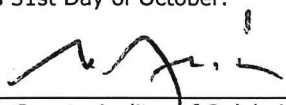


TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF OGLALA LAKOTA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:
 I hereby submit the following report of my examination of the cash and cash items in the hands of the County Treasurer of this County on this 31st day of October 2021.

Total Amount of Deposit in First Interstate Bank, HS:	\$	261,746.46
Total Amount of Cash:	\$	1,365.96
Total Amount of Checks in Treasurer's Possession Not Exceeding Three Days:	\$	10,772.18
MONEY MARKET SAVINGS:		
First Interstate, HS:	\$	3,498,157.92
CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT:		
First Interstate, HS:	\$	202,106.72
Black Hills Federal Credit Union, HS:	\$	50,000.00
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
RETURNED CHECKS:		
Titus, Casey	10/26/2020	\$ 75.00
		TOTAL \$ 4,024,439.24

Dated This 31st Day of October.



 Sue Ganje, County Auditor of Oglala Lakota County

 Teresa Pullen, County Treasurer of Oglala Lakota County

County Monies	\$	3,915,633.23
Held for other Entities	\$	71,799.74
Held in Trust	\$	37,006.27
TOTAL	\$	4,024,439.24

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.

OGLALA LAKOTA COUNTY VSO

MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT October 2021

OFFICE VISITS APPOINTMENTS 8 WALK-INS 34 PHONE 6 TOTAL 48

DEATHS TRIBAL MEMBERS 1 NON-TRIBAL MEMBERS

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

NEW CLAIMS 3 (PERSON 2 PHONE 1)

EXISTING CLAIMS 35 (PERSON 31 PHONE 4)

NEW MEDICAL ENROLLMENT 1

DD214 REQUESTS 6 (OFFICE 6 OTHER)

HOME LOAN 1 VA STATE HOME OTHER 10

SD STATE BENEFITS

VETERANS/ACTIVE DUTY BONUS 1 BURIAL BENEFITS 3 EDUCATION 1

HEADSTONE/SET UP 3 RECORDS/OTHER 8 STATE PARKS

HUNTING/FISHING LICENSES LICENSE PLATES DRIVERS LICENSE

TRIBAL

TRIBAL VETERANS FLAG FUNERALS/ROLL CALL 1

MEETINGS OTHER

PUBLIC OUTREACH

SOCIAL MEDIA RADIO STATION 1 OTHER

OTHER _____

Jerlene C. McDonald

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):

Township 38, Range 41

Description of requested work would be:

Handing water

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.

X Tim HESSENT 29687 Decr Lane Madin SD 605-685-5646 - 10-19-21
Property Owner Address Phone # Date

X Tim HESSENT
Property Owner Signature

Oglala Lakota County Chairman Date

Lynn Bittelzimer 10-19-2021
Oglala Lakota Hwy Supt. Date

2
Total Hours Estimated

116.00
100% Estimate Amount

Date received by Auditor

Oglala Lakota County Highway Department

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

Print X Name:

Tim Hesse

Date:

10-19-21

ITEM	COST PER HOUR	HOURS	TOTAL
Motor Grader	\$78.00		
Dump Truck	\$58.00	<i>2</i>	<i>116.00</i>
Loader	\$58.00		
Semi/Belly Dump	\$132.00		
Pit Run Gravel	\$2.00		
Mower Tractor	\$48.00		

Grand Total

116.00

X Signature

Tim Hesse

Date:

10-19-21

Superintendent Signature

James Buttelmann

Date:

10-19-2021

Ogalala Lakota County Census Report

2020 Census Report

Total County Population: 13,672

Racial Statistics

- 93.8% American Indian
- 3.3% White
- 1.3% American Indian & White
- 0.3% American Indian & African American
- 0.3% Asian
- 0.3% Other
- 0.2% African American
- 0.2% White & Other

District Statistics

Number of Commissioner Districts: 5

Optimal District Population: 2734

Current District Populations (with deviation from optimal)

