

HOOKER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS REGULAR MEETING
July 9 2026

The Hooker County Board of Commissioners held a budget workshop at 2:00 p.m. in the courthouse on July 9, 2026. Present were commissioners Bryan Crisp, Thad Emerson and Julie Kraye. Also present during the meeting were Jessica Hampton, George Vinton, Crystal Hardy and Todd Yost. Chairman Bryan Crisp announced the Public Meetings Law posted in the boardroom and copies of it and the agenda are available for the public. A building inspection was completed. Following the inspection it was agreed that the roof needs to be inspected and the east door replaced. Department heads presented budgets to the board. The budget workshop concluded at 3:30 p.m. and the regular meeting began. Present during the regular meeting, Bryan Crisp, Thad Emerson, Julie Kraye, Jessica Hampton, George Vinton, Crystal Hardy, Todd Yost, Mel McDowell. The minutes of the June 12th, 2026 meeting were read aloud and approved. Emerson made a motion to approve the minutes with amendments, Kraye seconded. Roll call vote, three ayes, motion carried. The claims on file were audited by the board. Kraye moved and Crisp seconded the motion that the audited claims be allowed and warrants from the various county funds be issued for their payment. Roll call vote, three ayes, motion carried. Approved claims are listed below. The road budget was reviewed. The regular meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m. to open the Board of Equalization. The board reconvened at 5:47 p.m. Crisp made a motion, Emerson seconded the motion to adopt Resolution 2026-7 county real estate agreement. Roll call vote, three ayes, motion carried. Discussion about sharing a deputy sheriff with Grant County has been tabled until the July 23rd, 2026 meeting. Clerk Jessica Hampton requested the next budget workshop to be held on July 23, 2026 at 3:30 p.m. An update regarding the Mullen Hospital District was provided. Emerson moved and Kraye seconded the motion to allocate \$4,000 from the Miscellaneous General Fund to the Commissioners Fund for the 2025-2026 fiscal year. Roll call vote, three ayes, motion carried. Treasurer Crystal Hardy presented the treasurers report and the semi-annual report. Kraye moved and Emerson seconded the motion to approve the treasurers report and the semi-annual report as presented. Roll call vote, three ayes, motion carried. The treasurer's report was reviewed. Crisp made a motion to approve the treasurer's report, Kraye seconded. Roll call vote, three ayes, motion carried. Sheriff Todd Yost provided a sheriff's report. Library budget worksheet was reviewed.

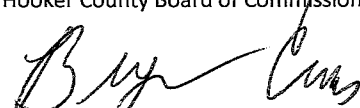
CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND			
Applied Connective Technologies	931.95	Medical Air Services Association-B2B	75
Artis Hicks	80	NE Department of Revenue	1558.11
AT&T Mobility	279	Payroll	24531.17
Bloom Pest Control	165	ROAD FUND	
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Nebraska	13718.5	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Nebraska	1433.58
Cindy Daly	60	Brennemann Contracting LLC	80000
Comfort Inn	279	Consolidated Telephone Company	118.57
Consolidated Telephone Company	334.06	DAS State Acctg-Central Finance OCIO	44
Crystal Hardy	240.8	Dickinson Land Surveyors, Inc	750
DAS State Acctg-Central Finance OCIO	66	Dooley Oil Inc-Nebraska	648.53
DataShield Coporation	59.21	Handyman Hardware & Construction	733.67
Douglas Boyer	185	Hooker County Tribune	6.22
Eakes Office Solutions	183.61	Macke's Grocery, Inc.	16.25
First Concord Benefits Group	75	Neal Oil	4546.96
Frey's Heating and Air	729.1	Ron's Towing	591.25
Grant County Treasurer	752.66	Sandhill Oil Co., Inc	34.5
Holiday Inn Kearney	239.9	Triple G RediMix LLC	4265.52
Hooker County Tribune	174.67	Village of Mullen	68.07
Jessica Hampton	242.59	Windstream of the Midwest Inc	3.23
Macke's Grocery, Inc.	82.39	Ameritas Life Insurance	612.78
Mary Lou Harding	65	Internal Revenue Service	975.11
Microfilm Imaging Systems, Inc	20	Payroll	12846.65
MIPS, Inc	1598.19	LIBRARY FUND	
NIRMA	33501	Bloom Pest Control	130
Region II Human Services	20.24	Brodart Co	261.75
Sandhill Oil Co., Inc	365.4	Consolidated Telephone Company	113.87
Village of Mullen	818.1	Macke's Grocery, Inc.	31.84
Vision Service Plan	52.66	MidAmerica Books	158.07
Windstream of the Midwest Inc	19.17	Village of Mullen	431.99
Windstream of the Midwest, LLC (2)	34.16	Ameritas Life Insurance	114.77
WPCI	32	Internal Revenue Service	153.02
Ameritas Life Insurance	3324.62	Payroll	2000.2
George Vinton	2250	LODGING TAX CAPITAL FUND	
Internal Revenue Service	10643.02	School Bond	1031.25

Meeting was adjourned at 6:13 p.m.
Notice is hereby given that the next budget workshop meeting will be held Thursday, July 23rd at 3:30 p.m.
Notice is hereby given that the next regular meeting of the Hooker County Board of Commissioners will be held Thursday, July 23rd at 3:30 p.m.
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization meeting will be held Thursday, July 23rd at 4:00 p.m.
Meetings are held in the Commissioners Room and agendas for these meetings are kept continually current and available for public inspection at the office of the county clerk during normal business hours.

Attest:

Jessica Hampton, Hooker County Clerk

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Bryan Crisp, Chairman