

Chairman Tom Rounds called the Monday, January 6, 2025 meeting of the Hughes County Board of Commissioners to order at 9:00 AM with members Bill Abernathy, Rob Fines, Connie Hohn, and Randy Brown present. County Manager Lori Jacobson, Sheriff Patrick Callahan, Director of Equalization/ Planning Director/Building Official Eric Booth, Highway Superintendent Trent Arbach, Jail Administrator Gerald Wasko, Emergency Management Director AJ Rounds, and Coroner Matthew Hardwick were also present. The meeting began with a prayer by Pastor Craig Wexler and the Pledge of Allegiance.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST: No conflicts declared.

AGENDA: Moved by Hohn and seconded by Abernathy to approve the agenda as stated. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

MINUTES: Moved by Brown and seconded by Fines to approve the minutes of the December 30, 2024 Commission meeting. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

SWEAR-IN COMMISSIONERS, STATES ATTORNEY, & CORONER: Judge Christina Klinger swore in the newly elected officials: Commissioners Randy Brown & Tom Rounds, and Coroner Matthew Hardwick.

States Attorney Casey Diebert will be sworn in January 9, 2025 by Judge Tara Adamski.

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN/VICE CHAIRMAN FOR 2025: Commissioner Brown opened up the nominations for Chairman for 2025. Commissioner Brown nominated Commissioner Fines to serve as Chairman and Commissioner Abernathy seconded the nomination. Moved by Brown and seconded by Abernathy to cease nominations and cast a unanimous vote for Commissioner Fines to serve as Chairman of the Commission in 2025. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

Commissioner Fines opened up the nominations for Vice Chairman. Commissioner Brown nominated Commissioner Rounds to serve as Vice Chairman for 2025, Commissioner Abernathy seconded the nomination. Moved by Commissioner Brown and seconded by Commissioner Abernathy to cease nominations and cast a unanimous vote for Commissioner Rounds to serve as Vice Chairman of the Commission in 2025. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

APPOINTMENTS: Moved by Abernathy and seconded by Rounds to appoint Emergency Management Director AJ Rounds for one year, expiring in January 2026 per SDCL 34-48A-40. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

Moved by Abernathy and seconded by Rounds to reappoint Director of Equalization/ Planning Director/Building Official Eric Booth for one year, expiring in January 2026 per SDCL 10-3-5. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

Moved by Abernathy and seconded by Rounds to reappoint Highway Superintendent Trent Arbach for two years expiring January 2027 per SDCL 31-11-1. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

Moved by Abernathy and seconded by Rounds to reappoint Veterans Service Officer Mike Mullen for one year; expiring January 2026. All voted aye. Motion passed.

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-1

Moved by Brown seconded by Rounds to approve the following salaries reflecting a 3% increase for 2025 effective December 25, 2024. All Voted Aye. Motion passed.