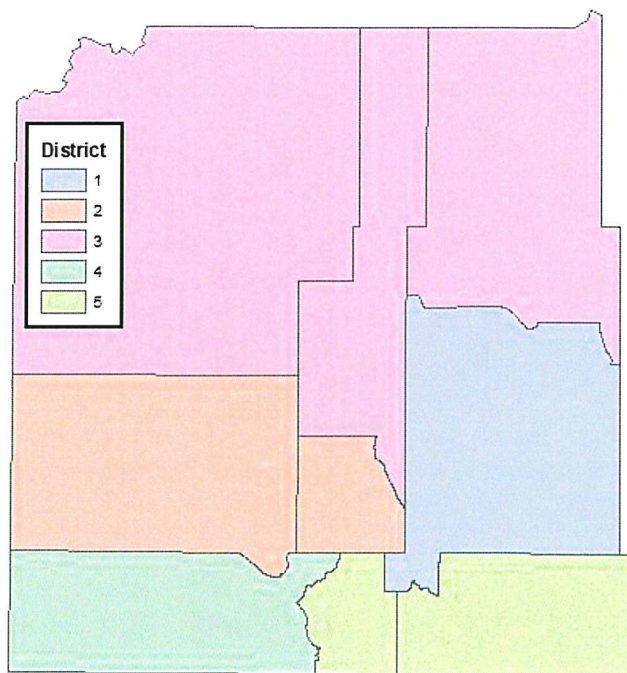
- District 1: 2662 (-72)
- District 2: 2626 (-108)
- District 3: 2665 (-69)
- District 4: 2704 (-30)
- District 5: 3010 (276)

Lowest Population District: #2 – deviation of 4%

Highest Population District: #5 – deviation of 10%

Total deviation 14%

Oglala Lakota County is beyond the 10% total deviation allowed under malapportionment and will need some redistricting.



LICENSE AGREEMENT

This Agreement is made and entered into this 28th day of October 2021 by and between VANGUARD APPRAISALS, INC., an Iowa corporation, having offices at 1065 Sierra Ct. N.E., Suite D, Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52402 ("Vanguard") and Fall River County, SD, Director of Equalization ("Client").

WHEREAS, Vanguard owns, and licenses others to use, certain computer application software modules and related materials known as Vanguard Computer Systems *CAMAvision@* software for personal property appraisals and real estate appraisals, and

WHEREAS, Client desires to purchase from Vanguard a non-exclusive license and right to use selected portions or modules of the Vanguard Computer Systems *CAMAvision@* software and related materials solely for Client's own purpose of appraising real estate and/or personal property, and Vanguard is willing to grant Client such a license subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

Now therefore, the parties agree as follows:

1. **LICENSED MATERIALS.** "Licensed Materials" shall mean the selected portions or modules of the Vanguard Computer Systems *CAMAvision@* software identified on Schedule A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and any related documentation or materials, and any updates and additions to such software, documentation or materials, to be furnished to Client under this Agreement from time to time.
2. **GRANT OF LICENSE.** Vanguard grants to Client and Client accepts, on and subject to limitations, terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, a non-exclusive, non-transferable right and license to use Licensed Materials solely for Client's personal and internal purpose of appraising real estate and/or personal property. Each module of the Licensed Materials may only be installed and used on one server at a time, and the Licensed Materials may only be accessed at any one time by the number of users for which Client has paid a license fee as set forth in Schedule A. Additional licensed users for each of the Licensed Materials and additional modules of the Vanguard Computer Systems *CAMAvision@* software may be added to this License Agreement as Licensed Materials through supplements to Schedule A approved in writing by both Vanguard and Client, or pursuant to a new License Agreement executed by the parties.
3. **LICENSE FEES.**
 - (a) Vanguard shall supply the modules of the Licensed Materials and/or Internet Service listed on the attached Schedule A and Vanguard will invoice Client for, and Client agrees to pay, the license fees indicated on the attached Schedule A.
 - (b) All license fees are exclusive of shipping charges and any federal, state, provincial or local taxes, including any sales, use, VAT or other taxes imposed on this transaction, the license fees, or on Licensee's use or possession of the Licensed materials, all of which, if any, shall be paid by Client without deduction from the license fees.
 - (c) Fees paid or payable by Client for the purchase of the license for the Licensed Materials are not refundable by Vanguard, and no adjustment will be made to such fees if Client discontinues use of the Licensed Materials or if Vanguard terminates this Agreement under Section 8(b) below. Vanguard reserves the right to collect 75% of the total license fees should the client choose to cancel this Agreement prior to installation of the Licensed Materials.
4. **LIMITATIONS ON USE OF THE LICENSED MATERIALS.** Client shall not, directly or indirectly:
 - (a) allow the modules contained in the Licensed materials to be used at any point in time by more than the number of persons for whom a licensee fee has been paid, as specified on Schedule A, and all such use may only be by those persons using such modules for the benefit of Client in the course and scope of their employment as an employee of Client;
 - (b) copy, modify or create derivative works of the Licensed Materials;
 - (c) transmit, translate, reverse engineer, decompile, disassemble or otherwise attempt to derive the source code for the Licensed Materials;
 - (d) without the prior written consent of Vanguard, which consent may be withheld by Vanguard in its sole discretion, assign this Agreement, or rent, lease, license, sublicense the Licensed Materials to any other person, or transfer,

