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TELECOMMUNICATIONS COURT-HOUSE 839.63; 1125 WEST RIVER TELECOMMUNICATIONS NDSU EXT 124.44: 1125 WEST RIVER TELECOM-MUNICATIONS E-911 TELCO TARIFFS 85.32: 1125 WEST RIVER TELE-COMMUNICATIONS E-911 RADIO TOWER 113.90; MARCH PAYROLL A DETAILED LIST OF PAYROLL FUNDS EXPENDED IS AVAILABLE FOR PUB-LIC INSPECTION ANYTIME DURING REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS IN THE MCLEAN COUNTY AUDITOR'S OFFICE 497,774.05

Roll Call Vote: Aye: Cottingham, Olson and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the Chairperson declared the meeting adjourned at 9:19 a.m. The commission minutes and agenda can be found on the county website at https://www. mcleancountynd.gov.

Steve Lee, Chairperson Lynda Snyder, Administrative Assistant

McLean County Commission Proceedings

Tuesday April 22, 2025

The second regular April meeting of the Board of Commissioners was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by Chairperson Steve Lee. Present were Commissioners Lee, Steve Cottingham, and Curt Olson. Also present were Auditor Beth A. Knutson: Administrative Assistant/ Receptionist Lynda Snyder; Road Superintendent James Grey; and Chief Deputy Auditor/Computer Operations Director Lori Foss.

Moved by Olson, seconded by Cottingham, to approve the minutes of the meeting held on March 25, 2025, as submitted. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Olson, Cottingham, and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried

Foss presented a salary adjustment for a newly promoted Jailer/Dispatcher Lieutenant. This adjustment would be retroactive to April 8, 2025, with no adjustment after six months of employment. Discussion followed.

Moved by Olson, seconded by Cottingham, to approve the salary adjustment as presented. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Cottingham, Olson, and Lee.

Foss presented an NRG Technology Services quote for seven new computers including software in the amount of \$11,804.42. Discussion followed.

Moved by Cottingham, seconded by Olson, to authorize purchase of the computers and software as presented. Discussion followed. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Cottingham, Olson, and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried

Grey presented the Highway Department update stating that shoulder work continues and once completed graveling will begin in identified areas as needed. Discussion followed.

Grey updated the Commissioners on a culvert that was repaired the week prior by Lake Audubon. Discussion followed

Grey stated that Falkirk Mining Company has requested a road closure to install a crossing. The closure would be for 36 hours. Discussion followed.

Moved by Olson, seconded by Cottingham, to allow the Highway Superintendent to coordinate with Falkirk Mining Company for a temporary road closure lasting approximately 36 hours. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Olson, Cottingham, and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Grey presented three boring requests from Falkirk Mining Company to bore 12-inch HDPE pipe twelve feet below the existing grade to be used to convey water from the mining pits. Grey stated

device, twenty-one, poker, and calcutta activities at the Garrison Golf Club from July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026.

Moved by Cottingham, seconded by Olson, to approve the Gaming Site Authorization Application as submitted by Garrison Area Improvement Inc. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Cottingham, Olson, and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Olson, seconded by Cottingham, to approve the Local Raffle Permit Application submitted by McLean County Racer's Inc. for 50/50 drawings and a raffle to be held on ten dates at the McLean County Speedway. Discussion followed. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Olson, Cottingham and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Cottingham, seconded by Olson, to approve the following vouchers for payment:

VOUCHER/CHECK REMIT NAME DESCRIPTION AMOUNT UNPAID VOUCHERS

1138 BRAVERA WEALTH QUAR-TERLY FEES 2,622.73; 1138 C AND S REPAIR COOLANT TANK, BRAKES & ROTORS, OIL CHG 1,531.10; 1138 COMPUTER PROJECTS OF IL, INC LICENSES MOBILE MESSENGER 2,400.00; 1138 DACOTAH PAPER COMPANY TP 47.89; 1138 DAKOTA BUSINESS SOLUTIONS INC INK CARTRIDGE 960.00; 1138 HIGHWAY 83 LAWN LEISURE INC BOLTS, FAS-TENERS, SURPLUS SALE 18.58; 1138 HR COLLABORATIVE 2025 VIRTUAL SERIES 100.00; 1138 LANGUAGE LINK INTERPRETER PHONE MIN-UTES 24.34; 1138 LIGHT AND SIREN VAN PARTITION 7,856.15; 1138 LIGHT AND SIREN LAPTOP BASE, MOUNT, AND TRAY 936.00; 1138 LIGNITE TIRE TIRES 1,372.48; 1138 MCLEAN COUNTY RECORDER BENDICKSON EASEMENT 20.00; 1138 MDU UTILI-TIES - GAS 1,341.99, 1138 MIDCON-TINENT CABLE CO CABLE TV 152.27; 1138 ND SURPLUS PROPERTY OMB STALKER RADARS 300.00; 1138 ND WEED CONTROL ASSOC NDWCA 2025 MEMBERSHIP DUES 285.00; 1138 NDACO RESOURCES GROUP IT CONTRACT-MAY 2025 4,020.00; 1138 NDACO RESOURCES GROUP DATTO SERVER BACKUP-MAY 2025 440.00; 1138 NDACO RESOURCES GROUP IT CONTRACT RECORDER-MAY 2025 480.00; 1138 NDSU EXTENSION SAL-ARY-BEDGAR 7,927.35; 1138 NDSU EXTENSION SALARY-MODEREGGER 6,460.99; 1138 QUADIENT FINANCE USA INC POSTAGE MACHINE REFILL 2,000.00; 1138 RAPID FIRE PRO-TECTION INC ANNUAL SPRINKLER INSPECTION 175.00; 1138 ROUGH RIDER INDUSTRIES COURTROOM DESKS 4,459.00; 1138 SCOTTS HARD-WARE OIL, FUSE, HOSE, ETC 63.47; 1138 SCOTTS HARDWARE TANK LEVER, ADHESIVE, DOOR STOP, ETC 117.69; 1138 SCOTTS HARDWARE COAT HOOK, TAPE, COUPLER SET 29.76; 1138 SEATOL GIS DATABASE/ CONSULTING/SOFTWARE 800.00; 1138 US FOODS INMATE MEALS 1,510.62; 1138 WAGON WHEEL LUM-BER INC 2x2 8' FOR TARGET TRAIN-ING 36.72; 1138 WATER PURITY INC WATER 137.00; 1138 WESTERN FRONTIER INSAGENCY RENEW NO-TARY BOND-BLOTSKE 100.00; 1138 WEX HEALTH MONTHLY ADMIN FEE 77.00; 1138 WILTON FARMERS UNION OIL CO OIL CHANGES 282.89; 1138 WM CORPORATE SERVICES INC PARK - 8 YARD DUMPSTER 1,101.11

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT 1137 JOHN DEERE FINANCIAL

Land Use Administrator Todd Schreiner joined the meeting and presented three applications from the Planning and Zoning Commission meeting held on April 21, 2025.