The following annual and hourly salaries will be paid in 2025: Commissioners: Bill Abernathy \$17,424.51; Connie Hohn \$17,424.51; Tom Rounds \$17,424.51; Randy Brown \$17,424.51; Rob Fines \$17,424.51; County Manager Lori Jacobson \$98,528.97; Finance Officer Thomas Oliva \$82,400.00; Chief Deputy Finance Officer Jennifer Deyo \$26.98; Deputy Finance Officer Bonnie Erno \$22.66; Chief Deputy Treasurer Linda Lafrentz \$29.44; Chief Deputy Treasurer Ranae Hoffman \$24.81; Deputy Treasurer Susan Howard \$23.06; Deputy Treasurer Gregg Fossand \$22.29; States Attorney Casey Diebert \$115,360.00; Lead Administrative Assistant Kristi Schuchard \$27.33; Administrative Assistant Rose Gravatt \$23.84; Administrative Assistant Sarah Burger \$24.56; Victim/Witness Assistant Denise Richards \$36.05; JDAI Coordinator Lacey Boxley \$53,560.00; Maintenance Supervisor Patrick Steber \$31.56, Custodian Kyle RedWater \$21.42; Director of Planning & Zoning/Equalization Eric Booth \$85,382.88; Equalization Administrative Assistant Dawn VanSickle \$24.75, Field Appraiser James Mikkonen \$22.00; Chief Deputy Register of Deeds Patricia Williams \$32.18, Deputy Register of Deeds Kristi Schmidt \$23.78; Veterans Service Officer Michael Mullen \$67,297.32; Sheriff Patrick Callahan \$81,937.15; Chief Deputy Sheriff Dustin Drew \$36.59; Deputy Daniel Eilers \$34.73; Deputy Gary Nickerson \$34.73, Deputy Clayton Green \$29.95; Deputy Ryan Bottjen \$29.95; Administrative Assistant Paige Smit \$24.97; PT Transport/Deputy at Courthouse Robert Zilverberg \$26.78; Brian Hines \$26.78; Jail Administrator Gerald Wasko \$86,638.65; Deputy Jail Administrator Jared Hall \$74,277.00; Records/Correction Officer Deb Pease \$29.78; Audrea Fischer \$29.78; Donita Taylor \$29.78; Deputy at Courthouse Joshua Larson \$33.88; Sergeants: Elizabeth Hausmann \$32.16; Wyatt Alexander \$29.13; Kevin Donovan \$29.13; Damien Gaona \$27.63; Correction Officers: Raymond Lyons \$29.78; Kyler Bolin \$31.27; Karryn Agneau \$31.27; Starlene Flax \$26.97; Jacen Hancock/Transport \$25.67; Daisey Vis \$25.67; Riandi Ras \$24.46; Camille Koenig \$24.46; Micheal Anderson \$24.46; Nicholas Busby \$25.67; Amy Garrigan \$24.46; Sean Vester \$24.46; Brittany Brave \$24.46; Gabriel Tusa-Hanson \$24.46; Daniel Motta \$24.46; Kelly Jandreau \$27.51; Noah One Star \$24.46; Chaz Kuehn \$24.46; Mathew Foley \$25.94; Lucien Denis \$24.46; Marty Voice \$24.46; Zane Hesse \$26.72; Lead RN Karmin Strohfus \$48.58; PT Nurse Misty Gossman \$48.57; PT Nurse Hollie Stoesser \$42.83; PT QMHP Jennifer Gray \$52.46; PT 24/7 Melanie Kiepke \$17.97; PT Transport Paula Tronvold \$24.46; JSC Supervisor Chad Seidel \$74,160.00; Correction Officers: Curtis Nelson \$29.78; Greg Hansmann \$29.78; Ashton Pederson \$28.34; Cindy Herber \$26.97; Melanie Bowlin \$26.32; Patrick Crain \$29.78; Candace Spaid \$25.67; Tonia Jacobs \$24.46; PT 24/7 Visitation: Jason Schuchard \$17.97/\$24.46; Kathy Keys \$24.46/26.78; Hannah Carda \$17.97; Judi Davidson \$24.46; Gary Waack \$17.97; Jessica Campbell \$17.97; Coroner Matt Hardwick \$130; Emergency Management Director A. J. Rounds \$65,920.00; Highway Superintendent Trent Arbach \$80,747.05; Maintenance workers: Michael Roman \$58,406.40; PT Highway Maintenance/PT Emergency Management Nicholas Dooley \$29.87, Richard Doyle \$28.08; Robert Arbach \$28.08; Troy Meyer \$29.73; Warren Wilson \$28.08; Joseph Boxley \$26.20, DaWayne Bellander \$25.94; Arthur Flaaen \$24.46; Matthew Winckler \$25.68; Aaron Brewer \$24.46; Seasonal Richard Schmitz \$30.90; Administrative Assistant Laura Graves \$23.63.

RESOLUTION #2025-02

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING USE OF VOTING CENTERS

WHEREAS, as per SDCL 12-14-17, the Hughes County Board of County Commissioners may authorize the use of vote centers in lieu of precinct polling places, provided that the election is conducted in conformance with all applicable election laws and rules.