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allow access to, distribute or otherwise make available License Materials to independent contractors or others who do not receive a Form W-2, Wage and Tax Statement, from Client, as used in the United States income tax system as an information return to report wages paid to employees and the taxes withheld from them, or to allow others to do so; or;

(e) incorporate the Licensed Software, in whole or in part, into a product which Vanguard determines is designed to compete with the Licensed Materials, which will include, but not be limited to, local databases or Web-based search engines; or

(f) make more than one copy of the Licensed Materials for backup.

5. **CONFIDENTIALITY.**

(a) Client covenants and agrees as follows:

(1) to receive and hold in confidence all Confidential Information revealed to Client by Vanguard pursuant to this Agreement;

(2) to not disclose any Confidential Information except to regular employees of Client who will receive a Form W-2, Wage and Tax Statement, from Client, in the current tax year (hereinafter referred to as "Client's Representatives") who have a reasonable need-to-know, who know of Client's obligations hereunder, and who are under like obligations with respect to Confidential Information received hereunder by virtue of their employment relationship with Client. Client assumes full responsibility for the compliance of Client's Representatives with the restrictions of this Agreement, all of which restrictions shall apply to and bind Client's Representatives. Any other disclosure of Vanguard's Confidential Information shall require Vanguard's prior written permission and execution of a similar agreement.

(3) not to use any Confidential Information for itself or for any third party or for any reason or purpose other than solely for its own purpose of appraising real estate;

(4) not to use any Confidential Information in any way detrimental to Vanguard (it being acknowledged that any use of Confidential Information by Client for purposes other than to solely for its own purpose of appraising real estate will be deemed detrimental to Vanguard and that no such use shall allow any disclosure that violates paragraph 5(a)(2) above; and

(5) at any time, upon the written request of Vanguard, (i) immediately return to Vanguard all copies of Licensed Materials and all additional documents and things within Client's possession, custody or control containing or reflecting any Confidential Information, (ii) irretrievably delete or erase all Confidential Information from any electronic storage medium (i.e., computers, computer disks, zip drives, etc.) within Client's possession, custody or control and provide Vanguard with a written statement confirming that all Confidential Information of Vanguard has been returned or deleted, and (iii) make no further use of the Confidential Information.

(b) As used in this Agreement, "Confidential Information" shall mean information relating to the Licensed Materials presented or disclosed to Client by Vanguard, whether such information is presented or disclosed in writing, electronic form, orally or obtained by visual inspection. Client agrees and acknowledges that such Confidential Information is not generally known to Vanguard's competitors, which gives Vanguard a competitive advantage over others who do not possess such Confidential Information. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Confidential Information shall not include information (regardless of how it may be marked) which (a) is already rightfully known to Client unless it is only known by Client due to Vanguard's disclosure of Confidential Information to Client prior to the execution of this Agreement, (b) was or becomes publicly known without disclosure by Client, (c) was or is acquired by Client from a third party, provided that the third party providing such information has not thereby breached any agreement with, or acted in derogation of, any confidential relationship with Vanguard, or (d) is disclosed pursuant to the lawful requirement of a government agency or is required by operation of law provided that Client gives Vanguard written notice of said disclosure request and a copy thereof so that Vanguard can take action, if any, to protect its Confidential Information. The burden shall be on Client to establish that information pertaining to Vanguard and/or the Licensed Materials is not Confidential Information.

