### Resolution #2023-12 Supporting Operation Green Light for Veterans

WHEREAS, the residents of Cherry County have great respect, admiration, and the utmost gratitude for all the men and women who have selflessly served our country and this community in the Armed Forces; and

WHEREAS, the contributions and sacrifices of those who served in the Armed Forces have been vital in maintaining the freedoms and way of life enjoyed by our citizens; and

WHEREAS, Cherry County seeks to honor individuals who have made countless sacrifices for freedom by placing themselves in harm's way for the good of all; and

WHEREAS, veterans continue to serve our community in the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, religious groups, civil service, and by functioning as County Veterans Service Officers in 29 states to help fellow former service members access more than \$52 billion in federal health, disability and compensation benefits each year; and

WHEREAS, the National Association of Counties encourages all counties, parishes, and boroughs to recognize Operation Green Light for Veterans; and

WHEREAS, Cherry County appreciates the sacrifices of our United States military personnel and believes specific recognition should be granted; therefore be it

RESOLVED, with designation as a Green Light for Veterans County, Cherry County hereby declares from October 31<sup>st</sup> through Veterans Day, November 11<sup>th</sup> 2023 a time to salute and honor the service and sacrifices of our men and women in uniform transitioning from active service; therefore, be it further

RESOLVED, that in observance of Operation Green Light, Cherry County encourages its citizens in patriotic tradition to recognize the importance of honoring all those who made immeasurable sacrifices to preserve freedom by displaying green lights in a window of their place of business or residence from November 6th through the 12th, 2023.

Dated this 31st day of October 2023.

	CHERRY COUNTY, NEBRASKA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
ATTEST:	
Brittny N. Longcor Cherry County Clerk	

JR Houser, Frontier County
President



#### NEBRASKA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY OFFICIALS

1335 H Street Lincoln, NE 68508 402-434-5660 nebraskacounties.org

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Chairperson of County Board

FROM:

Jon Cannon, Executive Director JDC 10/4/2023

DATE:

October 4, 2023

RE:

**Election Procedures** 

Enclosed you will find a document titled "Election Procedures for Voting for NACO Officers." It details the pre-election process and the election day process.

Also enclosed is the Voter Confirmation form for your county. It is of utmost importance that you complete and return the voter confirmation form to the NACO Office by Friday, December 8, 2023. Absence of the returned confirmation form will only allow the county board chair to cast the ballot in person for a county.

In addition, I would strongly suggest that you designate an alternate just in case the county board chair or the person initially selected to cast the ballot for the county is unable to attend the business meeting.

Please return the voter confirmation form by mail or email to <a href="mailto:peggy.brass@nebraskacounties.org">peggy.brass@nebraskacounties.org</a>.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you.

## Election Procedures for Voting for NACO Officers 2023 Election

#### **Pre-Election Process**

- 1.) An email was sent on September 11, 2023 from the NACO Executive Director to County Board Chairs, County Clerks and the President of the NACO Northeast District with information regarding the nomination of candidates for the incoming Secretary-Treasurer position on the NACO Board in the Northeast district rotation that can nominate names for the position of NACO Secretary-Treasurer.
- 2.) The letter enclosed in this mailing from the NACO Executive Director to each County Board Chair member 30 days prior to election indicates that as per bylaws Article II Section 2. "Each voting member shall be entitled to one-vote on each matter submitted to a vote of the members. Each vote shall be cast by the Chairperson of the County Board of Commissioners or Supervisors or their designee. There shall be no votes cast by proxy."
- 3.) The form enclosed in this mailing from the NACO Executive Director will also accompany the letter, providing instructions for completion. If the Chairperson of the County Board of Commissioners or Supervisors plans to be in attendance, they should identify themselves as the person casting the ballot and they should identify a designee in the event the Chairperson of the County Board of Commissioners or Supervisors is unavailable to cast the ballot for their county.

This form must be returned to the NACO office by the Friday preceding the election at the annual conference. Absence of the returned confirmation form will only allow the county board chair to cast the ballot in person for a county.

- 4.) If a candidate has an intention to run for the position of NACO Secretary Treasurer and they notify the NACO office in writing 10 days in advance of the conference, then their name will be included on a pre-printed ballot. The ballot will also include a line for write in candidates and nominations from the floor.
- 5.) The NACO President will appoint a nominating committee to present a list of candidates and a counting committee to count the ballots during the annual business meeting.