Moved by Cottingham, seconded by Olson, to concur with the Planning and Zoning Commission and approve the variance application submitted by Debbie Howe involving land located in Lot 1 Block 2. Lakeview Estates. Section 30. Township 148 North, Range 84 West, The above-named applicants seek a variance to allow the construction of a structure closer than 15 feet from the side lot line, as proclaimed in Subsection 6 of Section 5.2.4 of the revised McLean County Zoning Ordinance as adopted on September 1, 1982 and as amended on May 24, 2022. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Cottingham, Olson, and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Olson, seconded by Cottingham, to concur with the Planning and Zoning Commission and approve the variance application submitted by Jon Markle involving land located in Lot 2, Lodgepole 2nd Addition, Township 148 North, Range 90 West. The applicant seeks a variance to allow the construction of a structure closer than 25 feet from the front lot line, as proclaimed in Subsection 6 of Section 5.2.4 of the revised McLean County Zoning Ordinance as adopted on September 1, 1982 and as amended on May 24, 2022. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Olson, Cottingham and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Olson, seconded by Cottingham to concur with the Planning and Zoning Commission and approve the variance application submitted by Michael Krueger involving land located in 10.003 AC Tract in SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Section 33, Township 148 North, Range 85 West in St Mary's Township. The above-named applicant seekS a variance to allow the construction of a structure closer than 125 feet from the center line of the road, as proclaimed in Subsection 6 of Section 5.2.4 of the revised McLean County Zoning Ordinance as adopted on September 1, 1982 and as amended on May 24, 2022. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Olson, Cottingham and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the Chairperson declared the meeting adjourned at 9:05 a.m. The commission minutes and agenda can be found on the county website at https://www. mcleancountynd.gov.

Steve Lee, Chairperson Lynda Snyder. Administrative Assistant

(May 15, 2025)

# Makoti City **Meeting Minutes**

The Makoti City Council met on Wednesday, May 7, 2025, 8:00 PM at the Makoti City Hall. Those in attendance were Mavor Karna. S.Huus. Howell, C.Huus, Sanborn, and Butterfield. Mayor Karna called the meeting to order, along with minutes, financials, and bills for the month. A motion was made by Howell, seconded by Sanborn, to accept the consent agenda including minutes from the previous meeting, monthly financial reports, and bills to be paid. RCV/MC. Expenses for the month are all employee salaries, automatic utility payments, Circle Sanitation \$1,131.50, NorDak North \$50.20, FDHU \$30.00, Enerbase \$300.02, and Dept. Of

### White Shield School Meeting Minutes

#### April 14, 2025

Board Members Present: Cody White Bear, Holly Felix, Danile Henry, Angelita Felix

Administration Present: Wayne Fox, Traci Ruhland, Bernie Jorgenson. Stacey Blacksmith, Barb Miller-both left meeting at 6:20pm.

Guests Present: Amy Massett, Madonna Dickens, Brooknee Boyer, Karen Heinzen, Pat Fox.

Pledge of Allegiance, Prayer and Roll Call

Meeting called to order: 5:36 p.m. AGENĎA

2025-04-14-03. Holly F. motioned

to approve the current agenda adding Madonna Dickens as a guest; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. Motion Carried Unanimously.

MINUTES

2025-04-14-04. Holly F. motioned to approve the March 17, 2025 Meeting Minutes; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. MCU.

GUESTS

Amy Massett, MHA Education Dept: Shared that her department serves as a liaison between the tribe and the school. Discussed a possible position for an Education Advocate and gave information on various services they could provide to the school.

Madonna Dickens: Discussed concerns with the Board.

Meeting moved into Executive Session at 6:28 per NDCC 15-10-17(7).

Meeting moved back into Regular Session at 6:40.

2025-04-14-05. Holly F motioned to approve a student transfer into the school district; seconded by Cody WB with discussion. Approved. MCU.

FINANCIALS

2025-04-14-05. Holly F. motioned to approve Fund 1 District: Mar. 2025; seconded by Danile H. Approved. MCU.

2025-04-14-05. Holly F. motioned to approve Fund 2 BIE Grant: Mar. 2025; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. MCU

2025-04-14-05. Danile H. motioned to approve Fund 4 TAT: Mar. 2025; seconded by Holly F. Approved. MCU.

2025-04-14-05. Holly F. motioned to approve Fund 5 School Lunch: Mar. 2025; seconded by Danile H. Approved. MCU.

2025-04-14-05. Danile H. motioned to approve Fund 6 Student Activity: Mar. 2025; seconded by Holly F. Approved. MCU

2025-04-14-05. Holly F. motioned to approve Fund 8 School Quarters: Mar. 2025; seconded by Danile H. Approved. MCU.

