

ZIEBACH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

August 6, 2025

The Ziebach County Commissioners met in regular session at 1:00 PM with Rick Farlee, Bill Henderson, David Pesicka, Shane Farlee, and Tucker Stocklin present. Chairman R. Farlee called the meeting to order.

The following monies were on deposit as of the end of July 2025:

Cash on Hand	\$ 200.00
In Transit	138.93
1 st Financial Bank, Dupree	3,000.00
Money Market, Dupree	1,928,370.15
CD – 12 Month	151,040.11
CD – 18 Month	<u>155,650.91</u>
TOTAL	\$ 2,238,400.10

The following fees were reported for the month of July 2025:

Register of Deeds	\$ 1,378.75
-------------------	-------------

Minutes: Comm. Bill Henderson moved to approve the minutes as presented, seconded by Comm.

Tucker Stocklin, all voted aye, motion carried.

New Business: Commissioner Rick Farlee brought up some areas of concern with the roads including Bernie Anderson's Road, the Beigler road, and Erling Olson's Road. Commissioner S. Farlee mentioned graveling the dirt road

Hwy Dept. Report: Jeff Jensen, acting Highway Superintendent, presented his written report before the commission.

Jack Lawrence – Full Time Operator - began employment in the highway department at on July 8, 2025 at \$20.40 per hour.

Shane Bad Warrior – Full Time Equipment Operator – terminated July 15th 2025.

Sheriff's Report: Gary Cudmore, Sheriff presented his monthly report to the Board. Ziebach County helped with the Timberlake, Eagle Butte, Isabel and Faith celebrations. Sheriff Cudmore requested to purchase body cameras. Comm. Stocklin moved to approve of purchase of body cameras, seconded by Comm. Henderson, all voted aye, motion carried.

Riley Garrigan: Garrigan requested for the board to close a section line that runs through his property. States Attorney Penfield informed Mr. Garrigan what steps need to be taken to have that happen.

Josephine Jiron: Ms. Jiron was requesting for a payment plan on back taxes on her dad property. Auditor presented an email informing the board she was unable to make the trip due to medical reasons. Commissioner are currently not accept payment plans for past due taxes.

Easement: Eddie Beer has requested an easement for an approach for NW1/, Section 35, T17N, R20E BHM, Ziebach County, South Dakota. Comm. Henderson moved to approve the easement, seconded by Comm. S Farlee, all voted aye, motioned carried.

FUEL QUOTES: The following quotes for diesel received on 7-14-2025: Farmers Union Oil Co. – Dyed #2 DSL (2000 Gal.), \$2.74. Agtegra –Dyed #2 DSL, \$2.84. Accepted FUOC

Gas Quotes: Quotes received for the month of August for gas were from Farmers Union Oil Co. -SNL \$2.55; NL, \$2.80 Agtegra -SNL \$2.729. Comm. Stocklin moved to accept the quotes from Farmers Union Oil Co., seconded by Comm. Pesicka, all aye, motion carried.

Executive Session: Comm. Pesicka made a motion to go into executive session at 2:08 PM to discuss personnel, seconded by S.Farlee., all aye, motion carried. Shane Penfield, states attorney, and Jessie Donovan, Auditor, Gary Cudmore Sheriff, was also present. The Board came out of executive session at 2:17 PM.

Executive Session: Comm. Pesicka made a motion to go into executive session at 2:44 PM to discuss personnel, seconded by S.Farlee., all aye, motion carried. Shane Penfield, states attorney, and Jessie Donovan, was also present. The Board came out of executive session at 2:53 PM

Speed Bumps: Will Anders is requesting speed limits signs be installed which Highway Superintendent has already installed sign for 10 MPH. Will is willing to wait to see if it slows traffic down before installing speed bumps at this time.

2026 Provisional Budget Approval: The Board reviewed and approved the 2026 provisional budget. Comm. Bill Henderson moved to accept the 2026 Budget. Comm. Stocklin seconded the motion. All voted aye, motion carried. Final budget approval will be made in September after publication has been made.

Motor Grader : Commissioners received bids from Butler Cat and RDO for 2 new Motor Graders. Comm. Pesicka to accept the quote from Butler Cat, seconded by Comm. Stocklin, roll call voting, R. Farlee -No, B. Henderson – no, D. Pesicka – Yes, S. Farlee – No, T. Stocklin – Yes, motion failed.

Comm. S. Farlee moved to accept RDO quote, seconded by Comm. Henderson, roll call vote, R. Farlee - Yes, B. Henderson – Yes, D. Pesicka – No, S. Farlee – Yes, T. Stocklin – No, motioned carried.

2025 County Convention September 8th & 9th: Comm. Henderson moved to grant permission for Auditor/Treasurer Jessie Donovan and Commissioner Shane Farlee to attend County Convention, seconded by Comm. Pesicka, all voted aye, motion carried

2025 – 2026 WIC Contract Approval: Phoebe Lemke presented board with new changes to the WIC Contract. Comm. Stocklin moved to approve New WIC Contract, seconded by Comm. S. Farlee, all voted aye, motion carried

Prairie Dog Letter: Commissioner Board was presented letter to be given to land owners. Commissioner will now wait on a response.

