



Box Butte County Board Minutes



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The Box Butte County Commissioners met in an open and public budget workshop, 8:00 a.m., August 16, 2017, in Commissioner Board Room located on the second floor of the Box Butte County Courthouse, 515 Box Butte Avenue, Alliance, NE. Public Notice of Budget Workshop was published August 5, 2017, in the Alliance Times Herald, with agenda information emailed to Board members August 14, 2017. Chairman McGinnis called the meeting to order at 8:03 a.m. following an opening prayer. Roll call: Susan Lore, Doug Hashman, and Mike McGinnis present. County Clerk Judy Messersmith recorded the proceedings. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and Chairman McGinnis acknowledged Open Meeting Act posted on the North wall of the board room. Doug Hashman moved to accept the agenda as printed seconded by Susan Lore. Lore, yes; Hashman, yes; McGinnis, yes. Motion carried.

Road Superintendent Barb Keegan, Deputy County Treasurer Val Bell, County Assessor Michelle Robinson, County Clerk Judy Messersmith, County Sheriff Tammy Mowry, Sheriff Administrative Assistant Patty Kulas, UNL Extension Educator John Thomas were present at various times to speak regarding their office budget requests, along with County Budget Consultant Pete Peterson.

Mr. Peterson is waiting for adjoining counties to submit their certification of taxable value in order for the Board to have a complete picture of tax dollars needed for the 2017-2018 fiscal year budget. Budget discussion will be added to the August 2017 meeting agenda.

Chairperson McGinnis adjourned at 12:20 p.m.

Attest: _____

Board Chairman

County Clerk