKE AGASSIZ REGIONAL LIBRARY

Liz Lynch, LARL Executive Director came before the Board with matters pertaining to the Lake Agassiz Regional Library:

1. 2021 LARL Budget Request

Discussion along with handouts pertaining to LARL 2021 budget information and Getting To Know Your Library were presented to the Board. (Handouts on file in the Administrator's Office)

PLANNING AND ZONING

Jacob Snyder, Environmental Specialist/Planning and Zoning Administration came before the Board with matters pertaining to Planning and Zoning:

- 1.Resolution (2020-77) Conditional Use Permit For Amanda & Casey Holweger For Total Accessory Structure Over 2500 Sq.Ft. On A Parcel Less Than 5 Acres

Resolution (2020-77) was offered by Commissioner Strandell seconded by Commissioner Diedrich and adopted upon the following vote: YEAS: Lee, Diedrich, Willhite, Strandell and Jacobson. NAYS: None. (See Resolution (2020-77) on file in the Administrator's Office.)

2. Final Plat Approval Zavoral Addition Parcel No. 40.00137.00 and Parcel No. 40.00154.00

Discussion along with handouts pertaining to the Final Plat/Zavoral Addition was presented to the Board. A motion was made by Commissioner Strandell seconded by Commissioner Jacobson and adoped by unanimous vote of the Board to approve the Final Plat Zavoral Addition Parcel No. 40.00137.00 and Parcel No. 40.00154.00 with the conditions as listed in the handout presented. (Handout on file in the Administrator's Office)

*REVISED AGENDA

A motion was made by Commissioner Diedrich seconded by Commissioner Lee and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to approve the revised September 1, 2020 agenda adding No. 2 and No. 3 under Highway.

HIGHWAY

Richard Sanders, Polk County Highway Engineer came before the Board with matters pertaining to his department:

1. County Ditch 55 Tile Replacement

Drain Tile on County Ditch 55 collapsed as part of the 2019 flood. Quotes have been received for labor and equipment to install pipes, aprons and riprap. A motion was made by Commissioner Strandell seconded by Commissioner Diedrich and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to accept the quote from Gladden Construction, LaPorte, MN in the amount of \$75,080.00 for labor and equipment for installation of the pipes, aprons and riprap on County Ditch 55.

2. *Repair of CSAH 20

A motion was made by Commissioner Diedrich seconded by Commissioner Strandell to provide labor and equipment to replace 84" culvert on CSAH 20 and allow Knife River, Bemidji, MN to do the repair in the amount of \$45,240.00.

3. **Lengby Pit, Mahnomen County Forestry Contract

Discussion was brought forth regarding the developmnt, administration, inspection and summarization of timber sale on Polk County property located on S1/2NE1/4 03-146-39 (Parcel 07-033-1200) (Lengby Pit) Mahnomen County. A motion was made by Commissioner Jacobson seconded by Com-

missioner Diedrich and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to enter into a Contract for Forest Resource Management Services with Northern Forestry Inc., Bemidji, MN and authorize the County Engineer to sign the Contract for the development, administration, inspection and summarization of timber sale on Polk County property located in the S1/2NE1/4 03-146-39 (Parcel 07-033-1200) (Lengby Pit) Mahnomen County.

PROPERTY RECORDS

Michelle Cote, Property Records Director came before the Board with matters pertaining to her department:

1. Temporary Easement To Construct For Government Entities

Discussion along with the Temporary Permit and map were presented to the Board. A motion was made by Commissioner Lee seconded by Commissioner Strandell and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to authorize the Polk County

Vendor Name	Amount
Davidson Construction	31,480.15
Johnson Controls Fire Protection LP	5,084.00
Knife River Materials	16,449.08
Kronos SaaShr Inc	3,554.46
Palmer Masonry & Concrete	11,583.60
Polk County	82,757.55
RDO Equipment Company	240,590.00
8 Payments less than 2000	3,877.63
Final Total:	395,376.47

Vendor Name	Amount
Becker County Human Services	41,354.61
BELTRAMI COUNTY SOLID WASTE	2,369.44
City of McIntosh	5,436.10
Clay County Public Health	22,013.20
Cole Papers Inc	11,281.92
Dick's Backhoe Service	10,645.00
ENTERPRISE FM TRUST	7,798.24
Fosston Municipal Utilities	44,337.72
Halstad Telephone Co	9,543.70
Lenes Sand & Gravel Inc	26,408.93
Norman County Public Health	19,276.12
Northside Express	6,690.83
Ottertail Power Co	34,713.23
Ottertail Public Health	41,784.17
Polk County Environmental Services	2,274.07
Polk County Public Health	12,916.32
Wild Rice Elec Co- Op Inc	3,829.25
22 Payments less than 2000	9,989.38
Final Total:	312,662.23

