

AUDITOR'S ACCOUNT WITH THE COUNTY TREASURER

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF OGLALA LAKOTA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

I hereby submit the following report of my examination of the cash and cash items in the hands of the County Treasurer of this County on this 31st day of October, 2017.

Total Amt of Deposit in First Interstate Bank, HS:	\$ <u>7,589.78</u>
Total Amount of Cash:	\$ <u>901.30</u>
Total Amount of Checks in Treasurer's Possession Not Exceeding Three Days:	\$ <u>15,885.67</u>
MONEY MARKET SAVINGS:	
First Interstate-Hot Springs:	\$ <u>2,201,926.12</u>
CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT:	
First Interstate-Hot Springs:	\$ <u>200,000.00</u>

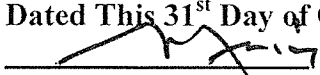
Itemized list of all items, checks and drafts that have been in the Treasurer's possession over three days:

 Sheriff Change Fund: \$200.00
 Election Petty Cash: \$15.00
 Treasurer Shortage:

RETURNED CHECKS:

TOTAL \$2,426,517.87

Dated This 31st Day of October, 2017.


Sue Ganje, County Auditor of Oglala Lakota County

County Monies: \$2,329,793.85
Held for other Entities: \$65,852.84
Held in Trust: \$30,871.18
TOTAL: \$2,426,517.87

The Above Balance Reflects County Monies, Monies Held in Trust, and Monies Collected for and to be remitted to Other ENTITIES: SCHOOLS, TOWNS, AND STATE.



Aaron Eberle

From: Ganje, Sue [Sue.Ganje@state.sd.us]
Sent: Thursday, November 16, 2017 2:14 PM
To: Proclamations Department
Cc: Fall River County
Subject: Re: Proclamation Request

Dear Andrew, we will certainly put this on the agenda for Oglala Lakota County, previously known as Shannon County for their consideration. Thank you, Sue

Sue Ganje

County Auditor

Fall River/Oglala Lakota County

605-745-5130

From: Proclamations Department <proclamations=nscw.org@mail111.suw15.mcsv.net> on behalf of Proclamations Department <proclamations@nscw.org>
Sent: Thursday, November 16, 2017 11:24 AM
To: Ganje, Sue
Subject: [EXT] Proclamation Request

Dear Mayor Yellow Bull:

We are respectfully requesting that you consider joining city and county leaders across the country in officially recognizing January 21-27, 2018 as School Choice Week in Shannon County.

Issuing a proclamation provides an opportunity to shine a positive spotlight on the K-12 education options available for children and families in Shannon County.

Last year, more than 684 mayors and county leaders, along with 30 governors, the unanimous United States Senate, and the President, issued proclamations recognizing National School Choice Week, which in 2018 will feature more than 31,000 events across America.

National School Choice Week is entirely nonpolitical and nonpartisan, and we do not advocate for or against any legislation. Our goal is simply to raise awareness, among parents, of the public and nonpublic K-12 education options available to their children.

Please let me know if you will be able to issue this proclamation and help us raise awareness of the importance of opportunity in education. I greatly appreciate your consideration. We have provided both a Word and .PDF proclamation template on our website at:

<https://schoolchoiceweek.com/proclamations/>

Also, for your convenience, we have provided the suggested proclamation language below.

Best,
Andrew

Andrew Campanella
President
National School Choice Week
www.schoolchoiceweek.com

SUGGESTED PROCLAMATION LANGUAGE

Shannon County School Choice Week

WHEREAS all children in Shannon County should have access to the highest-quality education possible; and,

WHEREAS Shannon County recognizes the important role that an effective education plays in preparing all students in Shannon County to be successful adults; and,

WHEREAS quality education is critically important to the economic vitality of Shannon County; and,

WHEREAS Shannon County is home to a multitude of high quality public and nonpublic schools from which parents can choose for their children, in addition to families who educate their children in the home; and

WHEREAS, educational variety not only helps to diversify our economy, but also enhances the vibrancy of our community; and,

WHEREAS Shannon County has many high-quality teaching professionals in all types of school settings who are committed to educating our children; and,

WHEREAS, School Choice Week is celebrated across the country by millions of students, parents, educators, schools and organizations to raise awareness of the need for effective educational options;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell Yellow Bull do hereby recognize January 21-27, 2018 as Shannon County School Choice Week, and I call this observance to the attention of all of our citizens.

INSTRUCTIONS

- **If you issue a proclamation, please send a .pdf copy of the proclamation to Noelle DeLaney at proclamations@nscw.org, so that we may recognize you for participating.**
- **If you choose to send a hard copy of an issued proclamation, please send it to: Noelle DeLaney, National School Choice Week, PO Box 1540, Dixon, CA 95620**

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National School Choice Week provides an unprecedented opportunity, every January, to shine a spotlight on the need for effective education options for all children. Independently planned by a diverse coalition of individuals, schools and organizations, NSCW features thousands of special events across the country. The Week is a nonpartisan and nonpolitical public awareness effort.

Our mailing address is:

PO Box 2549, Santa Rosa Beach, FL 32459

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You are subscribed to the National School Choice Week mailing list:

[unsubscribe from this list](#) [update subscription preferences](#)

OGJALA LAKOTA COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Date: 11-6-2017

To: WESTCO, 1-800-762-8906

The Oglala Lakota County Highway Department is requesting a quote on fuel on this 6 day of Nov, 20 17.

Please provide a bid for the following:

250 Gallons of Unleaded Gas at \$ 2.493 /gal.

2,000 ^{#1 dyed} Gallons of Diesel at \$ 2.669 /gal.

550 Gallons of Propane at \$ 1.499 /gal.

The Oglala Lakota County Highway Dept propane tank is a 1,000-gallon tank; the current propane level is 30% percent.

Signature: Louis Marquise
by Kyle

Date: 11-6-17

County Exemptions / Taxes Applicable:

Unleaded: Federal tax exempt; State tax applicable

Diesel: Federal and State tax exempt; \$0.02 EPA tax applicable

Please submit a bid on the above requested fuel, faxed to 1-605-288-1867.

Oglala Lakota County Highway Department
PO Box 208, Batesland, SD 57716
Ph - 605-288-1866, Cell - 605-441-6261, Fax - 605-288-1867
Email: olchwy@hotmail.com

For office use only:
 Response
 No Response

OGLALA LAKOTA COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Date: 11-6-17

To: **NELSON'S, 1-605-745-4188**

The Oglala Lakota County Highway Department is requesting a quote on fuel on this 6 day of NOV, 2017.

Please provide a bid for the following:

250 Gallons of Unleaded Gas at \$ _____ / gal.

2,000 Gallons of Diesel at \$ _____ / gal.
#1 Dyed

550 Gallons of Propane at \$ _____ / gal.

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Signature: _____

Date: _____

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45-12-15 15:19 FROM: PINE RIDGE OIL TO: SHANNON CO HWY DEPT

OGLALA LAKOTA COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Date: 11-6-17

To: PINE RIDGE OIL, 1-605-867-6225

The Oglala Lakota County Highway Department is requesting a quote on fuel on this 6 day of Nov., 2017.

Please provide a bid for the following:

250 Gallons of Unleaded Gas at \$ _____ / gal.

2000 ^{#1 dyed} Gallons of Diesel at \$ _____ / gal.

_____ Gallons of Propane at \$ _____ / gal.

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Signature: _____

Date: _____

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For office use only:

Response

No Response

OGLALA LAKOTA COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Date: 11-6-17

To: **LAKOTA PLAINS, 1-605-867-1677**

The Oglala Lakota County Highway Department is requesting a quote on fuel on this 6 day of NOV, 2017.