WHEREAS, Hughes County, in it's entirety, will be considered one precinct while utilizing two vote centers for the June 3, 2025 Pierre Municipal/ Pierre School Board Election.

WHEREAS, the use of vote centers will make voting more accessible for registered voters in Hughes County as they will be able to vote at any one of the vote center locations throughout the county.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Hughes County Commission declares all of Hughes County to be one voting precinct for the June 3, 2025 Pierre Municipal/ Pierre School Board Election and designates the following locations as vote centers within the precinct:

1. Faith Lutheran Church
2. New Life Assembly of God Church

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Hughes County Finance Office will be used as an absentee vote center to process absentee ballots on Election Day.

Moved by Rounds and seconded by Brown to approve Resolution No. 2025-02. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING
COMPENSATION FOR ELECTION BOARDS (2025-03)**

WHEREAS, annually it is the duty of the Hughes County Board of Commissioners to establish an hourly rate to be paid to Superintendent and Deputies of each election and additional canvassing board, if appointed, in accordance with SDCL 12-15-11 and any amendments thereto, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Superintendent and Deputies who attend the Election School shall receive compensation at the approved hourly rate of \$18.00 per hour in accordance with SDCL 12-15-7, \$18.00 per hour for Election Day and the current County rate for mileage for miles necessarily traveled in going to and returning from such school, and

BE IT RESOLVED that the Resolution Board, Absentee Precinct Board, and Post-Election Audit Board members shall receive a minimum of \$63.00 or \$18.00 per hour if their time exceeds 3.5 hours.

Moved by Brown and seconded by Abernathy to approve Resolution No. 2025-03. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

Hughes County Resolution Number 2025-04

HUGHES COUNTY WEIGHT LIMIT ENFORCEMENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, seasonal climatic changes can be detrimental to our highways, and

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

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

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED;

WHEREAS the limits on Hughes County highways shall be set as seven (7) ton per axle, on all asphalt surface roads, and six (6) ton per axle on all blotter and gravel roads during spring thaw period and when limit signs are in place.

That the South Dakota Highway Patrol be and hereby is authorized and requested to enforce weight limitations on Hughes County roads.

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

Moved by Abernathy and seconded by Rounds to approve Resolution No. 2025-03. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

2025 VOLUNTEER BOARDS: Moved by Brown and seconded Rounds by to approve the reappointment of Brian Baus and Lyle Stewart to the Hughes County Board of Adjustment with terms to expire January 31, 2028. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

Moved by Rounds and seconded by Brown to approve the reappointment of Andy Bruce and Brent Pries to the Hughes County Planning Board with terms to expire January 31, 2028. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

Moved by Hohn and seconded by Brown to approve the list of volunteers submitted by the Pierre Rural Fire Department for 2025. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

STANLEY COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT: Moved by Rounds and seconded by Hohn to approve the agreement between Hughes & Stanley County for Emergency Management services effective January 1, 2025 through December 31, 2025 in the amount of \$15,610. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

JAIL CONTRACT: Moved by Abernathy and seconded by Hohn to approve and authorize the Chairman to sign a contract with Sanborn County for prisoners housed in the Hughes County JSC at the rate of \$420 per day. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

COST OF LIVING 2025: Previous action taken in Resolution No. 2025-01.

OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER AND DEPOSITORY: Moved by Rounds and seconded by Abernathy to approve the following miscellaneous items: The official newspaper of Hughes County is the Capital

Journal. The following are designated as official depositories for Hughes County: First Dakota National Bank-Pierre, American Bank and Trust-Pierre, and Raymond James Financial of Pierre. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

ELECTION AGREEMENT CONTRACT: Moved by Hohn and seconded by Abernathy to authorize the Chairman to sign the combined election agreement with City of Pierre and Pierre School District for services provided to the City and School District by the Hughes County Finance Officer in facilitating the June 3, 2025 Primary Election. All voted aye. Motion passed.

REGISTER OF DEEDS ANNUAL REPORT: Commissioners reviewed the report.