Surplus Gravel Rates: Comm. Pesicka moved to set surplus gravel rates to \$5.00 per/ton to be available to Ziebach County Residents only and to have individuals that are interested into purchasing surplus gravel please contact the Auditor's office for information.

SEPTEMBER MEETING: The September meeting of the Ziebach County commissioners will be held on Tuesday, September 2, 2025 at 1PM.

CLAIMS AUDITED: The following claims were audited and ordered paid:

PAYROLL BY DEPARTMENT – Commissioners, \$5,909.34--- Auditor, \$6,243.19 --- Treasurer, \$9,358.77 --- States Attorney, \$4875.59 --- Courthouse, \$4,780.09 --- Director of Equalization, \$5677.95 -- - Register of Deeds, \$6879.55 --- Sheriff, \$11,681.16 --- Coroner, \$75.00 --- CHN/WIC, \$5,981.91 --- Extension, \$33,728.51 --- Road & Bridge, \$23,379.19 --- Emergency Management, \$1,019.64 – VSO, \$848.82

1ST FINANCIAL BANK USA	18.60 DIRECT DEPOSIT FEE
MEDICAL AIR SERVICES ASSOCIATION	294.00 AMBULANCE INSURANCE
GROUP RESOURCES OF IOWA	142.50 MEDICAL EXPENSE RELIEF

1ST FINANCIAL BANK USA	2412.04	ROD AIR CONDITION & ENVELOPES
AGTEGRA ENERGY	102.89	FUEL/GAS
AT&T MOBILITY	221.49 z	
AVERA OCCUP MEDICINE SF	120.40	RANDOM DRUG TESTING
BIEGLER EQUIPMENT, INC.	102.01	PARTS/REPAIRS
BUTLER MACHINERY CO.	4476.24	
CENTURY BUSINESS PRODUCTS, INC	150.96	COPIER LEASE
CITY OF MOBRIDGE	115.00	HIGH POINT
CONNECTING POINT	6864.45	SUPPORT
CRST TELEPHONE AUTHORITY	876.64	TELEPHONE & INTERNET
DAKOTABILITIES	180.00	CARE
DUPREE VOLUNTEER FIRE DPT	15098.21	FIRE PREMIUM REFUND
DUPREE WATER DEPT.	238.29	WATER, SEWER, DUMPSTER
ECONO SIGNS	1011.44	SPEED LIMIT SIGNS
FAITH INDEPENDENT	429.00	ADVERTISING
FAITH LUMBER COMPANY	296.30	COURTHOUSE REPAIR SUPPLIES
RICK FARLEE	64.32	MILEAGE
SHANE FARLEE	26.80	MILEAGE
FARMERS UNION OIL CO.	9501.02	FUEL/SUPPLIES/REPAIRS
GLAD VALLEY FIRE DEPT	2664.39	FIRE PREMIUM REFUND
GOOSENECK IMPLEMENT	6506.40	PARTS/SUPPLIES

BILL HENDERSON	16.08	MILEAGE
INLAND TRUCK PARTS & SER	1311.79	PARTS/ LABOR
LUCE, LUZE, & RECK FUNERAL HOM	2000.00	FUNERAL POOR RELIEF
MARCO	149.34	COPIER LEASE
MCLEOD'S PRINTING	3283.00	SHELVES
JEROME A. MILLER	5000.00	CULVERT REMOVAL & INSTALLATION
MOREAU-GRAND ELECTRIC	933.08	UTILITIES
PREMIER EQUIPMENT	5376.97	MOWER BLADES
RAMKOTA HOTEL - PIERRE	272.00	SPRING WORKSHOP
RDO EQUIPMENT COMPANY	1163.05	AIR & FUEL FILTERS
RIVERSIDE HOME FURNISHINGS	3585.25	FLOORING FOR STATE'S ATT
SD DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	110.79	UNEMPLOYMENT
SD DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION	24816.92	SCHULER BRIDGE
SD ASSOCIATION OF CO OFF	440.00	COUNTY CONVENTION
SDACC - CLERP	809.00	CATASTROPHIC LEGAL EXPENSE
SERVALL	409.70	SUPPLIES & RUGS
TUCKER STOCKLIN	67.00	MILEAGE
TIMBER LAKE TOPIC	308.00	JOB OPENINGS
VANGUARD APPRAISALS, INC.	5825.00	SERVICE FEES
WEGNER AUTO COMPANY INC.	10708.74	SHERIFF PATROL REPAIRS
WEST RIVER EAGLE	702.37	ADS
WILLIAMS TRUCKING LLC	60139.56	GRAVEL HAULING

Motion to adjourn at

3:22 PM was made by Comm. Henderson, seconded by Comm. Stocklin. All voted aye ,motion carried.

ATTEST:

Olivia Dosch, Auditor

Rick Farlee, Chairman

Published once at the total approximate cost of_____.