Vendor Name	Amount
BELTRAMI COUNTY SOLID WASTE	2,765.96
Cole Papers Inc	6,345.15
Crookston Water Department	3,198.19
ENTERPRISE FM TRUST	3,263.29
Fischer Rust, Stock & Rust, PLLC	3,952.50
Fosston Municipal Utilities	43,503.41
Garden Valley Technologies	2,924.26
GreatAmerica Financial Services	9,825.32
Knife River Materials	449,116.68
Kronos SaaShr Inc	7,043.56
Mn State Treasury	9,888.00
Norman County Public Health	25,119.65
Polk County Public Health	71,607.79
Reynolds Harbott Knutson & Larson PLLP	4,900.65
Sather Law Office Ltd	4,981.55
Verizon Wireless	4,915.42
18 Payments less than 2000	5,950.72
Final Total:	659,302.10

Vendor Name	Amount
Altru Health System	2,653.00
Anderson Brothers Construction	181,888.28
ENTERPRISE FM TRUST	3,185.83
Ferfusen Brothers Excavating Inc	57,190.00
Gladden Construction Inc	18,816.51
Istate Truck Center	116,522.00
Johnson Controls Fire Protection LP	5,197.03
Knife River Materials	616,584.90
Norman County Public Health	16,975.23
Northwestern Mental Health Center	10,594.00
Polk County Administrator	3,696.00
Polk County Public Health	19,366.20
Wm D Scepianiak Inc	413,797.92
14 Payments less than 2000	6,824.35
Final Total:	1,473,291.25

Vendor Name	Amount
FURTHER	1,715.08
Final Total:	1,715.08

Vendor Name	Amount
Internal Revenue Service	167,585.18
Minnesota Revenue	28,744.98
Final Total:	196,330.16

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FURTHER	2,658.19
Final Total:	2,658.19

Vendor Name	Amount
FURTHER	977.81
Final Total:	977.81

Vendor Name	Amount
Mn Dept Of Revenue	753.00
Final Total:	753.00

Vendor Name	Amount
Minnesota Revenue	5,060.00
Minnesota Revenue	1,116.63
Mn Dept Of Rev Tax Division	112,395.71
Mn Dept Of Revenue	1,178.00
Mn Dept Of Revenue	295.00
Final Total:	120,045.34

Vendor Name	Amount
Northwest Service Cooperative	262,265.50
Final Total:	262,265.50

Vendor Name	Amount
Internal Revenue Service	168,215.05
Minnesota Revenue	28,762.66
Final Total:	196,977.71

Vendor Name	Amount
FURTHER	1,293.22
Final Total:	1,293.22

With no further business, the Board adjourned to reconvene at 9:30 a.m., September 15, 2020.

Gary Willhite, Chair	Charles S. Whiting, Polk County Administrator Clerk of the Board
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SEPTEMBER 15, 2020 BOARD MINUTES
Pursuant to motion of adjournment the Polk County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:30 o'clock a.m., September 15, 2020 at Environmental Services, 320 Ingersoll Avenue, Crookston, MN. Members present: Commissioner Gerald Jacobson, Commissioner Warren Strandell, Commissioner Gary Willhite, Commissioner Joan Lee and Commissioner Don Diedrich and Charles S. Whiting, County Administrator, Clerk of the Board. Other present: Michelle Cote, Deputy Clerk of the Board.

five year life of the agreement and obligates the County to pay the costs for the network connection.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, By the County Board of Polk County, Minnesota as follows:

1. That the State of Minnesota Joint Powers Agreements by and between the State of Minnesota acting through its Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Criminal Apprehension and the County of Polk on behalf of its County Attorney and Sheriff are hereby approved.

2. That the Sheriff, James Tadman, or his or her successor, is designated the Authorized Representative for the Sheriff. The Authorized Representative is also authorized to sign any subsequent amendment or agreement that may be required by the State of Minnesota to maintain the County's connection to the systems and tools offered by the State.

3. That the County Attorney, Greg Widseth, or his or her successor, is designated the Authorized Representative for the County Attorney. The Authorized Representative is also authorized to sign any subsequent amendment or agreement that may be required by the State of Minnesota to maintain the County's connection to the systems and tools offered by the State.

4. That Gary Willhite, the Chair of the County of Polk and Chuck Whiting, the County Board Clerk, are authorized to sign the State of Minnesota Joint Powers Agreements.

Commissioner Jacobson seconded the foregoing resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote. YEAS: Lee, Diedrich, Willhite, Strandell and Jacobson. NAYS: None.

SOCIAL SERVICES

Karen Warmack, Social Services Director came before the Board with matters pertaining to her department:

1. One Office Support Specialist Replacement Request
- A motion was made by Commissioner Diedrich seconded by Commissioner Willhite and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to approve refilling one Office Support Specialist position, and any internal subsequent position vacancies occurring because of this action.

ADMINISTRATION

Chuck Whiting, Polk County Administrator came before the Board with matters pertaining to his department:

1. Approval Of Claim – Lindemer Settlement

The Settlement Agreement between Polk County and former Polk County employee Danielle Lindemer was discussed and presented to the Board. A motion was made by Commissioner Diedrich seconded by Commissioner Jacobson and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to approve and sign the Settlement Agreement as presented. (Agreement on file in the Administrator's Office).