PERSONNEL: Moved by Rounds and seconded by Brown to approve a wage increase for Rose Gravatt States Attorney Administrative Assistant to \$25.39 per hour effective December 25, 2024. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

Moved by Rounds and seconded by Brown to approve a wage increase for Sarah Burger States Attorney Administrative Assistant to \$24.75 per hour effective December 25, 2024. All voted Aye. Motion passed.

CLAIMS: Moved by Brown and seconded by Abernathy to approve the following verified claims. All voted Aye. Motion passed. AARMS 150.00 JAIL SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE, ACE STEEL & RECYCLING 196.32 UNIT 500 REPAIR SUPPLY, ADVENT FINANCIAL SYSTEMS 6000.00 AEL SUBSCRIPTION, AIMHIGH MOBILE DETAIL 490.00 SO REPAIRS/LABOR, AIRTECH 15004.18 JAIL IMPROVMENTS/REPAIR/MAINT, ALICIA KILLS SMALL 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, ALL AROUND GRAPHIX 101.34 VET SERVICES BANNER, ALLIED PLUMBING & HEATING INC 1561.14 COURT HOUSE REPAIR&LABOR, AMANDA BONRUD 65.25 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 87 HRS, AMANDA OROSCO 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, AMANDA VANDERFEEN 36.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 48 HRS, AMANDA WALDER 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, AMATIEL CLOWN 20.00 WITNESS FEE, AMERICAN MEDICAL RESPONSE 12823.50 DEC 2024 SUBSIDY, ANDERSON RUMPCA DENTAL 436.50 JAIL DENTIST, ANGELA LUCERO 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, ARAMARK CHICAGO LOCKBOX 56681.20 JAIL FOOD, ART FLAAEN 31.85 WORK CLOTHING REIMBURSEMENT, ASHLEY JUELFS 100.13 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 133.5HRS, ASHLEY PELTIER 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, AT&T MOBILITY 665.20 JAIL EQUIPMENT, AT&T MOBILITY 2325.38 FIRST NET CELLS PHONES, AUTOMATIC BUILDING CONTROLS 429.00 EXPO CENTER FIRE ALARM CHECK, AVERA MEDICAL ASSOC CLINIC 108.22 JAIL DOCTOR, AVERA ST MARYS HOSPITAL 3826.70 JAIL DOCTOR, BALCO UNIFORM CO 85.88 JAIL UNIFORMS, BOB BARKER CO INC 89.98 JAIL UNIFORMS, EXECUTIVE MGMT FINANCE OFFICE 70.83 SO UPPLIES POSTAGE, EXECUTIVE MGMT FINANCE OFFICE 1719.02 POSTAGE, CAPITAL AREA COUNSELING 11725.00 ONCALL / MCR / FOLLOW UP, CAPITAL AREA COUNSELING 1378.80 NOV 2024 QMHP, CAPITAL ONE - WALMART 377.39 JAIL/JSC SUPPLIES, CARMEN COOK-ORTIZE 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, CASEY HEMINGER 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, CENTRAL DAKOTA EYE CARE 277.00 JAIL DOCTOR, CENTURY BUSINESS PRODUCTS INC 550.13 JAIL OFFICE EQUIPMENT, CENTURY BUSINESS PRODUCTS INC 60.00 HWY COPIER LEASE, CENTURY BUSINESS PRODUCTS INC 59.86 COPIER LEASE, CENTURYLINK 176.80 EXPO PHONES, CENTURYLINK 73.87 SO TELEPHONES, CENTURYLINK 67.69 SO TELEPHONES, CHARM-