2025-04-14-05. Holly F. motioned to approve Fund 9 Facilities Management: Mar. 2025; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. MCU.

OLD BUSINESS

None noted.

NEW BUSINESS

The Superintendent Evaluation will be moved to a Special Meeting April 22 at 1:00.

PERSONNEL

2025-04-14-09. Danile H. motioned to hire Jennifer Mountain to help in the kitchen with a starting rate of \$16/hr pending background check; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. MCU.

2025-04-14-09. Holly F. motioned to hire Clarissa Marsette for the Head Cook position with her start date to coincide with the start of Summer School, pending background check and a starting rate of \$25/hr; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. MCU.

hire Shaunna Knife as a Grade 7 teacher, effective immediately; seconded by Danile H. Approv~d. MCU. REPORTS

Superintendent Report, Wayne F: Noted that he is working with NDSBA to have our updated policies on our district website. Principals are working on PD. The Mandaree School Pow Wow will be April 16; Our School Prom will be May 2; Elementary Spring Concert May 7 and the Shrine Circus is May 8-10; Elementary Field Day is May 20.

2025-04-14-I0a. Holly F. motioned to approve the Federal Program Budget for SY25-26 with discussion; seconded by Danile H. Approved. MCU.

2025-04-14-I0a. Danile H. motioned to approve the Calendar for SY25-26 as written, with discussion; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. MCU.

2025-04-14-l0a. Danile H. motioned to approve out of state travel for Wayne, Bernie and Holly to attend the Michael D Hughes BIE Budget Workshop in Albuquerque, New Mexico April 23-24; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. MCU.

Elem. Principal Report, Barb M: no report.

HS Principal Report, Stacey B: no report.

Transportation Report, Frank F: Noted they are awaiting summer school schedules to plan for bussing; also noted some safety and parking congestion issues he is seeing. Wayne will implement increased safety measures for after school.

Facilities Report, Donovan D. per written report presented by Wayne F.: Noted that a water heater booster pump is on order; all HVAC systems are in good working order; Lawn mower and weed sprayer-servicing is in process; all gym mechanical devices have been inspected. All housing units are occupied, and inspections are in process. The sprinkler system will start next week with seed, fertilizer and spraying weeds as needed.

Athletic Director Report, Sheldon R: Discussed 5-7 potential summer camps for football, volleyball, basketball and track. He also has interested individuals in the advertised coaching positions. Also, noted that former Coach Julius Poitra is being inducted into the NAIA Hall of Fame June 7 in Wisconsin. Noted that Track is going well; and Elementary wrestling wrapped up and the season went well.

2025-04-14-I0f. Holly F. motioned to honor Julius Poitra with gifts from the school for his Hall of Fame induction; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. MCU.

2025-04-14-I0f. Holly F. motioned to approve hiring Jason Dudley as the JH and High School Asst. Track Coach for two contracts beginning the first day of practice; seconded by Angelita F. Approved. MCU.

Kitchen Report, Eunice C: Hearing good reports from staff and students on the school lunches; A deep clean was done or Spring Break in anticipation of the spring health inspection; Working on clearing up prior deficiencies from both SNP and SFSP; the SFSP Application will be submitted to DPI for review soon; storage areas have been inspected or outdated/expired meals and proper product rotation is being implemented. ADJOURNMENT

2025-04-14-11. Holly F. motioned to adjourn meeting at 8:14 p.m.; seconded by Danile H. Approved. MCU.

Date Approved May 12, 2025 (May 15, 2025)

that the boring will not interrupt traffic. These requests and a map with locations for the boring are on file with the McLean County Highway Department. Discussion followed

Moved by Olson, seconded by Cottingham, to approve all three boring permits as presented. Roll Call Vote: Aye: Olson, Cottingham, and Lee, Nav: None, Motion carried Discussion followed

Knutson stated that the previously scheduled public hearing for the petition filed to vacate the previously described access way set for April 22, 2025 needs to be rescheduled as the publication was not done correctly.

