

COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION PROCEEDINGS

Courthouse, Clay Center, Nebraska, October 17, 2023, at 10:49 A.M.

The Clay County Board of Supervisors acting as the Board of Equalization met October 17, 2023, as per public notice given in the Clay County News on October 11, 2023, a copy of the proof of publication being on file in the County Clerk's Office. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice of the meeting. Vice-Chairman Jim Pavelka presided with roll call showing the following present: Bitterman, Samuelson, Becker, Shaw and Pavelka; Absent: Fintel and Johnson. Minutes of the meeting held September 19, 2023, were mailed to the board members. All of the proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

It was noted by Vice-Chairman Pavelka that the open meeting law poster is posted on the west wall.

Motion by Bitterman and seconded by Samuelson to approve the minutes of the meeting held September 19, 2023, as mailed. On roll call, yea: Samuelson, Becker, Shaw, Bitterman and Pavelka. Motion carried.

Cassie Aksamit, County Clerk, Robin Gilbert, County Treasurer, and Brenda Hansen, County Assessor worked together to figure the levies. They were checked by others within their offices. The worksheets were given to the board members prior to the meeting and indicated they had received and reviewed them. The worksheets were used to figure the levies for Townships, Fire Districts and the Clay County Ag Society. The levies were set as presented.

Motion by Bitterman and seconded by Shaw to set the levies for the Clay County Townships, Fire Districts and the Clay County Ag Society as presented. On roll call, yea: Becker, Shaw, Bitterman, Samuelson and Pavelka. Motion carried.

Townships: **School Creek** 0.002420; **Eldorado** 0.004954; **Harvard** 0.005881; **Leicester** 0.003781; **Inland** 0.007501; **Lynn** 0.004996; **Lewis** 0.007432; **Sutton** 0.005494; **Sheridan** 0.008197; **Marshall** 0.004061; **Lone Tree** 0.002960; **Glenvil** 0.007703; **Spring Ranch** 0.010993; **Fairfield** 0.003310; **Edgar** 0.006232; **Logan** 0.004255.

Fire Districts: **Sutton Rural Fire** General Fund 0.016649; **Harvard Rural Fire** General Fund 0.010433; **Trumbull Rural Fire** General Fund 0.010572, Sinking Fund 0.006904; Bond Fund 0.010116; **Clay Center Rural Fire** General Fund 0.013270, Sinking Fund 0.002832; **Fairfield Rural Fire** General Fund 0.011451, Sinking Fund 0.005430; **Glenvil Rural Fire** General Fund 0.006927, Sinking Fund 0.001614, Bond Fund 0.025744; **Edgar Rural Fire** General Fund 0.010311, Sinking Fund 0.004583.

**Clay County Ag Society:** General Fund 0.002826, Sinking Fund 0.000610, Building Fund 0.000044.

Motion by Samuelson and seconded by Bitterman to adopt the levies for Clay County Political Subdivisions as requested, except for the tax levies set by other counties. On roll call, yea: Shaw, Bitterman, Samuelson, Becker and Pavelka. Motion carried.

County Levies: **General/Road** 0.238903; **Road Improvement Bond** 0.020593; and **Health** 0.006101.

Cities and Villages: **Sutton** General Fund 0.359163, Bond 0.483689, Community Center Fund 0.050000, Community Redevelopment Authority 0.006504; **Harvard** General Fund 0.500001, Bond 0.374293; **Trumbull** General Fund 0.192274, Bond 0.102215; **Saronville** General Fund 0.123042; **Clay Center** General Fund 0.418495, Bond 0.186856; **Glenvil** General Fund 0.400000, Bond 0.110610; **Fairfield** General Fund 0.449999, Bond 0.074287; **Edgar** General Fund 0.422026, Bond 0.111657; **Ong** General Fund 0.450000; **Deweese** General Fund 0.351037.

Schools: **Sutton** General Fund 0.568610, Special Building Fund 0.116056; **Harvard** General Fund 0.921635; **Sandy Creek** General Fund 0.721615.

Clay County SIDS #1: General Fund 0.062737, Bond 0.125473.

Motion by Shaw and seconded by Bitterman to adjourn this meeting at 10:54 A.M. On roll call, yea: Bitterman, Samuelson, Becker, Shaw and Pavelka. Motion carried.