TEX 642.40 JAIL INMATE SUPPLIES, CHEYENNE HEMINGER 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, CHOLIK SIGN CO 375.00 WORK LIGHTS FOR UNIT 502, CHRISTINE BORDEAUX 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, CLEARFLY 1120.12 PHONE LINES, CLEARFLY 389.39 JAIL PHONE, COLE PAPERS INC 5047.41 SUPPLIES, COLE PAPERS INC 504.68 CLEANING SUPPLIES, COLUMN SOFTWARE PBC 494.17 DELINQ TAX PUBLICATION, COMMUNICATIONS CENTER 90.00 QTRLY ALARM MONITORING, COOK IMPLEMENT, LLC 427.66 REPAIR PARTS FOR UNIT 813, COREE BROWN EYES OHARA 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, CORRECTEC INC 925.00 JAIL MEDICAL CONTRACT, DAKOTA FLUID POWER 1343.05 PUMP, DAKOTA SUPPLY GROUP 778.86 SUPPLIES, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 368.99 FUEL, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 545.81 SN 33-270-100 PROJECT, DURANNE HOWELOUDNER 81.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 108 HRS, ELIZABETH THUNDER HAWK 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, EVETTE VEO 54.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 72 HRS, FAWCETT ROPE & HARDWARE 3000.00 ROPES, FLOYDS TRUCK CENTER 499.50 REPAIR TO UNIT 211P, FOX LAW FIRM, PLLC 181.50 BOARD OF MENTAL ILLNESS, GEFFDOG 253.10 SO UNIFORMS, GRAHAM TIRE 742.40 SO SUPPLIES, HANNAH GARCIA 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, HEATHER PAUL 40.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 54 HRS, HOFFMAN OIL 9280.40 FUEL, IMPERIAL SUPPLIES LLC 253.92 SHOP SUPPLIES, INGRAM PEST SERVICE 70.00 EXPO PEST CONTROL, INTERIM HEALTHCARE 11412.40 JAIL MEDICAL CONTRACT, JAMIE CHARGING CROW 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, JENNIFER ORTLEY 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, JERRI JENSEN 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, JOSEPH BOXLEY 35.88 REIMBURSEMENT, JUANITA WOLFE 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, JUDY UECKER 20.00 WITNESS FEE, KATRINA VELAZQUEZ 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, MARK KATTERHAGEN 33.00 ALLEGED MENTAL ILLNESS, KAYLA STEELE 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, KYLEIGHANA CATCHES 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, LACROIX LAW OFFICE 375.64 ALLEGED MENTAL ILLNESS 12/3, LANGUAGE LINE SERVICE 206.58 INTERPRETATION, LEWIS & CLARK BHS 225.00 BOARD OF MENTAL ILLNESS, LUCILLE M LEWNO 137.94 ALLEGED MENTAL ILLNESS, BRENDA LOUNSBURY 5040.00 BLOOD DRAWS 7/24-12/24, LYLE SIGNS INC 1062.17 SIGNS, MARCIE CHASING HAWK 81.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 108 HRS, MCKESSON MEDICAL-SURGICAL 428.81 JAIL MEDICATIONS, MEDICAL WASTE TRANSPORT INC 143.10 JAIL MEDICAL CONTRACT, MEGAN WALKER 72.75 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 97 HRS, MELINA POOR THUNDER 97.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 130 HRS, MENARDS 354.50 HWY SUPPLIES, MENARDS 75.42 JAIL REPAIR/MAINTENANCE, MENARDS 307.28 SUPPLIES, MIDCO 87.00 JAIL TELEPHONE, MIDCO 402.09 INTERNET, MILLICENT BROWN 76.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 102 HRS, MINNEHAHA CO JUV DETENTION 9458.80 JDC COUNTY JUV HOLDING, MONTANA DAKOTA UTILITIES 588.04 HWY UTILITIES, MONTANA DAKOTA UTILITIES 2983.49 JAIL NATURAL GAS, NATALIE LEWIS 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, NICOLE GEIGLE 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, NORTHWESTERN ENERGY 260.61 BLUNT/HARROLD SHOP UTILITIES, OAHE ELECTRIC COOP INC 130.34 EM UTILITIES, OAHE ELECTRIC COOP INC 570.65 PIERRE UTILITIES, OLIVIA BRUNER 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, OREILLY AUTO PARTS 110.01 SUPPLIES/PARTS, OVERHEAD DOOR 116.00 HARROLD DOOR REPAIR, PATCHED & ALTERATION BY 262.02 SO UNIFORMS, PATRICIA DEMARRIAS 27.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 36 HRS, PAULINE DUBRAY 58.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 78 HRS, JESSICA PAULSEN 225.40 TRANSCRIPTS, PIERRE CITY 7630.92 UTILITIES, PIERRE CITY 6572.80 IT BUDGET REMAINDER, PIERRE CITY 14699.79 IT PRODUCTS, POWER PLAN OIB 2697.88 SUPPLIES/PARTS/REPAIRS, RENAE