#### **Election Day Process**

- 1.) During the Business meeting, County Board Chair or designee will be asked to come forward and sign the voting register and cast the ballot.
- 2.) The initial ballot for officer positions will contain the current officers that will be nominated to advance to the next higher office, with a line for write-ins to be provided for any nominations from the floor.
- 3.) In the event that during the initial balloting, one candidate does not receive a majority of the votes (50% of eligible votes), then a second election will take place with the top 2 vote getters from the previous election advancing. In the event of a tie vote for the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> positions, an election will be held to break the tie and then the top vote getter of that election will advance to run off against the initial leading candidate. The runoff elections will be conducted with an official ballot containing only 1 line for a write in candidate.
- 4.) The same rules apply as to who can cast a vote as in item 1.
- 5.) The current NACO President will preside over the election.



# NACO Voter Registration for December 2023 Election

County Board Chair or Person Casting Ballot f	For County:	
Name:	Office:	**************************************
Designee in the event above is unavailable to c	ast ballot:	
Name:	Office:	
Date:		
Chairperson	_	
County	_	

\*\*Email completed form to peggy.brass@nebraskacounties.org by December 8th, 2023\*\*



#### STATE OF NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

#### CATCH ALL CONTRACT

Copies to:

- 1. Right of Way Division, Nebraska Department of Transportation
- 2. Owner (NDOT Approved)
- 3. Owner
- 4. District

Project No.: 83-4(117) Project Name: In Valentine

Control No.: 80865

Tract No.: 35

THIS CONTRACT, made and entered into this	day of	20
This Contract, made and entered into this	day of	, 20
by and between County of Cherry, State of Nebraska	-	

Address: PO Box 120, Valentine, NE 69201, hereinafter called the OWNER, and the Nebraska Department of Transportation, hereinafter called the STATE.

WITNESSETH: In consideration of the payment \$317.40 for damages to underground sprinklers caused by the project construction. Owner does hereby remise, release and forever discharge, and hold harmless, the State, its successors and assigns, of any and all manner of actions, causes of actions, suits, proceeding judgments, damages, claims and demands whatsoever in law or equity which he may have had, does have, or might have now, or in the future, arising from the construction of Project Number 83-4(117), according to previously executed Acquisition Contract dated 1/04/2021.

If any other party shall hold any encumbrance against aforementioned property, such payments as are due under this contract shall be made to the owner jointly with the party, or parties, holding such encumbrances, unless said party, or parties, holding such encumbrances shall have in writing waived his right to receive such payment.

REMARKS	
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THIS IS A LEGAL AND BINDING CONTRACT - READ IT.

The representative of the STATE, in presenting this contract has given me a copy and explained all its provisions. A complete understanding and explanation has been given of the terminology, phrases, and statements contained in this contract. It is understood that no promises, verbal agreements or understanding, except as set forth in this contract, will be honored by the STATE.

> Project No.: 83-4(117) **Project Name: In Valentine**

CN: 80865 Tract No.: 35 Page: 1

Duly executed this day of	, A.D. 20
	County of Cherry, State of Nebraska by
	Authorized Officer or Agent
	Print name of Authorized Officer or Agent and Title
STATE OF	) )ss. )
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged be	the state of the s
•	who appeared before Notary) <u>r, State of Nebraska,</u> on behalf of the county.
	Notary Public
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Project No.: 83-4(117)
Project Name: In Valentine
CN: 80865

Tract No.: 35

## STATE OF NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Зу		
,	Brendon Schmidt - Right of Way Manager	
Date		

Project No.: 83-4(117) Project Name: In Valentine

CN: 80865 Tract No.: 35

## **AFFIDAVIT of Authority**



Project Name: In Valentine	Project #: 83-4(117)	Control #: 80865
Contract Name: County of Cherry, State of Nebraska	<i>Туре:</i> Tract Owner	Tract #: 35
I,, the undersome of individual signing on behalf of Organization) the best of my knowledge (complete both items 1 and 2):	signed, swear or affirm the followi	ng is true and accurate to
1 I am thefor	(Name of Organization) and lawfully	
I am authorized to sign any and all documentation on behalf of property rights in general or specifically for a project of the Sta (Check one of the following and complete appropriate blanks.)  The capacity expressly provided in the	ate of Nebraska - Department of T	ransportation based on:
The Resolution of the(Corporate Board or Corporate		,
Dated this day of, 20		
	Signature of	
State of) County of)	Print Name	
Subscribed and sworn before me this day of		O LIEDE
Signature of Notary Public	NOTARY STAMI	, HERE