6. **LIMITED WARRANTY.**

(a) Vanguard warrants that during the Warranty Period (as defined below) the software module(s) contained in the Licensed Materials will be free from material, reproducible programming malfunctions or defects and will operate in all material respects in conformity with the current specifications for such module(s) published by Vanguard. Vanguard does not warrant that the modules in the Licensed Materials will operate uninterrupted or error free.

(b) As the sole obligation of Vanguard and the sole remedy of Client under the foregoing warranty, Vanguard will seek to correct, through the means Vanguard determines to be most appropriate, any malfunction or defect in such Licensed Materials at no additional charge to Client within a reasonable time after they become known, provided (1) such malfunctions or defects are reported to Vanguard by Client within twelve (12) months from the effective date of this Agreement or thereafter during any period in which Client maintains a Service Contract with Vanguard under which Client is current and not in default (the "Warranty Period"), and (2) Vanguard is able to reproduce and confirm the reported malfunction or defect.

(c) The foregoing limited warranty shall be null and void, and Vanguard shall have no warranty obligation with respect to any software module contained in the Licensed Materials if such module is modified or altered by any party other than Vanguard, its employees or agents, or such module is used for purposes for which it was not intended or for purposes not authorized by this Agreement, or the module was damaged due to causes external to such software (e.g., a power surge or electromagnetic field, etc.). Vanguard shall have no responsibility for any hardware failures.

(d) THE LICENSED MATERIALS ARE OTHERWISE PROVIDED AS IS WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND. TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, VANGUARD FURTHER DISCLAIMS ALL WARRANTIES, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, FREEDOM FROM INTERFERENCE WITH ENJOYMENT OR FROM NON-INFRINGEMENT OF THIRD PARTY INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS, AND ANY WARRANTIES THAT MAY ARISE OR BE DEEMED TO ARISE FROM ANY COURSE OF PERFORMANCE, COURSE OF DEALING OR USAGE OF TRADE. THE ENTIRE RISK ARISING OUT OF THE USE OR PERFORMANCE OF THE LICENSED MATERIALS REMAINS WITH CLIENT.

(e) TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, IN NO EVENT SHALL VANGUARD OR ITS SUPPLIERS BE LIABLE TO CLIENT OR ANY OTHER PERSON OR ENTITY FOR ANY CONSEQUENTIAL, INCIDENTAL, DIRECT, INDIRECT, SPECIAL, PUNITIVE, OR OTHER DAMAGES WHATSOEVER (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, DAMAGES FOR LOSS OF BUSINESS PROFITS, BUSINESS INTERRUPTION, THE COSTS OF SUBSTITUTE SOFTWARE OR SERVICES, LOSSES RESULTING FROM ERASURE, DAMAGE, DESTRUCTION OR OTHER LOSS OF FILES, DATA OR PROGRAMS OR THE COST OF RECOVERING SUCH INFORMATION, OR OTHER PECUNIARY LOSS) ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT OR THE USE OF OR INABILITY TO USE THE LICENSED MATERIALS, EVEN IF VANGUARD HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES. BECAUSE SOME STATES/JURISDICTIONS DO NOT ALLOW THE EXCLUSION OR LIMITATION OF LIABILITY FOR CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES, THE ABOVE LIMITATION MAY NOT APPLY TO CLIENT. In no event shall Vanguard's liability for the performance or nonperformance of this Agreement, or otherwise, exceed the amount actually paid to Vanguard under this Agreement.

7. **TITLE.** Title, ownership, rights and intellectual property rights in and to the Licensed Materials shall remain in Vanguard and/or its suppliers. The Licensed Materials are protected by the copyright laws of the United States and international copyright treaties. Title, ownership rights and intellectual property rights in and to the content accessed through the Licensed Materials is the property of the applicable content owner and may be protected by applicable copyright or other law. This license gives you no rights to such content.

