

HANSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
Tuesday, March 3, 2026

Chairman Schoenrock, with members Bumgardner, Fox, Kjetland and Waldera present, called the regular meeting of the Hanson County Board of Commissioners to order on Tuesday, March 3, 2026.

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Motion Bumgardner, seconded by Fox to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

No conflict of interest, board reports or citizen input.

Motion Waldera, seconded by Kjetland to approve the February 17th meeting minutes. Motion carried.

The Auditor's account balanced with the Treasurer's account in the amount of \$3,741,876.84 in all county, state, civil, school, CD and trust accounts as of February 28, 2026.

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| General: | 857,794.90 |
| CD's | 431,840.00 |
| Restricted Funds | |
| Road & Bridge | 1,711,657.16 |
| E911 | 41,786.82 |
| County Library | 4,280.01 |
| Emergency & Disaster | 22,639.48 |
| Domestic Abuse | 127.62 |
| 24/7 | 8,342.93 |
| M & P | 62,470.44 |
| Opioids Settlement | 2,362.88 |
| Township Infrastructure | 112,584.59 |
| Courthouse Bond | 20,901.37 |
| Schools | 236,640.29 |
| Townships | 28,266.82 |
| Cities | 22,259.21 |
| JRWDD | 2,064.58 |
| Treasurer Trust | 13,095.21 |
| State Motor Vehicle | 138,335.74 |
| LEPC | 1,097.34 |
| State Clearing | 77.58 |
| Fire Districts | 6,794.67 |
| Law Library | 241.00 |
| Davison Hanson Amb | 16,216.20 |

Register of Deeds fees collected for the month of February 2026 totaled \$3,336.50.

Clerk of Courts fees for February 2026 totaled \$3,955.50.

Ronnie Roth, Hwy Superintendent, reported that spring weight limits restrictions were applied February 18, 2026 and the following resolution was passed indicating so.

Motion by Waldera, seconded by Fox to approve the following resolution.

RESOLUTION #26-04

HANSON COUNTY
2026 WEIGHT LIMIT ENFORCEMENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, seasonal climatic changes can be detrimental to all County roads, and

WHEREAS, the Hanson County Board of Commissioners desires to protect existing Hanson County Roads, ultimately saving tax dollars, and

WHEREAS, the Hanson County Board of Commissioners, desire the enforcement of weight limitations on Hanson County roads as set forth and posted by the Hanson County Highway Superintendent.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Hanson County Board of Commissioners that the load limits on Hanson County roads be set at 13,500 per axle and that the South Dakota Highway Patrol be and hereby is authorized and requested to enforce the load and speed restrictions on Hanson County Roads.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the penalty for the violation of the load restrictions shall be set forth in SDCL 32-22-55.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Hanson County Commissioners does hereby ratify and affirm the action of the Hanson County Highway Superintendent in initially posting weight limits on any County Road when he sees fit starting February 18, 2026 for public safety purposes and preservation of public property.

Votes For: 5; Against: 0

Dated this 3rd day of March, 2026.

/s/ Gary Schoenrock, Chairman
Hanson County Commission

ATTEST:

/s/Lesa Trabing, Auditor
Hanson County
(SEAL)

Proper signage and flags have been posted on the roads where weight limits will be enforced. Hanson County has requested the assistance of the SD Hwy Patrol to help enforce these restrictions.

Motion Kjetland, seconded by Fox to accept the Beadle County low bid from True North Steel for the County's 2026 supply of culverts and bridge material. All voted aye, motion carried. A copy of the bid can be viewed at the Highway shop or Auditor's office.

Roth reviewed his 2026 department budget and explained how much funding is available for the upcoming chip seal, overlay patching and FDR bids that will be opened at the next meeting as he will not be present for that meeting.

Brandon Wingert, Sheriff, joined with an update on office personnel.

As advertised, bids were opened for the County's 2026 supply of Quartzite Material. Two bids were submitted, (all amounts are per ton) Commercial Asphalt: Man Sand, 13.00; Chips, 16.00; Rip Rap, 19.75; Mixed Agg, 13.00; 1" Rock, 16.55; ¾" Rock, 16.95; 2"-12" Rock, 18.75; Base Material, 16.00; Ballast, 15.95; Trucking, \$.30 ton/mile. Mitchell Quarry: Man Sand, 11.00; Rip Rap, 17.00; 1' Rock, 15.00; ¾" Rock, 15.50; Base Course, 10.00; Trucking, \$150.00/hour for single, \$350.00/hour for doubles. As Mitchell Quarry's bid is only a partial bid, motion Kjetland, seconded by Bumgardner to table the bid acceptance until March 17th so the States Attorney can research if one or both bids can be accepted. Waldera abstained, all others voted aye, motion carried.