## Nebraska Department of Transportation PAYMENT/ALLOCATION VOUCHER

Originating OE:	NIS Number:
350	

Purchase from: County of Cherry, Nebraska	
DESCRIPTION OF PURCHASE	AND/OR COMPENSATION:
Catch-All Contract	\$317.40
Catch-An Contract	<b>45277.10</b>
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	Total: \$317.40
Gross proceeds shown above to	be allocated as follows:
Below, please list each party to whom NDOT should issue separ each should receive. Those "Allocated Amounts" must add up Amount" column. (PLEASE NOTE: each party receiving funds	to the "Total" amount shown just above the "Allocated
Name (Please print or type) Address (Street	et or PO Box, City, State ZIP) Allocated Amount
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Seller(s) Certification: I hereby certify that the goods, services,	an made manager interprets lighted shows an amount shows a
against the State of Nebraska and that payment has not been recein for proceeds shown above is correct. NOTE: ALL parties listed MUST SIGN in the area below to confirm their agreement to this	ved or previously claimed. I further certify the allocation in the "Purchase From:" section at the top of this form
Owners'/Sellers'/Tenants' (Signatures)  Date	
	Signature of Authorized Department of
	Transportation Official
	Date
	<b>Project No.:</b> 83-4(117)
	Project Name: In Valentine Control No.: 80865
	Tract No.: 35

Attachment 506



### STATE OF NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Good Life. Great Journey.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

#### CATCH ALL CONTRACT

Copies to:

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- 2. Owner (NDOT Approved)
- 3. Owner
- 4. District

Project No.: 83-4(117)

Project Name: In Valentine Control No.: 80865

Tract No.: 3

THIS CONTRACT, made and entered into this	day of	, 20
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Address: **PO Box 687, Valentine, NE 69201**, hereinafter called the OWNER, and the Nebraska Department of Transportation, hereinafter called the STATE.

WITNESSETH: In consideration of the payment \$1,218.02 for damages to underground sprinklers caused by the project construction. Owner does hereby remise, release and forever discharge, and hold harmless, the State, its successors and assigns, of any and all manner of actions, causes of actions, suits, proceeding judgments, damages, claims and demands whatsoever in law or equity which he may have had, does have, or might have now, or in the future, arising from the construction of Project Number 83-4(117), according to previously executed **Acquisition Contract** dated 1/04/2021.

If any other party shall hold any encumbrance against aforementioned property, such payments as are due under this contract shall be made to the owner jointly with the party, or parties, holding such encumbrances, unless said party, or parties, holding such encumbrances shall have in writing waived his right to receive such payment.

REMARKS

#### THIS IS A LEGAL AND BINDING CONTRACT - READ IT.

The representative of the STATE, in presenting this contract has given me a copy and explained all its provisions. A complete understanding and explanation has been given of the terminology, phrases, and statements contained in this contract. It is understood that no promises, verbal agreements or understanding, except as set forth in this contract, will be honored by the STATE.

Project No.: 83-4(117)
Project Name: In Valentine

CN: 80865 Tract No.: 3

Page: 1

July executed this di	ay of	, A.D. 20
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		County of Cherry, Nebraska
		by
		Authorized Officer or Agent
		Print name of Authorized Officer or Agent and Title
STATE OF		)
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Project No.: 83-4(117)
Project Name: In Valentine
\_CN: 80865

Tract No.: 3

## STATE OF NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Ву	
	Brendon Schmidt - Right of Way Manager
Date	

Project No.: 83-4(117) Project Name: In Valentine

CN: 80865 Tract No.: 3

## **AFFIDAVIT of Authority**



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Contract Name: County of Cherry, Nebraska	<i>Туре:</i> Tract Owner	Tract #: 3
(Cherry County Tourism)		
I,, the undersigning on behalf of Organization)	gned, swear or affirm the follow	ng is true and accurate to
the best of my knowledge (complete both items 1 and 2):		
the best of my knowledge (complete both terms 1 and 2).		
1 I am the for		,
	(Name of Organization)	
organized in accordance with the laws of the State of	and lawfully	operating in Nebraska;
AND		
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I am authorized to sign any and all documentation on behalf of t	he above named entity regarding	the sale or use of
property rights in general or specifically for a project of the Stat	e of Nebraska - Department of T	ransportation based on:
(Check one of the following and complete appropriate blanks.)	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	r
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Dated this day of, 20		
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	Print Name	
State of)		
County of) ss		
Subscribed and sworn before me this day of	, 20	_
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Signature of Notary Public		