8. **TERM.**

(a) The rights granted by Vanguard shall take effect on the date first written above and shall remain in force as long as Client is in compliance with the limitations, terms and conditions of this Agreement, provided Vanguard reserves the right to change this Agreement when deemed necessary in Vanguard's discretion due to changes in technical specifications.

(b) Vanguard further reserves the right to terminate this Agreement and any Service Contract by written notice to Client if Client fails to comply with any of the limitations, terms or conditions set forth in this Agreement and such failure continues for a period of ten (10) days after Client receives written notice of such failure from Vanguard.

(c) Upon termination of this Agreement in accordance with Section 8(b), Client shall cease to use, and promptly relinquish and return to Vanguard the Licensed Materials, and Vanguard shall have the right to uninstall Licensed Materials from the Client's system. Sections, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 10 shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

9. **REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF CLIENT.** Client represents and warrants to Vanguard as follows:

(a) Client has taken all necessary action to make this Agreement legally binding on Client, that the individual signing this Agreement on behalf of Client has been fully authorized and empowered to execute this Agreement on behalf of Client, and this Agreement constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation of Client in accordance with its terms, (b) no consent,


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approval or authorization by any other party or governmental authority is required in connection with the execution, delivery, validity or enforceability of this Agreement; and (c) Client has funding sufficient for Client to fulfill it obligations under this Agreement.

10. **MISCELLANEOUS.** (a) This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties concerning the subject matter hereof; (b) this Agreement may be amended only by a writing signed by both parties; (c) this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Iowa, without regard to conflicts of law provisions, (d) any litigation arising out of this Agreement shall only be commenced in, and Client consents to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in Linn County, Iowa; (e) if any provision in this Agreement should be held illegal or unenforceable by a court having jurisdiction, such provision shall be modified to the extent necessary to render it enforceable without losing its intent or severed from this Agreement if no such modification is possible, and other provisions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect; (f) a waiver by either party of any term or condition of this Agreement or any breach thereof, in any one instance, shall not waive such term or condition or any subsequent breach thereof; (g) the provisions of this Agreement that require or contemplate performance after the expiration or termination of this Agreement shall be enforceable notwithstanding said expiration or termination; (h) neither party shall be in default or be liable for any delay, failure in performance (excepting the obligation to pay), or interruption of service resulting directly or indirectly from any cause beyond its reasonable control; (i) Vanguard shall be entitled (without the necessity of posting any bond or establishing the inadequacy of damages as a remedy) to specific performance and injunctive relief to correct or enjoin any breach or threatened breach of Sections 4 and 5, in addition to all other remedies which might be available at law or in equity; and (j) If any dispute arises under this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be reimbursed by the other party for any and all legal fees and costs associated therewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this LICENSE AGREEMENT to be executed by their duly authorized representatives in duplicate as of the date and year first above written.

VANGUARD APPRAISALS, INC.

By:  _____
Brad Miller, Senior Vice President/CIO

SD0025
Fall River County

By: _____
Official Title: _____
Date: _____

Fall River County (*Additional signature if required by jurisdiction.*)

By: _____
Official Title: _____
Date: _____

SCHEDULE "A"
Fall River County SD0025

LICENSED MATERIALS:

FEE:

Database - Additional
License No. - XDB0044

\$ 750.00

Total

\$750.00

Oglala Lakota County Certified

SERVICE CONTRACT

Database - Additional

This Service Contract is made and entered into by and between Vanguard Appraisals, Inc., an Iowa corporation ("Vanguard") and the Fall River County, SD, Director of Equalization ("Client").