Deb Zens, ROD, presented a new copier lease for approval. Motion Waldera, seconded by Fox to approve the five-year lease with A & B Business for \$108.85 per month. All voted aye, motion carried.

Reid Kiner, States Attorney, presented the Order of Satisfaction to be signed by the Drainage Chairman for Drainage Hearing #25-02 to finalize and close this case.

Motion Bumgardner, seconded by Kjetland to rezone Lot 1 Moes 1st Addn S2 SE4 Sec 9 & SW4 Sec 10 (Less Tract A & B Lot 1 SE4 9-104-58) 10-104-58 from Ag to Residential. All members voted aye, motion carried.

Motion Kjetland, seconded by Waldera to approve a plat of TRACT C IN LOT 1 OF D. MOE'S FIRST ADDN IN THE S2 OF THE SE4 OF SECTION 9 T104N, R58W OF THE 5TH P.M. HANSON COUNTY, SD. All voted aye, motion carried.

Motion Fox, seconded by Bumgardner to approve a PLAT OF LOTS 10 & 11 BLK 1 PRAIRIE HILLS ESTATES IN THE SW4 OF SECTION 8 T103N R59W OF THE 5TH P.M. HANSON COUNTY, SD. All voted aye, motion carried.

Motion Waldera, seconded by Fox to approve a plat of LOT 1, 2, 3 AND 4 OF LADUE ADDITION IN SECTION 9 T101N R58W OF THE 5TH P.M. HANSON COUNTY, SD. All voted aye, motion carried.

Motion Kjetland, seconded by Bumgardner to approve a plat of TRACT 1 OF CARENA ADDITION IN THE NE4 OF THE NW4 OF SECTION 11 T102N 58W OF THE 5TH P.M. HANSON COUNTY, SD. All voted aye, motion carried.

Motion Kjetland, seconded by Waldera to approve and authorize the Chairman to sign the 2026 James Valley lawn care agreement. All voted aye, motion carried.

Time sheets were reviewed by the Board and a motion by Bumgardner, seconded by Waldera to approve payroll and payment of the following bills. Motion carried. Payroll: Commissioners: 2,301.20, Auditor: 4,119.82, Treasurer: 5,295.98, States Attorney: 4,490.80, Custodian: 2,394.28, Director of Equalization: 6,398.37, Register of Deeds: 3,311.63, Sheriff: 13,026.94, LEPC, 144.35, Nurse Clerical: 965.96, Extension: 2,105.84, Drainage: 149.89, Planning & Zoning: 485.32, Highway: 22,407.53, E911: 85.51, Emergency & Disaster: 634.68. BILLS: Ace, 223.76, batteries, ice melt, tote, deadbolt; Alex City, 20.00, lease agreements; AT&T, 689.88, cell bills; Engage, 250.00, mental illness; FedEx, 50.83, shipping evidence; Frantzen Reporting, 1,098.00, Diaz transcripts; Haag Auto, 373.90, batteries; Hanson Treasurer, 100.09, postage; Hillyard, 365.85, cleaner; Lawson, 386.29, shop supplies; Lewis, 128.63, jail meds; Make It Mine, 225.00, metal signs; Midwest Fire, 333.00, extinguisher inspection; Mitchell 911, 5,245.26, surcharge payment; Morgan Law, 4,500.00, public defender; Nobels County, 20.00, dues; Northern Safety, 369.79, light bars; Office Advantage, 121.95, copier lease, repairs; Qualified Presort, 1,287.92, mail assessment notices; RDO, 2,023.18, seals, flare tooth; Running's, 204.95, impact reducer; Santel, 30.00, trunking fees; SD DOT, 251.12, bridge inspection; SDACC, 2,022.00, CLERP; Melinda Sougstad, 493.00, Diaz transcripts; Stephanie Moen, 127.60, court reporting; Sturdevant's, 830.25, filters; Tran Source, 73.20, pipe; Triotel, 946.40, phone, internet; Two Way, 1,085.96, radio maintenance; Tyler Tech, 4,741.95, software support; Verizon, 80.02, cell bill; Vern Eide, 973.14, oil change, warranty work, brakes; Visa, 841.70, share file, tool cabinet, metal stand, postage; Wex, 1,038.42, gas; Deb Wollman, 280.51, supply reimbursement; Xcel, 2,058.79, electricity; Grand Jurors, 545.20, fees, mileage.

Being as there was no further business for the day, motion Kjetland and seconded by Bumgardner to adjourn until March 17, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. All voted aye, motion carried.

Gary Schoenrock, Chairman
Hanson County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:
Lesa Trabing, Auditor

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