

Forman, North Dakota
November 4, 2025

The Sargent County Board of Commissioners met on Tuesday, November 4, 2025, at 9 a.m. In attendance were Commissioners Jerry Waswick, Lyle Bopp, Jason Arth and Chairman Wade Anderson. Commissioner Scott Johnson was attending via media. Also, in attendance were Tim Faber, Road Supervisor and Tia Bopp, Auditor.

Chairman Anderson called the meeting to order.

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Motion to approve the agenda with amendments. (Bopp/Waswick) Motion carried.

Motion to approve the minutes from October 21, 2025, as presented. (Waswick/Johnson) Motion carried.

Discussion was held regarding insurance on properties taken for delinquent taxes.

Quotes were received for jetting three culverts on County Road 12. A stream crossing study will be requested with the culverts being replaced in the Spring. Discussion transpired regarding a building in Geneseo as a possible option for highway department storage. Tires on one of the road graders are needing to be replaced.

Motion to pay the ambulance bills as presented. (Arth/Bopp) Upon roll call vote, motion carried unanimously.

Jayne Pfau, State's Attorney arrived at the meeting.

Discussion was held regarding the time keeping software Work Easy. It was decided the County will continue with the software for the time being while other quotes can be obtained.

Motion to adjust the purchase price on parcel 27-8500000 to \$2201.26 which includes special assessments certified to the County Auditor and republish the same. (Waswick/Arth) Upon roll call vote, motion carried unanimously.

Troy Mahler and Jon Lee from RDO Equipment Moorhead arrived at the meeting and were present for the bid opening in regards to the road grader. Bids were received and reviewed from RDO Equipment, Butler and General Equipment. Commissioner Arth is going to put together a spreadsheet on the quotes received and share with the Board.

Motion to approve items for sale by the highway department which include a John Deere backhoe, a 2000 Sterling truck, a 1982 International, a 2008 F250 pickup as well as some landscape blocks with these items being placed on auction with Steffes as soon as logistically possible. (Arth/Bopp) Upon roll call vote, motion carried unanimously.

Motion to purchase additional radios for the highway department based on estimate 3539 in the amount of \$17,815.65 received from Minn-Kota Communications Inc. (Arth/Waswick) Upon roll call vote, motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 10:47 a.m.

WADE ANDERSON, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

TIA BOPP –AUDITOR