WHEREAS, Vanguard owns certain computer application software modules and related materials known as Vanguard Computer Systems software and the Client is presently using or desires to use said system under license from Vanguard and in connection with such use Vanguard agrees to provide the Client with the following services as applicable:

1. **TERM.** This contract is for a one year period upon software installation or commencing on 02/28/2022 whichever comes first. Vanguard reserves the right to collect 75% of the total service fees should the client choose to terminate the service contract prior to installation of the Licensed Materials. This contract shall automatically renew on the contract date at Vanguard's then current service contract rate unless the Client notifies Vanguard of their desire to cancel within thirty (30) days prior to renewal, otherwise the cancellation date shall be on the date of notification to Vanguard. Vanguard must be notified in writing of any cancellation of service.
2. **INSTALLATION AND TRAINING.** Vanguard shall install and test the software on the Client's equipment. Up to 1 hours of hands-on, on-site training, working with the Client's personnel will be provided by Vanguard under this Contract. All time for installation, training and Vanguard's staff travel time will count against and be deducted from the service contract time balance. See item 6 for additional installations.
3. **ENHANCEMENTS, UPDATES AND VERSION CONTROL.** As Vanguard continues to improve on the basic program, and work on suggestions for features and improvements from users, Client will automatically receive during the term of this service contract, provided Client is current and not in default of any payments due Vanguard, all updating information; i.e. cost table revisions, current function enhancements, etc. as and when released by Vanguard, for the modules of the Vanguard Computer Systems software for which Client has a license and maintains this Service Contract. However, this service contract does not include future programs such as, but not limited to, the professional version, income module, data conversion due to software rewrite because of operating system changes, data conversion from other vendor's software, etc. Upon receipt of the newest version of the modules, the Client will only be entitled to receive telephone consultation on prior versions of the modules for no more than one hundred eighty (180) days without additional charge, unless there was prior written consent between the Client and Vanguard. Telephone consultation after one hundred eighty (180) days with respect to prior versions of the modules will be available at our then current normal service fee rate (call for current rate).
4. **CONSULTATION.** All service contract holders have unlimited telephone consultation privileges during normal business hours which relate to operation of Vanguard Computer Systems software (VCS). All non-VCS telephone consultation (such as hardware operations or malfunction, third party software operation or integration, etc.) will be charged at the then current normal telephone service fee rate (call for current rate). Service PLUS contracts for additional time may be purchased at a reduced service fee rate (call for rate).
5. **ADDITIONAL SERVICES.** Additional training and on-site consultation, such as manual level studies, look-up table maintenance, jurisdictional adjustments to data, etc. shall be available at Vanguard's then current normal service fee rate. All staff travel time will be charged at the per diem rate. A minimum charge of one day per instance will be billed. Service PLUS contracts for additional time may be purchased at a reduced service fee rate (call for rate).
6. **ADDITIONAL INSTALLATIONS.** If additional copies of the program were installed on additional computers in the client's office, the terms of this Contract shall apply to additional installations in the same manner as the original installation.
7. **LIMITED WARRANTY.** Vanguard shall perform its services hereunder in a workmanlike manner. Vanguard does not warrant that the services will be error free. EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY SET FORTH IN THIS SERVICE CONTRACT, VANGUARD EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS ANY AND ALL WARRANTIES CONCERNING THE SERVICES TO BE RENDERED HEREUNDER, WHETHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, AND ANY WARRANTIES THAT MAY ARISE OR BE DEEMED TO ARISE FROM ANY COURSE OF PERFORMANCE, COURSE OF DEALING OR USAGE OF TRADE. In no event shall Vanguard be liable to Client or any other person for any indirect, consequential, special, exemplary, or incidental damages of whatever kind and however caused, even if Vanguard knew or should have known of the possibility of such damages. In no event shall Vanguard's cumulative liability for any claim arising in connection with this Service Contract exceed the total fees and charges paid to Vanguard under this Service Contract during the last 12 months. No action, whether based in contract, strict liability, or tort, including any action based on negligence, arising out of the performance of services under this Contract, may be brought by Client more than 1 year after such cause of action accrued.
8. **SERVICE CONTRACT FEES.** The total service contract fee for the term is as follows:

License - XDB0044
 Database - Additional.....\$ 750.00

All payments to Vanguard under this Service Contract shall be payable in U.S. dollars and shall be net of any and all taxes, withholdings, setoffs, or deductions of any nature.