Please provide a bid for the following:

_____ Gallons of Unleaded Gas at \$ _____ / gal.

_____ Gallons of Diesel at \$ _____ / gal.

550 Gallons of Propane at \$ _____ / gal.

The Oglala Lakota County Highway Dept. propane tank is a 1,000-gallon tank; the current propane level is 30% percent.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Email: olchwy@hotmail.com

For office use only:

Response

No Response

Sheriff Dep

2.29³

Filled 10-18-2017

~GAS~

DATE	NAME	GALLONS	EQUIPMENT
10-19-17	Ref Course	25.5	BIK Tahoe
10-28-17	Herman	24	White Tahoe
10-28-17	Herman	14.2	BIK/white impulse
11-7-17	Course	21.0	BIK Tahoe
		84.7 Gals	
		X 2.29 ³ per Gal	
		Total 194.2171	

OGLALA LAKOTA COUNTY

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

To: Oglala Lakota County Commissioners

Re: Petition for Private Road Maintenance

The petition is from residents within the boundaries of Oglala Lakota County who have roads that are not on the Oglala Lakota County road system. Road maintenance is being requested at the following physical location (¼ Section, Township, and Range):

Section 17, Township 39, Range 41

Description of requested work would be:

Road work

Cost for the requested work would be:

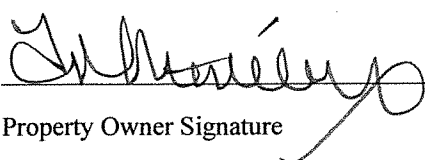
Cost will be determined by the cost accounting system (see attached sheets for estimates), one hour minimum. Time will begin when leaving the shop, and end when returning to the shop if there is no County equipment located near the requested job site; or travel time will be from the area where the equipment is being stored and ending when returning back to the area where the equipment is being stored, if there is County equipment located near the requested job site.

The cost of each project will be estimated by the Highway Superintendent, determined by the number of hours. The estimated cost will be 100% paid by the petitioner to the Highway Superintendent, who will forward the money to the County Auditor, 906 N. River Street, Hots Springs, SD 57747, and upon receipt of money, Auditor will notify the Highway Superintendent to authorize start of project. All contracts will be taken to the Board of Commission meetings for approval in the minutes.

This work will be performed by the Oglala Lakota County Superintendent and employees, with cost records maintained. This work will be only performed when weather permits, and when normal maintenance duties are caught up. State law authorizes a maximum of 6 hours per year, per applicant.

The applicant agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Oglala Lakota County for any and all actions, suits, liability, damages or other proceedings arising out of operations to complete the requested road maintenance.

	PO BOX 7020		
<u>Toni Montileau</u>	<u>Pine Ridge SD</u>	<u>441-1174</u>	<u>11-16-17</u>
Property Owner	Address	Phone #	Date


 Property Owner Signature

		<u></u>	
Oglala Lakota County Chairman	Date	Oglala Lakota Hwy Supt.	Date

<u>1</u>	<u>75.00</u>	
Total Hours Estimated	100% Estimate Amount	Date received by Auditor

Oglala Lakota County Highway Department

(605) 288-1866 ~ shop (605) 288-1867 ~ fax

Name: Toni Montileaux Date: 11-16-17

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>COST PER HOUR</u>	<u>HOURS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Motor Grader	\$75.00	1	75. ⁰⁰
Dump Truck	\$55.00		
Loader	\$55.00		
Semi	\$60.00		
Belly Dump	\$67.00		
Mower Tractor	\$45.00		

Grand Total 75.⁰⁰

Signature [Handwritten Signature] Date: 11-16-17

Superintendent Signature [Handwritten Signature] Date: 11-16-2017

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~~Section 17~~ Section 17, Township 39 Range 41

Description of requested work would be:

Hauling Gravel for approach

Cost for the requested work would be:

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Cheryce Runnels PO Box 2020 Pine Ridge 605-407-608 11/15/17

Property Owner

Address

Phone #

Date



Property Owner Signature

Oglala Lakota County Chairman

Date

 11-15-2017

Oglala Lakota Hwy Supt.

