

February 24, 2016

Chairman Baltzell opened the Board of Equalization meeting. Roll call was answered by C.W. Baltzell, Chairman, and Commissioners Caleb Johnson, Lonnie Peters, W.E. O'Connor and Jeff Armour. Also attending the meeting were County Clerk Sandra Olson, County Treasurer Ronda Johnson and County Assessor Renae Zink. Johnson moved to approve the agenda, Peters seconded the motion. Armour, O'Connor, Peters, Johnson and Baltzell voting aye; none voting nay; motion carried. Johnson moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting, O'Connor seconded the motion. Armour, Peters, O'Connor, Johnson and Baltzell voting aye; none voting nay; motion carried.

The Board reviewed the tax exemption applications from the following organizations: American Legion Kilgore/Koenig Post 135, New Hope Church, Cathedral Chapter of the Diocese of Nebraska, Ogallala Assembly of God Church, Church of Christ, Ogallala Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, Inc., Church of Christ of Ogallala NE, Ogallala Lodge 159 Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, Congregational Church, Ogallala Lodge 1624 Loyal Order of Moose, Inc., Congregational Church of Christ, Ogallala United Pentecostal Church, Diocese of Grand Island, Oregon Trail Home Builders, First Baptist Church, Paks Developmental Services, Inc., First Congregational Church of Ogallala Nebraska, The Paxton Mennonite Church, First Methodist Episcopal Church of Paxton-Trustees, Presbyterian Church Board of Trustees, First United Methodist Church of Ogallala, Nebraska, Region II Human Services (Heartland), Friends of the Kenfield Gallery, Sandhills Fellowship of Lake McConaughy, Inc., Front Street Inc., St John's Congregation, The First German Evangelical Lutheran, Girl Scouts-Spirit of Nebraska, St John's Lutheran Church, Great Plains Annual Conf of the United Methodist Church, St Luke's Church, Hankins-Miller American Legion Post #303, St Luke's Church, a Corporation, Kansas-Nebraska Asso. Of Seventh-Day Adventists, A Kansas Corp, St Patrick's Church of Paxton, Keith County Historical Society, St Paul's Lutheran Church, a Corporation, Keystone Women's Library Association, Traditions Inc., Lighthouse Baptist Church of Ogallala, Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, The Martin Bay Community Church and United Church of Christ First Congregational. Peters moved to approve the tax exempt applications as recommended by Zink, O'Connor seconded the motion. Armour, Johnson, O'Connor, Peters and Baltzell voting aye; none voting nay; motion carried.

Zink presented the Board with the Correction Book. Peters moved to authorize Chairman Baltzell signing the Correction Book as presented, O'Connor seconded the motion. Armour, Johnson, O'Connor, Peters and Baltzell voting aye; none voting nay; motion carried.

The Board reviewed the exemption application for motor vehicle taxes from the following organizations: Great Plains Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, West Central Nebraska Development District, Ogallala Community Hospital, PAKS Developmental Services and Community Action Partnership of Mid-Nebraska. Peters moved to approve these applications as recommended by Johnson, O'Connor seconded the motion. Johnson, Armour, O'Connor, Peters and Baltzell voting aye; none voting nay; motion carried.

With no further business to come before the Board the meeting was adjourned.

C.W. Baltzell

Sandra Olson

Chairman County Clerk

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