**COMMISSIONER PROCEEDINGS
HUGHES COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA**

JANUARY 6, 2025

FAYANT 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, RHEANNA SIMMONS 81.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 108 HRS, RUNNINGS SUPPLY 451.67 HWY SUPPLIES/PARTS, RUNNINGS SUPPLY 10.20 JAIL REPAIR/MAINTENANCE, RUNNINGS SUPPLY 219.98 BATTERY, SAMANTHA LANE 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, SAPPHIRE LAMONT 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, SARAH BRADLEY 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, SD ST ATTORNEY ASSOC 1197.95 2025 MEMBERSHIP DUES, SERVALL UNIFORM & LINEN CO 122.93 RUGS, SERVALL UNIFORM & LINEN CO 176.34 JAIL CLEANING SUPPLIES, SERVALL UNIFORM & LINEN CO 122.93 HWY RUGS, SHELBY LUCERO 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, SIGN SOLUTIONS 1361.99 SIGN POSTS, SMALL ENGINE HOUSE 513.06 SUPPLIES, STARLIGHT BRINGS PLENTY 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, STELLA WHITEEYES 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 90 HRS, STURGIS RESPONDER SUPPLY 40.00 SO UNIFORMS, TANILLE BLUEARM 67.50 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 72 HRS, TIANNA KRESLEY-BICKETT 72.00 DEC 24 TRUSTEE LABOR 96 HRS, TITAN MACHINERY 192.89 REPAIRS, VAL LARSON 33.00 ALLEGED MENTAL ILLNESS, VENTURE COMMUNICATIONS 54.22 HARROLD PHONE BILL, WALK-N-ROLL 515.89 SUPPLIES, MONA WEIGER 107.80 TRANSCRIPTS, WESTERN COMMUNICATIONS INC 1361.45 RADIOS, YOUNGBERG LAW 195.50 BOARD MENTAL ILLNESS, ZANDER AUTO PARTS 278.74 SUPPLIES/PARTS/REPAIRS.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

The following salaries and benefits were paid by department in the month of December 2024:

Commissioners-\$21,621.08, Auditor-\$20,072.49, Treasurer-\$22,612.09, States Attorney-\$42,850.66, Govt Buildings-\$11,359.26, Equalization-\$13,674.62, Register of Deeds-\$12,575.94, Veterans Service-\$6,226.31, Sheriff-\$60,697.62, Jail-\$249,662.54, Coroner-\$699.73, Juvenile Services-\$71,936.94, Weed & Pest-\$1,105.30, Planning & Zoning-\$8,604.99, Road & Bridge-\$77,334.20, Emergency Management-\$9,729.79. Total payroll \$630,763.56.

Auditor's Account with the Treasurer December 31, 2024: Cash on hand-\$1,672.52, Checks in the Treasurer's possession less than three days-\$39,546.25, Demand deposits: American Bank & Trust-\$14,742,348.82, Bad Checks Outstanding-\$1,170.99, Cash Items-0.00, First Dakota National Bank-\$100,000,000.00. Total Cash Assets-\$15,784,738.58.

Register of Deeds Fees Collected in December 2024: Recording Fees-\$4,200.00, Transfer Fees-\$6,078.50, Copy Fees-\$395.00, Credit Card Fees-\$10.00, Vitals-\$1,330.00. Total \$12,403.50.

Moved by Abernathy and seconded by Rounds to adjourn the meeting until **Tuesday at 9:00 AM on January 21, 2025.** All voted Aye. Motion passed.

ATTEST:

Rob Fines, Chairman
Hughes County Commission

Thomas J. Oliva, Finance Officer
Hughes County, South Dakota