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Discussion along with a handout pertaining to the breakdown of CARES Funds was presented to the Board. (Handout on file in the Administrator's Office)

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Acme Electric Companies	3,257.46
Ameripride Linen & Apparel Service	2,133.27
Architectural Resources Inc	3,778.75
Bert's Truck Equip Of Moorhead	15,547.84
Bill's Parts & Sales	2,100.00
Church & Dwight Co Inc	9,245.74
Country Pet Foods, LLC	5,522.58
Crookston Fuel Company	4,316.60
Crookston Times	2,265.53
Dietz/Mark	2,496.20
Domson BG Service	2,313.00
Donarski Brothers Inc	3,234.81
DS Solutions Inc	2,132.00
Durag	7,164.70
Environmental Sentry Protection LLC	4,610.00
GHA Technologies Inc	2,390.30
Higher Ground	9,525.70
JC & J Trucking Inc	5,000.00
Jemco Incorporated	6,305.93
Jsb Engineered Solutions	10,955.25
Kurita America Inc	7,005.74
Northern Lumber	2,579.21
Naw Micro Inc	5,344.00
Palmer Masonry & Concrete	16,907.00
Pemberton Law PLLP	14,200.95
Polk County	7,767.44
Polk County Highway Department	13,472.17
Potters Industries Inc	5,536.00
Powerplan OIB	2,745.75
RDO Truck Centers	7,372.82
Regents Of The Univ Of Mn	2,179.56
True North Steel	28,432.84
Univar Usa Inc	8,500.00
US Bank Voyager Fleet Sys	3,294.25
Winter Truck Line Inc	2,110.55
Ziegler Inc	18,275.27
190 Payments less than 2000	59,899.09
Final Total:	309,645.30

With no further business the Board adjourned to reconvene at 8:00 o'clock a.m., September 16, 2020 for a Special Board meeting.

Gary Willhite, Chair	Charles S. Whiting, County Administrator Clerk of the Board
ATTEST:	

Roof Replacement Bid Award

A motion was made by Commissioner Strandell seconded by Commissioner Diedrich and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to accept the bid recommendation of Pierce Lee Roofing, LLC, Fargo, ND in the amount of \$142,400.00 offered by Tri-County Community Corrections Board with the understanding that funding for the Juvenile Detention Center Roof Replacement Project will be provided by Tri-County Community Corrections.

2021 DEPARTMENT BUDGET
REVIEWS

Chuck Whiting, Polk County Administrator came before the Board with matters pertaining to the 2021 Departmental Budgets:

1. General Overview of Budget Issues

Discussion was held with the Board regarding the 2021 budget.

COUNTY ATTORNEY

Greg Widseth, Polk County Attorney came before the Board with matters pertaining to his department:

1. Review of 2021 County Attorney Budget

Discussion was held with the Board regarding the 2021 County Attorney Budget.

HIGHWAY

Richard Sanders, Polk County Highway Engineer came before the Board with matters pertaining to his department:

1. County Wide Patching

A motion was made by Commissioner Diedrich seconded by Commissioner Strandell and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to award county wide patching to Re-itRock Paving LLC, Crookston, MN in the amount of \$333.33 per ton.

2. County Ditch 56 Replacement Request

MNDOT is doing a construction project on TH 2 between Fisher, MN and East Grand Forks, MN a 48" CSP under TH 2 with a 48" RCP is needed. A motion was made by Commissioner Strandell seconded by Commissioner Jacobson and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board to approve the work in County Ditch 56 and name Richard Sanders as Engineer over the project.

3. Review of 2021 Highway Department Budgets

Discussion was held with the Board regarding the 2021 Highway Department budgets.

VETERANS SERVICES

Kurtis Ellefson, Veterans Services Officer came before the Board with matters pertaining to his department:

1. Review of 2021 Veterans Services Budget

Discussion was held with the Board regarding the 2021 Veterans Services budget.

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

Jon Steiner, Environmental Services Director came before the Board with matters pertaining to his department:

1. Review of 2021 Environmental Services Budgets

Discussion was held with the Board regarding the 2021 Environmental Services budgets.

FACILITIES

Mark Dietz, Facilities Management Director came before the Board with matters pertaining to his department:

1. Review of 2021 Facilities Budget

Discussion was held with the Board regarding the 2021 Facilities budget.

ADMINISTRATION

Chuck Whiting, Polk County Administrator came before the Board with matters pertaining to his department:

1. Review of 2021 Administration Budgets

Discussion was held with the Board regarding the 2021 Administration budget.

2. Budget Summary and Review

Discussion was held with the Board regarding the 2021 budget.

COMMISSIONER WARRANTS

A motion was made by Commissioner Strandell seconded by Commissioner Jacobson and adopted by unanimous vote of the Board that the following Commissioner Warrants were approved: