

Public Notice

FOSTER COUNTY INDEPENDENT

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Election for elective officers of the City of McHenry will be held in the City of Carrington, North Dakota, on Tuesday, the 14th of June 2022, to elect the following officers, to wit:

- Council Members – two (2) members at large

The polling place for said election is Carrington Library at 87 8th Ave N, Carrington, ND.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

By order of the McHenry City Council

Tara Jones, City Auditor (Publish March 14th, 2022)

for work. It will be enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to the above-mentioned Airport Authority, 103 Central Ave N, Carrington, North Dakota 58421, and shall be designated that the bid is for "Runway & Taxiway Pavement Rehabilitation." The bid shall be accompanied by a Bidder's Bond in a separate envelope in the amount of five percent (5%) of the full amount of the bid, executed by the Bidder as Principal and by a Surety Company authorized to do business in North Dakota. If the Principal's bid is accepted by the OWNER and the contract awarded, the principal, within ten (10) days after the Notice of Award, will be required to execute and effect a contract in accordance with the terms of the principal's bid and any requirements and conditions of the OWNER.

Bid and Bid Bond must be executed by a principal. The Bid Bond must identify the name and title of the individuals who executed the Bid Bond. Signatures by other than a president, vice president, or CEO, must be accompanied by sufficient evidence (duly executed meeting minutes, resolution, power of attorney, etc) to indicate that the signatory has the authority to bind the company or organization.

A Contractor's Bond, as required by Section 48 01.2-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, shall be included with the executed Contract Documents. The Bid Security shall be as required in Section 48 01.2-05 of the North Dakota Century Code.

All bidders must be licensed for the highest amount of their bids, as provided by Section 43 07 07 of the North Dakota Century Code and a copy of the license or certificate of renewal thereof issued shall be enclosed in the required bid bond envelope.

No bid will be read or considered which does not fully comply with the above provisions as to Bond and Licenses, and any deficient bid submitted will be resealed and returned to the Bidder immediately.

The Carrington Municipal Airport Authority retains the right to reject any or all of the bids submitted and to waive any informality in any bid and to hold all bids for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days and to hold the three low bids and bid securities for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from the date of bid opening.

The successful bidder will be required to comply with all applicable Federal Labor Laws, including minimum wage rate decisions of the United States Department of Labor, which are contained in the advertised specifications. Bidders and sub-bidders are required to comply with Title 29, Code of Federal Regulations (1518, 36 F.R. 7340) promulgated by the United States Secretary of Labor, in accordance with Section 107 of the contract work hours and safety standards act, (82 Stat. 96) not requiring any laborer or mechanic to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous, or dangerous to their health and safety.

The Owner, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, (42 U.S.C. 2000d et seq) and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin in consideration of an award.

A Contractor having 50 or more employees who may be awarded a contract of \$50,000 or more and subcontractors having 50 or more employees and who may be awarded a subcontract of \$50,000 or more will be required to maintain an affirmative action program, the standards for which are contained in the advertised specifications. (41 CFR 60-1.40).

Contractor will be required to submit a certification of non-segregated facilities from all subcontractors for subcontracts exceeding \$10,000.00.

Contractors are subject to the Requirement for Affirmative Action to Ensure Equal Employment Opportunity (Executive Order 11246, as amended), provisions of which are contained in the advertised specifications.

Contractors are subject to the provisions of 49 CFR Part 30, Denial of Public Works Contracts to suppliers of Goods and Services of Countries that Deny Procurement market Access to U.S. Contractors.

The bidder shall submit Disadvantaged Business Enterprise information to the Owner. Contract award is contingent upon compliance with the DBE requirements. The goal for Disadvantaged Business Enterprise participation is 3.00%. Race Conscious, of the contract cost.

The work on the improvements is to commence upon a date to be specified by the Airport Authority, notice of which will be given to the successful bidder ten (10) days in advance of start of construction. The Contractor will be required to complete the project within Sixty (60) calendar days, with the temporary striping to be completed by

October 1st, 2022. The project will be suspended once the temporary pavement markings and runway is opened up for air traffic. Calendar days will continue to be counted when the contractor returns for the permanent pavement markings.