# Nebraska Department of Transportation PAYMENT/ALLOCATION VOUCHER

Originating OE: NIS Number:

350

Purchase from: County of Cherry, Nebraska (Cher	ry County Tourism)
DESCRIPTION OF PURCHAS	·
Catch-All Contract	\$1,218.02
	Total: \$1,218.02
Gross proceeds shown above	to be allocated as follows:
Below, please list each party to whom NDOT should issue sep	t to the second of the second
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Seller(s) Certification: I hereby certify that the goods, service against the State of Nebraska and that payment has not been rec	s, or real property interests listed above are proper charges seived or previously claimed. I further certify the allocation
of proceeds shown above is correct. NOTE: ALL parties liste	ed in the "Purchase From:" section at the top of this form
MUST SIGN in the area below to confirm their agreement to the	is distribution of funds.
Owners'/Sellers'/Tenants' (Signatures)  Date	
	Signature of Authorized Department of Transportation Official
	Project No.: 83-4(117)
	Project Name: In Valentine
	Control No.: 80865
	Tract No.: 3

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TITLE	SURPLUS-2023						UN INSURANCE	DECLARED SURPLUS	SOLD AT AUCTION \$	SOLD DATE
YES	2-203	GMC	DUMP TRUCK	2001	C7H064	1GDS7H4C81J506092	x			
YES	3-202	INTERNATIONAL	TRUCK	2011		1HSDJSJT6BJ400670	x			
YES	3-204	INTERNATIONAL	TRACTOR TRUCK	2011		1HSDJSTXBJ400669	x			
YES	9-200	TRAILBLAZER	BELLY DUMP	1996	S-4202	1C9SS4225T1424467				
YES	9-208	LOAD KING	TRAILER	2006	2066D	5LKD3723661025790				
NO	9-209		FUEL TRAILER	1990						
YES	9-211	LOAD KING	BOTTOM DUMP	2006	PULL TYPE	5LKD3723061025784				
NO	9-216		BOX TRAILER	1954		16491				
NO	18-204	CASE	DISC & TRAILER			522429				
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DIST #2	JD UTILITY TRACTO	R BLADE					
DIST #2	2 MISC OLD PICK UP	PLOWS					
DIST #2	MISC FOLD OUT RA	MPS					
DIST #2	2 MISC BUCKET FORKS (SCREW TO LOADER BUCKET)						
DIST #2	2 SCARIFIER THAT CAME ON MOTOR GRADER (REMOVED/NEVER USED)						
DIST #2	6-RECAPED 285-75X	24.5					
DIST #2	4-20.5 X 25 OLD LOA	DER TIRES					
DIST #2	23.5 X 25 OLD LOAD	ER TIRES					
DIST #2	HANDICAP LIFT						





October 28, 2023

Notice to file the Year-End Certification of County Highway Superintendent, Signing Resolution, and Documentation of the Appointment(s) of County Highway Superintendent(s) for Calendar Year 2023 with the Nebraska Department of Transportation (NDOT) by December 31, 2023.

Please make this an agenda item for your next County Board meeting and return to the NDOT by December 31, 2023.

The attached YEAR-END CERTIFICATION OF COUNTY HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT and SIGNING RESOLUTION, together with a copy of the DOCUMENTATION OF THE COUNTY HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT(S) APPOINTMENT(S) for CALENDAR YEAR 2023, is the basis for determining the calendar year 2023 Incentive Payment. Please complete and return the following to the NDOT by December 31, 2023:

- Signing Resolution (Page 1): The original Signing Resolution, authorizing the signing of the Year-End Certification(s) by the County Board Chairperson.
- Year End Certification of County Highway Superintendent (Page 2): If more than one individual or the County Board provided highway superintending services during Calendar Year 2023, document each successive appointed county highway superintendent and/or period without an appointed county highway superintendent using a separate Year-End Certification form. For any period of time your county did not have an appointed Highway Superintendent, write "County Board" as the name of the "Superintendent." Copy the form as needed.
- Documentation of the County Highway Superintendent(s) Appointment(s) (Page 3): Attach to page 3 a copy of the County Board meeting minutes showing the appointment(s) of the County Highway Superintendent(s) for Calendar Year 2023 by their name as it appears on their License (if applicable), their License Number (if applicable), and Class of License (if applicable), and the type of appointment, i.e., employed, contract (consultant or interlocal agreement with another county and/or incorporated municipality), and the beginning date of the appointment. For most counties this information may be found in the January 2023 meeting minutes.

