

Wayne, Nebraska  
October 7, 2013

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners met in emergency session at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, October 7, 2013, at the Wayne Fire Hall.

Roll call was answered by Chairman Burbach and Member Rabe; Larson was absent. Deputy County Attorney Miller and County Clerk Finn were also present.

Advance notice of this meeting was published on the Wayne County website and e-mailed to The Wayne Herald, KTCH Radio, and all individuals/entities on the agenda distribution list.

Current copies of the Open Meetings Act were available and accessible to the public.

The agenda was approved on motion by Rabe, second by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

The emergency meeting was called in response to the EF4 tornado that hit Wayne County around 5:20 p.m. on Friday, October 4, 2013. It was noted that:

- Damaged areas included the industrial area on east side of Wayne, the Wayne Airport, the Wayne Softball Complex and Rugby Park, and several homes south of town.
- There were no casualties.
- The Emergency Operations trailer was set up at Heritage Homes immediately after the tornado and later moved to the Wayne Fire Hall.
- A Disaster Declaration was signed by Chairman Burbach and Clerk Finn and filed with Nebraska Emergency Management Agency (NEMA).
- The Command Center was established at the Wayne Fire Hall.

Dave Reisen, Alisia LaMay and Donny Christensen from the NEMA were present and reviewed the county's responsibilities as set out in Wayne County's Local Emergency Operations Plan. The appointment of a debris manager was recommended to ensure debris disposal records were properly maintained.

Motion by Rabe, second by Burbach to haul debris to the Wayne Airport. Roll call vote; Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

Motion by Rabe, second by Burbach to assist with debris removal from Logan Creek subject to verification of coverage by county insurance. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

Motion by Rabe, second by Burbach to appoint Dallas Hansen as Debris Manager for the county. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

County-owned property that was destroyed included the Noxious Weed Control building located on Chief's Way, and a garage and office building located on South Centennial Road, currently used by the Department of Health and Human Services. Bridge No. C009011260 located on 857 Rd, between Miles 577 and 578 had the deck blown off. Warnemunde Insurance has been contacted, pictures have been taken and adjustors from EMC Insurance will be coming.

The meeting was recessed, and will reconvene upon the call of the chair.

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The Wayne County Board of Commissioners reconvened in emergency session at 7:45 a.m. on Wednesday, October 9, 2013, at the Wayne Fire Hall.

Roll call was answered by Chairman Burbach, Members Larson and Rabe, and County Clerk Finn.

Insurance coverage while removing debris from Logan Creek was verified.

The Blue Cell staff was hired to fill the positions of Planning Section Chief and one support person at the rate of \$50.00 per hour starting Thursday, October 10 and staying no later than Monday, October 14.

Proposals for cleanup of Logan Creek had been received. Alter Scrap Metal offered to clean up the debris at no charge. Their proposal was to make identifiable property available to the owners; the rest would be claimed and recycled by Alter. Motion by Rabe, second by Larson to authorize the Chairman to

sign an agreement with Alter Scrap Metal for Logan Creek cleanup. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Larson-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

Mary Baker from NEMA asked the board to consider hiring someone to handle the paperwork for NEMA and for FEMA (Federal Emergency Management). The board could consider one person for the city and one for the county, or just one person for both entities. Motion by Larson, second by Rabe to authorize contracting with a person or agency to prepare the documentation for NEMA and FEMA. Roll call vote: Larson-aye, Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

The meeting was recessed at 8:30 a.m. and will reconvene upon the call of the Chairman.

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The meeting was adjourned on Monday, October 14 at 8:45 a.m.

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STATE OF NEBRASKA     )  
  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF WAYNE     )

I, the undersigned, County Clerk of Wayne County, Nebraska, hereby certify that all of the subjects included in the attached proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting of October 15, 2013, kept continually current and available for the public inspection at the office of the County Clerk; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least 24 hours prior to said meeting; that the said minutes of the meeting of the County Commissioners of the County of Wayne were in written form and available for public inspection within 10 working days.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 21st day of October, 2013.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk