



Fillmore County Board Minutes



October 29, 2021

The Fillmore County Board of Supervisors convened in open and public session at 9:00 a.m., October 29, 2021, in the Boardroom of the Courthouse in Geneva, Nebraska with Chairman Neiman presiding. Members present were Noel, Graham, Sluka, Harre, Cerny, and Lightwine. The County Clerk was present to record the minutes of the meeting.

Notice of the meeting was given by posting. A copy of the publication is on file in the County Clerk's office. All proceedings hereinafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the public. Agenda was approved as presented. The Chairman noted that the public meeting guidelines are posted as required by law and available for public distribution if requested. The meeting adjourned at 10:25 a.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Graham moved and Lightwine seconded the motion that the Fillmore County Board of Supervisors hold an executive session at this time pursuant to Section 84-1401, Reissue, Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, for the protection of the public interest and consider in executive session personnel items authorized by Statute to be discussed in executive session. Upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Ayes: Cerny, Graham, Harre, Lightwine, Neiman, Noel, and Sluka
Nays: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried and requested that Ryan Smith, NIRMA Attorney, Pam Borne, Brandie Conway, Sheriff Burgess, and County Clerk remain. Executive session began at 9:03 a.m.

RETURN TO REGULAR SESSION

Harre moved and Cerny seconded the motion to return to open session at 9:33 a.m. Upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Ayes: Cerny, Graham, Harre, Lightwine, Neiman, Noel, and Sluka
Nays: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Sluka moved and Lightwine seconded the motion that the Fillmore County Board of Supervisors hold an executive session at this time pursuant to Section 84-1401, Reissue, Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, for the protection of the public interest and consider in executive session advice from legal counsel regarding personnel items authorized by Statute to be discussed in executive session. Upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Ayes: Cerny, Graham, Harre, Lightwine, Neiman, Noel, and Sluka
Nays: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried and requested that the NIRMA Attorney, Pam Borne and County Clerk remain. Executive session began at 9:34 a.m.

RETURN TO REGULAR SESSION

Lightwine moved and Sluka seconded the motion to return to open session at 10:04 a.m. Upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Ayes: Cerny, Graham, Harre, Lightwine, Neiman, Noel, and Sluka
Nays: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried.

RESCINDING THE APPOINTMENT OF RYAN SMITH AS COUNTY SHERIFF



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After discussion, Neiman moved and Cerny seconded the motion to rescind the appointment of County Sheriff to Ryan Smith effective immediately (October 29, 2021). Upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Ayes: Cerny, Graham, Harre, Lightwine, Neiman, Noel, and Sluka

Nays: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF AN INTERIM SHERIFF

After discussion, Sluka moved and Harre seconded the motion to appoint Steve Julich as interim Sheriff effective October 30, 2021. Upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Ayes: Cerny, Graham, Harre, Lightwine, Neiman, Noel, and Sluka

Nays: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried.

ADJOURN

As there was no other business to come before the Board, Graham moved and Sluka seconded the motion to adjourn until 9:05 a.m., November 9, 2021. Upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Ayes: Cerny, Graham, Harre, Lightwine, Neiman, Noel, and Sluka

Nays: None

The Chairman declared the motion carried.

Attest

Chairman