By order of the Carrington Municipal Airport Authority Carrington, North Dakota Jay Bauer, Chairman (Publish March 14, 21 & 28, 2022)

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Election for elective officers of the City of Carrington and the Carrington Park Board will be held in the City of Carrington, North Dakota, on Tuesday, the 14th of June 2022, to elect the following officers, to wit:

- City of Carrington Mayor (four year term)
- Municipal Judge (four year term)
- Council Member – One (1) at large (four year term)
- Council Member -One (1) from 1st Ward (South of Main Street) (four year term)
- Council Member - One (1) from 2nd Ward (North of Main Street) (four year term)
- Park Board Commissioners three (3) Members at Large (four year term)

The polling place for said election is Carrington Library at 87 8th Ave N, Carrington, ND.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

By order of the Carrington City Council

Jennifer Gast, City Auditor (Publish March 14th, 2022)

MIDKOTA SCHOOL BOARD Candidate Filing Notice

Notice is hereby given by Presley Paintner, Business Manager of Midkota School District #7, that on the second Tuesday of June, June 14th, 2022, an annual election will be held for the purpose of electing four members, one representing the GSM Precinct, one representing the Binford Precinct, one representing the Grace City Precinct, and one representing the At Large precinct for a term of three years to the Midkota School Board. Terms shall become effective July 1st, 2022.

An individual seeking election to the Midkota School Board shall prepare and sign a document (Statement of Intent) stating the individual's name and the position for which that individual is a candidate. A candidate shall also file a Statement of Interests as required by section 16.1.-09-02. The documents must be filed with the school district's Business Manager or mailed to and in the possession of the Business Manager by 4:00 p.m. on the 64th day before the election (NDCC 15.1-09-08). The closing date and time for filing is April 11, 2022, at 4:00 PM.

Presley Paintner Business Manager Midkota School District #7 (Publish March 14, 2022)

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Election for elective officers of the City of Glenfield will be held in the City of Carrington, North Dakota, on Tuesday, the 14th of June 2022, to elect the following officers, to wit:

- Council Members – two (2) members at large

The polling place for said election is Carrington Library at 87 8th Ave N, Carrington, ND.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

By order of the Glenfield City Council

Paulette Hoyt, City Auditor (Publish March 14th, 2022)

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County Election for elective officers of the County of Foster will be held in the City of Carrington, North Dakota, on Tuesday, the 14th of June 2022, to elect the following officers, to wit:

- County Commissioner – One (1) from District 2 (4 year term)
- County Commissioner – One (1) from District 4 (4 year term)
- County Auditor – at large (4 year term)
- County State's Attorney at large (4 year term)
- County Recorder – at large (4 year term)
- County Treasurer – at large (4 year term)
- County Sheriff – at large (4 year term)
- County Official Newspaper

The polling place for said election is Carrington Library at 87 8th Ave N, Carrington, ND.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

By order of the Foster County Commission Brad Solberg, County Auditor (Publish March 14, 2022)

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Election for elective officers of the City of Grace City will be held in the City of Carrington, North Dakota, on Tuesday, the 14th of June 2022, to elect the following officers, to wit:

- Council Members – two (2) members at large
- Park Board Commissioners two (2) members at large

The polling place for said election is Carrington Library at 87 8th Ave N, Carrington, ND.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

By order of the Grace City Council

Sheri Ellingson, City Auditor (Publish March 14th, 2022)

Proceedings OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF FOSTER COUNTY FEBRUARY 1, 2022

At 3:30pm, Chairman Copenhaver called the Foster County Commission meeting to order. Roll call included Commissioner Alan Scanson (via phone), Commissioner Becky Hagel, Commissioner David Utke (via phone), Commissioner Scott Beumer, and Commissioner Pat Copenhaver. Also, present were Auditor Brad Solberg, Road Superintendent Nate Monson, and Foster County Independent Reporter Leasa Lura.

The meeting began with approval of the minutes. Commissioner Hagel made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 20th, 2022, regular meeting seconded by Commissioner Beumer. All voted aye and the motion passed.

Commissioner Beumer made a motion to approve the bills, seconded by Commissioner Hagel. All voted aye and the motion passed.

Bills: 33067, Balco Uniform Co., Inc., \$157.65; 33068, Brinster Law, P.C., 205.64; 33069, Central City H20+, 13.50; 33070, Central City Lumber, Inc., 365.17; 33071, Computer Express, 258.25; 33072, Dan Poland Machine, Inc., 157.00; 33073, Department of Transportation, 7,968.91; 33074, Jeremiah Blahna, 3,908.75; 33075, John Deere Financial, 233.00; 33076, KC Ag Services, LLC, 2,375.00; 33077, Larrabee Township, 19,553.56; 33078, Little Falls Machine, Inc., 99.84; 33079, ND Association of Counties, 280.50.

33080, Normont Equipment Co., 1,502.28; 33081, Office Depot, 88.94; 33082, OK Tire Store, 3,903.50; 33083, Quadiant Finance, 500.00; 33084, Software Innovations, 9,500.00; 33085, Vanguard Appraisals, Inc., 1,100.00; 33086, William J. Gale, 69.62.

Commissioner Utke asked to have FirstNet added to the agenda. Commissioner Beumer made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Commissioner Hagel. All voted aye and the motion passed.

New Business Nate Monson, Road Superintendent, approached the BOCC with an update from the Road Department. Monson stated since the last meeting there had been 7" of snow. Monson stated that forced air heaters were finished and are working great. Monson mentioned that Foster County has had to hire out pushback of snow on roads. Monson said that there have been 242 hours on the 2 trucks in the month of January, 612 hours on the 4 blades and 1,200 miles on the dually.

Commissioner Utke told the BOCC that he, Monson and Solberg met with FirstNet to go over possible options to help with the high volume of phone calls going to the Road Superintendent. The BOCC asked Solberg to work with FirstNet to find out costs for push to talk devices for each blade.

Auditor Solberg brought a Beer/Wine license to the BOCC for Cows and Co Creamery. Commissioner Hagel made a motion to approve the Beer/Wine license, seconded by Commissioner Beumer. All voted aye and the motion passed.

Auditor Solberg approached the BOCC with a letter from the Office of State Court Administrator. This letter gave the BOCC two options to pay for Clerk of Court services. Option 1- the board of commissioners may elect to enter into a funding agreement for the 2023-2025 biennium to receive reimbursement for providing clerk services, or Option 2- the board of commissioners may elect to provide clerk of district court services at the county's own expense. Commissioner Beumer made a motion to take option 1, seconded by Commissioner Hagel. All voted aye and the motion passed.

The BOCC discussed misc. items located in the basement of the Public Health Building. Commissioner Hagel stated that she would go over and look at what items were in the basement. She would determine what could be thrown, auctioned, or kept. With no further business, Commissioner Copenhaver adjourned the meeting at 4:00pm.

FEBRUARY 15, 2022

At 3:30pm, Chairman Copenhaver called the Foster County Commission meeting to order. Roll call included Commissioner

Alan Scanson, Commissioner Becky Hagel, Commissioner David Utke (via phone), Commissioner Scott Beumer, and Commissioner Pat Copenhaver. Also, present were Auditor Brad Solberg, Road Superintendent Nate Monson, Foster County States Attorney Kara Brinster and Foster County Independent Reporter Leasa Lura.

The meeting began with approval of the minutes. Commissioner Scanson made a motion to approve the minutes of the February 1st, 2022, regular meeting seconded by Commissioner Hagel. All voted aye and the motion passed.

Commissioner Hagel made a motion to approve the bills, seconded by Commissioner Scanson. All voted aye and the motion passed.

Bills: 33186, 701 Wash, \$180.00; 33187, Amazon Capital Services, Inc., 284.37; 33188, Arrowwood Prairie Co-op, 1,378.27; 33189, Becky Hagel, 45.00; 33190, Berts Truck Equipment of MHD, Inc., 808.64; 33191, Bessette Motors, Inc., 68.78; 33192, Briss Oil Company, 193.00; 33193, Butler Machinery Company, 3,061.20; 33194, C&J Oil Company, 13,985.16; 33195, Carrington Motors, Inc., 232.10; 33196, Carrot-Top Industries, 197.11; 33197, Cenex - Fleet Fueling, 63.96; 33198, CMF, 5,797.23; 33199, Dacotah Paper Company, 115.85.