9. **MISCELLANEOUS.** This Contract (a) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties concerning the subject matter hereof; (b) may be amended only by a writing signed by both parties; (c) shall be governed by the laws of the State of Iowa, without regard to conflicts of law provisions. Any litigation arising out of this Contract shall only be commenced in, and Client consents to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in Linn County, Iowa. If any provision in this Contract should be held illegal or unenforceable by a court having jurisdiction, such provision shall be modified to the extent necessary to render it enforceable without losing its intent or severed from this Contract if no such modification is possible, and other provisions of this Contract shall remain in full force and effect; A waiver by either party of any term or condition of this Contract or any breach thereof, in any one instance, shall not waive such term or condition or any subsequent breach thereof. Neither party shall be in default or be liable for any delay, failure in performance (excepting the obligation to pay), or interruption of service resulting directly or indirectly from any cause beyond its reasonable control.

**SERVICE CONTRACT
Signature Page**

VANGUARD APPRAISALS, INC.

By: 
Brad M. Miller, Senior Vice President/CIO
Dated: October 28, 2021

**SD0025
Fall River County**

By: _____
Official Title: _____
Date: _____

Fall River County *(Additional signature if required by jurisdiction.)*

By: _____
Official Title: _____
Date: _____

XDB0044 Database - Additional (Used in Oglala Lakota County for Certified Database)



Vanguard Appraisals, Inc.
 1065 Sierra Ct. N. E.
 Suite D
 Cedar Rapids, IA 52402

INVOICE

DATE	INVOICE #
10/28/2021	18520

BILL TO
Fall River County Director of Equalization 1029 N River St Hot Springs, SD 57747-1387

NOTE: Balance not due until installed.

Account #	License Number
SD0025	XDB0044

QTY/...	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	INSTALLED	AMOUNT
1	Database - Additional	Additional Database License		3,900.00
	Discount Special-Lic...	Per BMM		-3,150.00
		License Fees		750.00
1	Database Add'l-	Service Fees		750.00
		Service Fees First Year Only Sub Total		750.00

Total	\$1,500.00
Payments/Credits	\$0.00
Balance Due	\$1,500.00



OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

1302 East Highway 14, Suite 1
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-8501

Phone (605) 773-3215

Fax (605) 773-4106

TTY (605) 773-6585

<http://atg.sd.gov>

JASON R. RAVNSBORG

ATTORNEY GENERAL

CHARLES D. McGUIGAN

CHIEF DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

TO LOCAL POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS:

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE NATIONAL OPIOID SETTLEMENT.

SUBDIVISIONS MUST SUBMIT SIGNED DOCUMENTATION TO PARTICIPATE.

THE DEADLINE FOR PARTICIPATION TO MAXIMIZE SETTLEMENT BENEFITS IS JANUARY 2, 2022.

If your subdivision is represented by an attorney with respect to opioid claims, please immediately contact them.

After years of negotiations, two proposed nationwide settlement agreements (“Settlements”) have been reached that would resolve all opioid litigation brought by states and local political subdivisions against the three largest pharmaceutical distributors, McKesson, Cardinal Health and AmerisourceBergen (“Distributors”), and one manufacturer, Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and its parent company Johnson & Johnson (collectively, “Janssen”).

The proposed Settlements require the Distributors and Janssen to pay billions of dollars to abate the opioid epidemic. Specifically, the Settlements require the Distributors to pay up to \$21 billion over 18 years and Janssen to pay up to \$5 billion over no more than 9 years, for a total of \$26 billion (the “Settlement Amount”). Of the Settlement Amount, approximately \$22.7 billion is earmarked for use by participating states and subdivisions to remediate and abate the impacts of the opioid crisis.

The Settlements also contain injunctive relief provisions governing the opioid marketing, sale and distribution practices at the heart of the states’ and subdivisions’ lawsuits and further require the Distributors to implement additional safeguards to prevent diversion of prescription opioids.

Each of the proposed Settlements has two key participation steps. First, each state decides whether to participate in the Settlements. South Dakota has joined both settlements. Second, the subdivisions within each participating state must then decide whether to participate in the Settlements. Generally, the more subdivisions that participate, the greater the amount of funds that flow to that state and its participating subdivisions. Any subdivision that does not participate cannot directly share in any of the settlement funds, even if the subdivision’s state is settling and other participating subdivisions are sharing in settlement funds.

