

**OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE LAMOURE COUNTY BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MEETING-Tuesday, July 7th, 2026**

At 8:39 am Chairman Bruce Klein called the meeting to order and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and roll call. Commissioners present: Robert Flath, Wayne Wald, Jason Weigel and Keith Heidinger. Also present in person were: Jan Hamlin, Auditor; Fallon Kelly, States Attorney; Darrick Nitschke, Highway Superintendent; Bryan Tykwinski, KLJ; Trent with Butler Machinery, Art Hagebock, LaMoure County Chronicle; and Paul Konrad. Virtual was Kimberly Robbins.

Chairman Klein called for additions to the agenda. Comm Weigel added prisoners to the agenda. Comm Heidinger made a motion to approve the agenda with the addition, seconded by Comm Wald. All voting aye, motion carried.

The June 16th minutes were reviewed. A motion was made by Comm Wald to approve the minutes with corrections, seconded by Comm Flath. All voting aye, motion carried.

Chairman Klein called for public comment. States Attorney, Fallon Kelly, gave recommendation to not engage in anything of relation to the 'letter of complaint' that was received by the county, unless under Executive session.

Darrick Nitschke, Road Superintendent, presented quotes from CAT/Butler and John Deere for two 2027 blades. These quotes are good for 30-days and would involve trading in two blades and the grinder. At this time the board has tabled the discussion and will return to it after budget meetings. Next, Darrick informed the board on the Prairie Dog status. Disbursements will occur around November, with funds planned for hot in place recycle. A future project to look at are the Nortonville Road and CR 64. Darrick presented a driveway permit for Jordan Nitschke, south of Jud on CR 35. Comm Weigle made a motion to grant the permit, seconded by Comm Wald. All voting aye, motion carried. Comm Flath made a motion to sign the contract with Dustrol, Inc, seconded by Comm Wald. All voting aye, motion carried. Bryan, KLJ, presented a \$125,000 contract with KLJ for the contract with Dustrol Inc. Comm Flath made a motion to sign presented contract, seconded by Comm Heidinger. All voting aye, motion carried. Lastly Darrick closed with CR 65 is not done, it is requiring two more lifts of gravel.

Bryan Tykwinski with KLJ reported the Adrian bridge has opened as of Friday. Grand Rapids beams are set. Next, they will be pouring the deck in a few weeks.

Holly Braun, Agri Valley Insurance, reported to the board that it is renewal time for the County's insurance coverage. Not much has really changed as the values of the buildings were assessed last year.

Haylee Viger, ND Dept of Agriculture- Agriculture & Livestock Development Specialist, presented to the board a Regional Livestock Development and Planning Grant. This is aimed towards the county, townships and regional planning councils for livestock development planning. The grant program would put together GIS maps to find the good, better and best land for; water, road networks and electric sites for ag and livestock development. The study takes roughly around 6 months. There is no cost to the county to participate. The commission has chosen to get NDSU Extension up to speed and will add to a future agenda if seen fit to participate.

Comm Heidinger made a motion to approve the Memorial Park Country Club Local Permit, seconded by Comm Weigel. All voting aye, motion carried.

Wildlife Land was removed from the agenda as it was handled yesterday.

Cindy Worrel, Treasurer, presented an abatement for Mr. Ost there was a double up on parcels which will result in a refund as it was paid twice. Cindy also had an addition of county property holding onto tax specials. Comm Flath made a motion to approve the adjustments as presented, seconded by Comm Wald. All voting aye, motion carried.

Comm Weigel updated the board on the Prisoner State Grant setup, at this time everything is still at a standstill.

The county bills were reviewed. A motion was made by Comm Flath to pay bills as presented, seconded by Comm Weigel. All voting aye, motion carried.

Vendor Name	Amount
ABERDEEN MASONRY, INC.	96513.5
ADVANCED BUSINESS METHODS	469.84
ALLIED ENERGY	53,621.70
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	249.18
ANDERSON BROS., INC.	1,358.58
AUTO VALUE LAMOURE	5.39
BAKKEGARD & SCHELL, INC.	1,025.70
BARNES RURAL WATER DISTRICT	76.40
BOTTOMS UP	75.00
BRINSTER LAW, P.C.	240.00
BUILDERS MART	1,210.64
BUTLER MACHINERY COMPANY	415.07
CHS DAKOTA PLAINS AG	1,934.52
CITY OF FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA	14.00
CITY OF KULM	83.67
CITY OF LAMOURE	506.95
COMPUTER EXPRESS	246.11
COUNTIES PROVIDING TECHNOLOGY	2,770.00
DACOTAH PAPER CO.	107.76

Vendor Name	Amount
DAKOTA DYNAMICS	2,500.00
DAKOTA FLUID POWER, INC.	5,062.03
DAKOTA VALLEY ELECTRIC	64.68
DAKOTA VALLEY SERVICES	673.94
DATHE CONSTRUCTION	1,050.00
DICKEY RURAL COMMUNICATIONS	1,235.22
DINGER/DANIELLE	189.95
DIRECT ELECTRIC INC	333.26
GENERAL EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES	4,915.06
GLAXOSMITHKLINE LLC	506.97
GOOD OIL COMPANY	10,972.62
GOOD/LAURIE	657.25
HEARTLAND STATE BANK/VISA	317.87
HI-WAY SERVICENTER, INC	3,192.63
HIGHWAY 13 SPRAY FOAM LLC	18,500.00
HOMETOWN ELECTRIC LLC	212.50
JOHN DEERE FINANCIAL	192.06
KELLY/FALLON	2,897.91
L & S WORREL TRUCKING, INC.	101,586.00
LAMOURE COUNTY CHRONICLE	1,770.44
LAMOURE DRUG STORE	29.90
LAMOURE FEED & SEED	116.25
LAMOURE FOODS, INC.	51.83
LAMOURE HARDWARE	1,701.91
LAMOURE PARTS CENTER	1,421.59
LINDE GAS & EQUIPMENT, INC	11.88
MONTANA DAKOTA UTILITIES	44.19
ND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	20,932.57
OAKES TRUCK & TRAILER, LLC	6,189.95
OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL - 1250	742.00
ON THE ROCKS BAR AND GRILL	50.00
OTTERTAIL POWER COMPANY	1,516.13
PEPSI-COLA	419.07
QUILL CORPORATION	716.21
RACINE/JULIANNE	403.83
RANSOM COUNTY AUDITOR	8,256.69
ROBBINS/KIMBERLY	98.60
SAFETY KLEEN SYSTEMS, INC.	547.65
STUTSMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE	55.00
STUTSMAN RURAL WATER DISTRICT	55.64
TRUENORTH STEEL	14,375.24
VERIZON CONNECT NWF INC	347.74
VERIZON WIRELESS	440.95

Vendor Name	Amount
VISTOS CARQUEST	1,448.70
WAHIAKUM COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE	115.00
1ST QUALITY ROOFING	11,442.50

Chairman Klein adjourned the meeting at 10:56 a.m.

APPROVED THIS 21ST DAY OF JULY, 2026

BRUCE KLEIN, Chairman

ATTEST:

JAN HAMLIN, County Auditor

7/7/2026 Minutes