COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING MINUTES

Courthouse, Clay Center, Nebraska, October 27, 2026, at 10:24 a.m.

The Clay County Board of Supervisors acting as the Board of Equalization met October 27, 2026, as per public notice given in the Clay County News on October 7, 2026, a copy of the proof of publication being on file in the County Clerk's Office. Availability of the agenda was communicated in advance notice of the meeting. All the proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

Chairman L. Wayne Johnson stated that the open meeting law poster is posted at the West wall in the back of the room and presided with roll call showing the following present: Scott Bitterman, Eric Samuelson, Glen Becker, Jim Pavelka, Jesse Mohnike, Richard Shaw and L. Wayne Johnson.

Motion by Mohnike and seconded by Pavelka to approve the minutes of the meeting held October 13, 2026, as mailed. Upon roll call, the vote was as follows: Aye: Bitterman, Samuelson, Becker, Pavelka, Mohnike, Shaw and Johnson; Nay: None. Motion carried.

There was no public input.

Cassie Aksamit, County Clerk, presented the certifications from other counties to the Board. Motion by Bitterman and seconded by Shaw to accept the certified misc. levies that were received from other counties for Schools, Fire Districts, ESU's, NRD's and Central Community College. Upon roll call, the vote was as follows: Aye: Bitterman, Samuelson, Becker, Pavelka, Mohnike, Shaw and Johnson; Nay: None. Motion carried.

Misc. Levies set and certified by others: **SCHOOLS: Adams Central Public Schools** General Fund 0.518568, Bond Fund 0.053409, Special Building Fund 0.037712; **Blue Hill School District** General Fund 0.812626 and Special Building Fund 0.028708; **Bruning Davenport School District** General Fund 0.381948, Special Building Fund 0.077238; **Doniphan Trumbull School District** General Fund 0.711788, Building Fund 0.052611; **Shickley School District** General Fund 0.565000, Special Building Fund 0.080000; **Lawrence-Nelson Public School District** General Fund 0.713769, Special Building 0.095347, Qualified Capital Purposes Fund 0.011014.

FIRE DISTRICTS: Glenvil Rural Fire General Fund 0.005599, Sinking Fund 0.001591, Bond Fund 0.018134; **Hastings Rural Fire** General Fund 0.016388, Sinking Fund 0.005640, Bond Fund 0.009055; **Lawrence Rural Fire** General Fund 0.011074, Sinking Fund 0.005340.

E.S.U.'S: E.S.U. #5 General Fund 0.015000; **E.S.U. #6** General Fund 0.015000, Bond Fund 0.000444; **E.S.U. #9** General Fund 0.014070.

Central Community College: Capital Improvement 0.020000.

NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICTS: Upper Big Blue NRD General Fund 0.017382; **Little Blue NRD #2** General Fund 0.014800, Bond Fund 0.000743.

Motion by Shaw and seconded by Samuelson to adjourn this meeting at 10:27 a.m. Upon roll call, the vote was as follows: Aye: Bitterman, Samuelson, Becker, Pavelka, Mohnike, Shaw and Johnson; Nay: None. Motion carried.

Cassie Aksamit, County Clerk L. Wayne Johnson, Chairman