Failure to complete and return: If a county had an appointed and Licensed County Highway Superintendent for all or part of Calendar Year 2023 and the county does not complete and return the above documentation to the NDOT by December 31, 2023, the county will not receive an Incentive Payment for Calendar Year 2023.

Payment: If your county qualifies, payment will be scheduled for February 2024. Reference Neb. Rev. Stat. §39-2505.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

LeMoyne D. Schulz
Highway Local Liaison Coordinator
Boards-Liaison Services Section
Local Assistance Division
Nebraska Department of Transportation

Email: lemoyne.schulz@nebraska.gov

Phone: (402) 479-4436

LDS/2023

Attachments (3)

Vicki Kramer, Director

**Department of Transportation** 

MAILING ADDRESS PO Box 94759 Lincoln, NE 68509-4759 PHYSICAL ADDRESS 1500 Nebraska Parkway Lincoln, NE 68502

dot.nebraska.gov

Do not recreate or revise this document. Revisions and recreations will not be accepted. <u>Failure to complete and return the necessary documents per instructions will result in your county not receiving an Incentive Payment for Calendar Year 2023</u>. Documents include the <u>original</u> Signing Resolution, Year-End Certification(s), and a copy of documentation of the appointment(s) of the County Highway Superintendent(s). These must be received at the NDOT by December 31, 2023.

#### **RESOLUTION**

## SIGNING OF THE YEAR-END CERTIFICATION OF COUNTY HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT 2023

			Resolution	No	
Whereas: State of Nebraska Statutes, section nust be met in order for a county to qualify				detail the requirer	nents that
Whereas: The State of Nebraska Departmenter certify (by December 31st of each year) the using the Year-End Certification of County I	appointment(	s) of the County	Highway Sup		
Whereas: The NDOT requires that such cenighway superintendent's appointment, i.e. Superintendent by their name as it appears Class of License (if applicable), the type of agreement with another county and/or incorporate the superior of th	., meeting mi on their Licen appointment,	nutes showing se (if applicable) i.e., employed o	the appointment, their License or under contra	ent of the County e Number (if applic act (consultant, or	Highway cable) and interlocal
Whereas: The NDOT also requires that suc be signed by the County Board Chairperson he signing of the Year-End Certification of C	and shall incl	ude a copy of a ı	esolution of th	ne County Board a	uthorizing
Be it resolved that the County Board Chairs hereby authorized to sign the attached Ye	person of ${(Pri)}$	nt Name of County) ication of Count	y Highway Su	perintendent form	_ County (s).
Adopted this day o	f (Month)	, 20	_ at	,1	Nebraska.
	Moved the a Member Roll Call	rd Member adoption of said Yes adopted, signed	resolution No/	Seconded the Abstained	ne Motion Absent
Attest:					
(Signature of Clerk)					

Do not recreate or revise this document; revisions and recreations will not be accepted. Copying this form <u>is</u> acceptable; **see (3)** below. Failure to complete and return the necessary documents per instructions will result in your county not receiving an Incentive Payment for Calendar Year 2023. Documents include the <u>original</u> Signing Resolution, Year-End Certification(s), and a copy of documentation of the appointment(s) of the County Highway Superintendent(s); they must be received at the NDOT <u>by December 31</u>, 2023.