33200, Dakota Dust-Tex, Inc., 115.50; 33201, Dr. Jay Bauer, 45.00; 33202, Foster County Independent, 670.77; 33203, Holly N. Ziemann, 45.00; 33204, Information Technology Dept., 978.70; 33205, Lake Region Law Enforcement Center, 280.74; 33206, Little Falls Machine, Inc., 138.50; 33207, NACVSO, 50.00; 33208, NAPA Auto Parts, 1,557.83; 33209, ND Association of Counties, 5,869.00.

33210, ND Association of County and Tribal VSO, 125.00; 33211, ND SACCHO, 500.00; 33212, ND Sheriff's & Deputies Association, 400.00; 33213, ND State Radio Communication, 16,848.00; 33214, NDACO Resources Group, 80.00; 33215, Office Depot, 154.87; 33216, Office of Attorney General - 1250, 565.00; 33217, OK Tire Store, 56.40; 33218, P.A. C.K. Construction, Inc., 340.00; 33219, Patriot Fuels, 44.50.

33220, PharmChem, Inc., 188.70; 33221, Runnings Supply, Inc., 301.23; 33222, Schroeder Construction, 465.00; 33223, Stutsman Co. Correction Center, 750.00; 33224, USPS, 100.00.

Commissioner Scanson asked to have ARPA added to the agenda. Commissioner Beumer made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Commissioner Scanson. All voted aye and the motion passed.

Old Business Commissioner Hagel stated that she will need to get over to Public Health to look at what is in their basement.

New Business Nate Monson, Road Superintendent, approached the BOCC with an update from the Road Department. Monson stated since the last meeting there had been 4" of snow. Monson stated that there needed to be some work done to the blade at the Grace City Shop. Monson also stated that Truck #1 had a hydraulic hose break, and that Truck #5 was being looked at

to see what repairs needed to be done.

Auditor Solberg brought a Bingo Permit to the BOCC for Caring-Ton Preschool. Commissioner Beumer made a motion to approve the Bingo Permit, seconded by Commissioner Scanson. All voted aye and the motion passed.

Auditor Solberg approached the BOCC with a letter from a concerned citizen about section line obstructions. States Attorney Brinster wrote a memo to the BOCC. Memo Stated:

In all townships in this state ... section lines are public roads open for public travel to the width of 33 feet on either side of the section line. NDCC 24-07-03

The board of Township Supervisors of any township in the state has general supervision over the roads, highways, and bridges throughout the township. NDCC 24-06-01

The BOCC asked auditor Solberg to write that memo into a letter to the concerned citizen.

Tax Equalization Director Karen Evans approached the BOCC with an abatement for Terri Allery. The abatement was \$78.53. Commissioner Scanson made a motion to approve the abatement, seconded by Commissioner Beumer. All voted aye and the motion passed.

Commissioner Scanson asked what the BOCC has heard about ARPA funds and what they can be used on. Auditor Solberg stated that the federal government has allowed Counties to allocate up to \$10 million of their total Recovery Fund allocation to spend on government services. Foster County only received \$623,000 so all can be used on government services.

With no further business, Commissioner Copenhaver adjourned the meeting at 4:09pm.

Brad Solberg, Auditor Pat Copenhaver, Chairman, Foster County Board of Commissioners (Publish March 14, 2022)

ABBREVIATED NOTICE OF INTENT TO ENACT & AMEND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

RELATING TO NORTH DAKOTA PRIVATE INVESTIGATION AND SECURITY BOARD EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR RESPONSIBILITIES, FEES, AND PROVIDE REGULATION FOR THE ARMED FIRST RESPONDER IN SCHOOL OR AMBULANCE OR FIREFIGHTER CREW TRAINING PROGRAM.

North Dakota Private Investigative and Security Board (NSPISB)

will hold a public hearing to address proposed changes to the N.D. Admin Code at

Sanford Officers Training Center 201 14th St. NW Mandan, ND 58554 Fri., April 8, 2022 9:00 a.m.

A copy of the proposed rules may be obtained by writing the NDPISB at 513 East Bismarck Expressway, Suite 5, Bismarck, ND 58504 or calling (701) 222-3063. Furthermore, written comments may be submitted to the same address until April 20, 2022. If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the NDPISB at the above telephone number or address at least ten (10) days prior to the public hearing. Dated this 4th day of March, 2022. John J. Shorey III Executive Director

A to Z it's ALL in the CLASSIFIEDS Foster County INDEPENDENT 652-3181

SCHOOL BOARD

Carrington School District Regular School Board Meeting Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2022 Place: High School ITV Room

- I. CALL TO ORDER: 4:00 p.m.
- II. REGULAR ITEMS
 - A. Additions or Corrections to the Agenda
 - B. Approve Minutes - February 8, 2022
 - C. Approve Financial Reports
 1. Activities Fund
 2. Revolving Fund
 3. Lunch Fund
 4. General Fund
 5. Fund Balance Reports
 - D. Presentation of Bills and Check Register
- III. DISCUSSION ITEMS
 - A. Administrative Reports
 1. Mrs. Helseth
 2. Mr. Bitz
 3. Mr. Kuehn
 - B. Committee Reports
- IV. ACTION ITEMS
 1. Motion to Accept Stadium '76 Demolition Bid
 2. Motion to Accept Stadium '76 Concrete Bid
 3. Motion to Approve the Superintendent Evaluation
 4. Motion to Approve the First Reading of the Board Policy Updates
 5. Motion to Approve Open Enrollment Agreements
 6. Motion to Accept Renomination Letters
 - a. April Foth - Counselor
 - b. Pat Boehmer - Assistant High School Football Coach
 7. Motion to Offer Contracts to new Employees
 - a. Lauren Roscoe - Elementary Teacher
 - b. Taylor Matteson - Counselor
 8. Motion to Approve Offering 2022-2023 Teacher Contracts
- V. NEXT REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, April 12, 2022, at 4:00 p.m. in the High School ITV Room
- VI. ADJOURNMENT

Enjoy reading your local news in the FOSTER COUNTY INDEPENDENT!

Minutes of Meeting

MINUTES OF MEETING JANUARY 10, 2022

The regular meeting for the City of Sykeston was held on January 10, 2022. Present was Mayor Kim Speldrich, Council member Rick Richter, auditor Deanna Haugen, Tom Klabunde called in from Moore Engineering. Absent was Jerome Lies.

December meeting minutes were read and approved first by Rick Richter and second by Kim Speldrich.

January bills were presented: Central Plains Water \$888.78; Ottertail Power city, 634.31; Ottertail 1/2 power, 166.07; DCT, 42.93; ND Dept of Health, 28.00; Double M Sanitation, 2,098.79; Independent, 47.45; Deanna Haugen, 507.92; Chris McIntosh, 277.05; Tim Bold, 20.00; Running's, 25.58; League of Cities, 2022 Dues, 331.00; Postage, 79.05.

Motion to pay bills first by Rick Richter and second by Kim Speldrich.

Tax Equalization meeting is April 11th at 8:00 p.m. City council meeting to follow.

Partial payment #7 for the water construction, 16,530.00; Motion to pay first by Kim Speldrich and second by Rick Richter. Meeting adjourned.

Next council meeting February 14, 2022.

Deanna Haugen, Auditor Kim Speldrich, Mayor, City Council City of Sykeston (Publish March 14, 2022)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received for the "Runway & Taxiway Pavement Rehabilitation", IE project #J21-00-045, in Carrington, North Dakota. Bids will be received by the Carrington Municipal Airport Authority, at the Carrington City Hall, located at 103 Central Ave N., Carrington, ND, until 2:00 P.M. (CT) on Tuesday, April 5th, 2022, and then at said office all bids properly submitted will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids can be mailed to 103 10th Ave N, PO Box 501, Carrington, ND 58421.

Digital copies of the Bidding Documents are available at www.interstateeng.com or www.questcdn.com for a fee of \$30.00. These documents may be downloaded by selecting this project from the "Bid Documents" tab and by entering Quest Project Number 8136356 on the "Search Projects" page. For assistance and free membership registration, contact QuestCDN at (952) 233-1632 or info@questcdn.com. Paper copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from Interstate Engineering located at 1903 12th Avenue SW, Jamestown, ND, for a fee of \$165.00 per set. The bidding and contract documents may also be examined at the same location. Any technical questions may be directed to Ben Aaseth PE at (701) 269-3962.

The project will consist of the following approximate quantities: 37,500 SY Cold Milling, 40,000 LF Crack Repair, 6,000 tons of Hot Bituminous Pavement, and additional work. Each bid will be submitted on the basis of a cash payment