

PROCEEDINGS OF THE KNOX COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Center, Nebraska
August 27, 2025
9:00 a.m.

A special meeting of the Knox County Board of Supervisors was held in the Boardroom at the Knox County Courthouse in Center, Nebraska on the date of Wednesday, August 27, 2025 at 9:00 a.m. Present were Supervisors Martin J. O'Connor District #1, Kevin G. Mlady District #2, David L. Pierce District #3, James Sokol, Jr. District #4, Kevin D. Mackeprang District #5, Danny R. Schlote District #6 and James J. Borgmann District #7. Absent was none. Chairman Sokol, Jr. presiding.

Chairman Sokol, Jr. led the Board in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Sokol, Jr. announced to the public that a copy of the Public Open Meeting Act was posted in the Boardroom.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by publication in the Creighton News and Crofton Journal newspapers, as shown by the Affidavit of Publication attached to these minutes.

Notice of this meeting was simultaneously given to all members and a copy of their acknowledgment and receipt of notice and agenda is attached to these minutes. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was opened to the attendance of the public.

Reading of the August 20, 2025 meeting minutes was dispensed with until the September 3, 2025 regular meeting.

Motion by Supr. O'Connor, seconded by Supr. Schlote to go into closed session at 9:08 a.m. for Courthouse security issues. By roll call vote. Ayes all Districts. Nays none. Motion carried. Chairman Sokol, Jr. reiterated the closed session will be held for Courthouse security issues. The Board came out of closed session at 1:00 p.m.

Motion by Supr. O'Connor, seconded by Supr. Schlote to close at 1:00 p.m. the closed session held on Courthouse security. By roll call vote. Ayes all Districts. Nays none. Motion carried.

Chairman Sokol, Jr. read a press release referring to a Report to the Knox County Board of Supervisors regarding Breaches of Privacy at the Knox County Courthouse and dismissals of Chief Deputy Dan Henery and 911 Coordinator Heather Kienow and suspension of one year without pay of County Attorney Hanna Knox Jensen.

Chairman Sokol, Jr. adjourned the Knox County Board of Supervisors at 1:07 p.m. on Wednesday, August 27, 2025, until Wednesday, September 3, 2025 at 9:30 a.m. for a regular meeting.

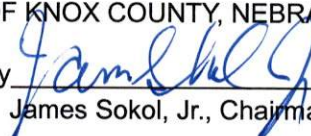
I, Joann M. Fischer, Knox County Clerk, do hereby certify that the County Board of Supervisors' minutes are correct to the best of my knowledge.

ATTEST:


Joann M. Fischer, Knox County Clerk



COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF KNOX COUNTY, NEBRASKA

By 
James Sokol, Jr., Chairman