Date

2
Total Hours Estimated

170.00
100% Estimate Amount

Date received by Auditor

Oglala Lakota County Highway Department

(605) 288-1866 ~ shop (605) 288-1867 ~ fax

Name: Cheryce Runnels Date: 11/15/17

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Motor Grader	\$75.00		
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Loader	\$55.00		
Semi	\$60.00	2	120. ⁰⁰
Belly Dump	\$67.00		
Mower Tractor	\$45.00		
	1.00 per Ton	50 TONS	50. ⁰⁰
Grand Total			<u>170.⁰⁰</u>

Signature [Handwritten Signature] Date: 11/15/17

Superintendent Signature [Handwritten Signature] Date: 11-15-2017

BENNETT COUNTY
OFFICE OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

November 15, 2017

Fellow Commissioners;

The cost of providing equal county services to people who live on tax exempt trust lands from county property tax revenues continues to be an issue. I met with representatives for Senators Thune and Rounds and as a result I am planning on setting up a meeting with one or both senators and representative Noem in person to candidly discuss this important financial issue. I have gathered from these meetings we may have better success if a number of concerned commissioners were to attend. With a number of commissioners in attendance, each could relate how these costs impact their respective counties.

If your county is being impacted by these costs and one or more of your commissioners would be willing to attend a meeting as described above, please advise so I can articulate the approximate number of concerned commissioners.

Consider that if a county would bankrupt and the state would have to realign county boundaries to restore solvency, the cost of providing county services to people living on tax exempt lands would continue to place a burden on the county tax revenues of the impacted counties. There is nothing the state can do to resolve this issue. It is a federal issue.

Rolf Kraft, Commissioner
Bennett County Board of Commissioners

11.14.17

RECEIVED
NOV 16 2017

BY: AOC.....

Lakota Co. Commissioners

Question:

I am asking if the Co. can build a bridge on my property here on the east side of Porcupine.

It would also serve as a fire trail crossing as getting across to the south area on BIA-Hwy 23 is difficult now as all the fences and gates there on that side of BIA 23.

Currently; about 6 gates to get to the pine tree area, a needed access in case of any emergency.

Thank you;

Bill Quijas

Box 17

Porcupine SD 57772

1-605-454-5227



Kelly Houghton

440 Regency Parkway Drive Suite 250 / Omaha, NE 68114
Bus: 402-560-2618 / Fax: 402-955-1000
E-mail: khoughton@ameritas.com

August 24, 2017

Sue Ganje
Oglala Lakota County
906 N River St
Hot Springs, SD 57747

Subject: Oglala Lakota County renewal effective December 1, 2017 Policy Number 010.517020

Thank you for choosing an Ameritas Dental and Eye Care Plan.

We're proud to provide plans that help employees get the dental and eye care coverage they need for good health, and we'll work hard to keep earning the privilege of insuring Oglala Lakota County.

A team of associates with actuarial, administrative, marketing, and sales experience has prepared this renewal for the year beginning December 1, 2017. To predict your plan's future performance, we analyzed Oglala Lakota County's claims history and combined this with the historical data of all groups insured for similar benefits.

Based on this analysis, your Dental rates will be adjusted. We are pleased to inform you that your Eye Care rates will remain unchanged. Effective 12/1/2017 through 11/30/2018, the following rates will apply:

Division 1/Class 1

DENTAL RATES

	<u>CURRENT</u>	<u>RENEWAL</u>
Employee	\$ 43.48	\$ 47.40
Employee + Spouse	\$ 89.12	\$ 97.16
Employee + Child(ren)	\$ 107.56	\$ 117.24
Employee + Spouse + Child(ren)	\$ 153.20	\$ 167.00

Division 2/Class 2

EYE CARE RATES

	<u>CURRENT</u>	<u>RENEWAL</u>
Employee	\$ 8.96	\$ 8.96
Employee + Spouse	\$ 19.36	\$ 19.36
Employee + Child(ren)	\$ 15.64	\$ 15.64
Employee + Spouse + Child(ren)	\$ 26.04	\$ 26.04

Our product flexibility enables us to package solutions balanced between benefits and premium to help maximize the plan's effectiveness. At your request, we can research alternatives that may better meet the needs of your company and its employees.

Thank you again for your business. I welcome the opportunity to discuss this renewal. We appreciate the opportunity to continue providing fast and accurate claims processing, exceptional administration, and excellent customer service in the years to come.

Sincerely,

Kelly Houghton

cc: Risty Benefits Inc