#### Year-End Certification of County Highway Superintendent For Determining Incentive Payment in Calendar Year 2023

Separate forms may be needed to account for the entire year, see (3) below

	s Form Covers the Following Period					, 2023
		•	(Month)		, <b>2023 to</b> (Day) (Month)	, 2023
<b>1)(a)</b> The	county of		C6	ertifies that	(Print name of Superintendent as appears on licer	
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<b>(b)</b> the s	uperintending servic	es of the ab	ove listed perso	n were pro	vided by: (Check one box)	
	Employment with this County		Contract (consultant) with this County		Contract (interlocal agreement) between County and the following listed County(is and/or Municipality(ies)	
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- '(3) If during the calendar year your county (a) <u>did not have</u> an appointed County Highway Superintendent for any portion(s) of the year; or (b) had <u>one or more appointed</u> County Highway Superintendent(s) <u>that were not licensed</u> for any portion(s) of the year; or (c) had <u>one or more appointed licensed</u> County Highway Superintendent(s) for any portion(s) of the year, please <u>complete</u> a separate Year-End Certification form for each period.
- (4) The payment amount will be computed based on (a) your most recent Federal Census, <u>rural population</u>; (b) the number of full calendar months served by the appointed County Highway Superintendent who is licensed or exempted from licensure under the Superintendents Act; (c) class of license, A or B if applicable; (d) whether the appointed County Highway Superintendent is employed, or under contract (consultant or interlocal agreement with another county and/or incorporated municipality); and (e) if the appointed County Highway Superintendent <u>assisted</u> with the required duties in (1)(c) above. *Reference Neb. Rev. Stat. §§39-2302 and 39-2501 through 39-2505.*
- (5) Failure to return by December 31, 2023, the Year-End Certification(s), Signing Resolution, and a copy of documentation of the appointment(s) of the superintendent(s) per the instructions will result in your county not receiving an Incentive Payment.



Return the completed original resolution and certification(s), and a copy of the documentation of appointment(s) by December 31, 2023 to:

Highway Local Liaison Coordinator Boards-Liaison Services Section Local Assistance Division Nebraska Department of Transportation PO Box 94759 Lincoln NE 68509-4759

Attach Documentation of the County Highway Superintendent(s) Appointment(s) for 2023 here:

For most Counties this information may be found in the January 2023 meeting minutes.

Call 402-479-4436 if you have any questions about what to submit for documentation.



#### Nebraska State Fire Marshal Agency Boiler Inspection Division

246 S. 14th Street, Suite 1 Lincoln, NE 68508

Phone: (402) 471-9902, Email: sfm.boilers@nebraska.gov

<u>David Pleiss</u> Chief Boiler Inspector

Scott Cordes
State Fire Marshal

Cherry County Clerk 365 N Main St Valentine, NE 69201-1800 10/16/2023

On 09/28/2023 your boiler/pressure vessel, NE16423, located at Cherry County Courthouse, 365 N Main St, Valentine, was inspected by Bruce Smiley with Hartford Steam Boiler. During that inspection, the below items were noted as not meeting the requirements of the Nebraska Boiler Inspection Act and shall be corrected within 30 days from the date of this letter.

#### **Condition:**

Refractory Damage - Repair or Replace - The refractory in this boiler is deteriorated, cracked, falling down onto the furnace, or missing. This is a serious safety concern.

#### Requirement:

Have the refractory in this boiler repaired or replaced by a boiler company to restore it to a safe condition and that is in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications. NBIC Part 2, 2.2.10.3

#### Condition:

Unit requires repairs as noted during inspection. It is suspected that one of the cast iron sections is warped from overheating. Recommend that cast iron sections be cleaned and evaluated by a licensed repair company. Boiler should then be repaired or replaced.

#### Requirement:

This unit requires repairs as noted above before it can be operated. If the necessary repairs are not going to be completed, the gas, water and electrical supplies shall be disconnected. If the outlet isolation vavles do not fully isolate the unit, the valves shall be removed and the unit blanked off with the appropriate pressure rated blanks. If the unit is placed out-of-service, please note that on this letter.

#### Condition:

Burner - Repairs Needed

#### Requirement:

The burner assembly is in a condition that requires the burner to be repaired or replaced. Some items such as misalignment, tube misalignment, gasket wear, or diffuser ring issues may be the cause. Repair or replace the burner assembly to correct the following condition noted: \_\_\_\_noted during inspection the burner has been removed\_\_\_\_\_.



#### Nebraska State Fire Marshal Agency Boiler Inspection Division

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State Fire Marshal

When the items listed have been corrected, <u>please sign and date the letter and return to the Boiler Inspection Division via email to sfm.boilers@nebraska.gov</u>. If there is documentation required for any of the items listed above, it shall be attached to this signed letter when it is sent back to this office. A re-inspection of the unit may be required by the Chief Boiler Inspector.

**Date Completed** 

Signature of Owner/User

Repair Company Name & Signature

Links to the Boiler Inspection Act and the Nebraska Administrative Code (Title 229) can be found at: <a href="http://www.sfm.nebraska.gov/mechanical-safety">http://www.sfm.nebraska.gov/mechanical-safety</a>

For questions, contact inspector listed above, or call (402) 471-9902.

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