Moved by Cottingham, seconded by Olson, to reschedule the previously scheduled public hearing to May 20th at 9:00 a.m. in the McLean County Commission Room. Roll Call Vote: Ave: Cottingham, Olson, and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried

Knutson presented a Gaming Site Authorization Application submitted by Garrison Area Improvement Inc. for bingo, raffles, pull tab jar, pull tab dispensing device, electronic pull tab FILTERS & OIL 1.588.46: 1137 WOLD ENGINEERING PC PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING PROJ B-24 12,537.50 DIRECT DEPOSIT

1136 ANNA SIX INMATE MEALS & CPR TRAINING 165.23; 1136 CHAD A WIEGE MEALS 252.00; 1136 HEATHER D CLINE WAHL CLIPPER 28.62; 1136 HEIDI ANDERSON TRAVEL 56.00; 1136 JERICHO SWANSON MEALS 157.00; 1136 KAMILE MODEREGGER MILEAGE 23.10; 1136 TODD SCH-REINER MILEAGE 320.60; 1136 TODD SCHREINER MEALS 86.00; 1136 TRISTAN THOMPSON MEALS 108.00: 1136 TYLER D ZOOK MEALS 67.00 ON DEMAND/MANUAL CHECKS 401067 DACOTAH PAPER CAN LINERS, TP, FOAM SOAP, BLEACH, ETC 387.26; 1133 WEX BANK FLEET CARD GASOLINE 17,709.25; 1135 ENTERPRISE FLEET MANAGEMENT LEASE CHARGES 9,281.02

Roll Call Vote: Aye: Cottingham, Olson and Lee. Nay: None. Motion carried. Chairperson Lee recessed the meeting at 8:50 a.m.

Chairperson Lee reconvened the meeting at 8:56 a.m.

Environmental Quality \$498.10.

Old business was discussed. The 2024 Model Ordinances were discussed, including city meeting day, elections, abandoned properties, and water/ sewer hook-ups. S.Huus will check with League of Cities to see what steps need to be taken to adopt new ordinances. Late water bills were discussed and most are paid or will be paid in the next couple of weeks.

New business was discussed Outdoor warning siren tests are scheduled to start on May 12. Campers being put on city lots were discussed; they can only be on certain designated lots in town. Signs will be put up at the dump and the city building. There will be a memorial for Keith Smette on July 13. The Threshing Show was discussed, along with other city events coming up. Discussion was held. C.Huus made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Howell. -Stephanie Huus Auditor

(May. 15, 2025)

2025-04-14-09. Holly F. motioned to

#### NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR BIDS

The South McLean County Soil Conservation District Board of Supervisors, McLean County, North Dakota, will open sealed bids in the following categories in their office at 24 East 2nd Ave, Turtle Lake, North Dakota on Tuesday, June 10, 2025

ITEM NO. 1 - 9:00 A.M.

1999 F150 LONG BOX SINGLE CAB PICKUP. Bids to be submitted in sealed envelope with bidder info to include: Name, Physical Address (for bill of sale purposes only), Phone Number & Bid Amount.

Bids to be addressed to the South McLean County Soil Conservation District and plainly marked on the outside of the sealed envelope and labeled "BID FOR 1999 F150 PICKUP"

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive informalities or technicalities and to accept the bid or bids which appear in the best interest of the South McLean County Soil Conservation District.

Bid may be mailed to the office at South McLean County Soil Conservation District (PO Box 537) or dropped off in person at the office of the South McLean County Soil Conservation District (24 East 2nd Ave), Turtle Lake, ND 58575. Bids must be received no later than 2:00pm, June 9th, 2025 to be considered.

Dated this 8th day of April 2025.

BY ORDER OF THE SOUTH MCLEAN COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Christiana Kelly, District Manager

(May. 8, 15, 22, 29 & June 5, 2025)