This letter is part of the formal notice required by the Settlements.

WHY IS YOUR SUBDIVISION RECEIVING THIS NOTICE?

You are receiving this letter because South Dakota has elected to participate in both of the two national Settlements against (1) the Distributors, and (2) Janssen, and your subdivision may participate in the Settlements to which your state has agreed. This notice is being sent directly to subdivisions and also to attorneys for subdivisions that we understand are litigating against these companies. If you are represented by an attorney with respect to opioid claims, please immediately contact them. Please note that there is no need for subdivisions to be represented by an attorney or to have filed a lawsuit to participate in the Settlements.

WHERE CAN YOU FIND MORE INFORMATION?

This letter is intended to provide a brief overview of the Settlements. Detailed information about the Settlements may be found at: <https://nationalopioidsettlement.com/>. This national settlement website also includes links to information about how the Settlements are being implemented in your state and how settlement funds will be allocated within your state. This website will be supplemented as additional documents are created.

HOW DO YOU PARTICIPATE IN THE SETTLEMENTS?

You must go to the national settlement website to register to receive in the coming weeks and months the documentation your subdivision will need to participate in the Settlements (if your subdivision is eligible). All required documentation must be executed and submitted electronically through the website and must be executed using the “DocuSign” service. As part of the registration process, your subdivision will need to identify, and provide the email address for, the individual who will be authorized to sign formal and binding documents on behalf of your subdivision.

Your unique Subdivision Identification Number to use to register is: 4TFH9T

HOW WILL SETTLEMENT FUNDS BE ALLOCATED IN EACH STATE?

The settlement funds are first divided among the participating states according to a formula developed by the Attorneys General that considers population and the severity of harm caused by the opioid epidemic in each participating state. Each state’s share of the abatement funds is then further allocated within each state according to agreement between the state and its subdivisions, applicable state allocation legislation, or, in the absence of these, the default provisions in the agreements.

Many states have or are in the process of reaching an agreement on how to allocate abatement funds within the states. Allocation agreements/legislation and other information about South Dakota’s allocation agreement or legislation can be found on the national settlement website. The allocation section of the website will be supplemented as more intra-state allocation arrangements are finalized.

In reviewing allocation information, please note that while all subdivisions may participate in the Settlements, not all subdivisions are eligible to receive direct payments. To promote efficiency in the use of abatement funds and avoid administratively burdensome disbursements that would be too small to add a meaningful abatement response, certain smaller subdivisions do not automatically receive a direct allocation. However, participation by such subdivisions will help maximize the amount of abatement funds being paid in the Settlements, including those going to counties, cities, parishes, and other larger subdivisions in their communities.

To determine your eligibility to receive, directly or indirectly, any of the funds allocated to your state should you elect to participate in the Settlements in which your state participates, you should first visit <https://nationalopioidsettlement.com/> to determine if your state has entered into a state-subdivision agreement or has an allocation statute and/or a statutory trust. If so, then the terms of the state-subdivision agreement, allocation statute, and/or statutory trust (as applicable) will govern your eligibility to receive funds directly or indirectly from the share that is allocated to your state under the national settlement agreements. In some states there will be a proposed state-subdivision agreement that is in the process of being adopted by subdivisions. Any questions concerning the status or terms of the state-subdivision agreement, allocation statute, and/or statutory trust in your state, if applicable, can be directed to the Attorney General’s Office.

You may be contacted by the Attorney General's Office with additional information regarding the allocation of settlement funds in South Dakota. Subdivisions with representation can expect information from their attorneys as well. We encourage you to review all materials and to follow up with any questions. The terms of these Settlements are complex and we want to be sure you have all the information you need to make your participation decision.

WHY YOU SHOULD PARTICIPATE

A vast majority of states have joined the Settlements, and attorneys for many subdivisions have already announced support for them. For example, the Plaintiffs' Executive Committee, charged with leading the litigation on behalf of more than 3,000 cities, counties and others against the opioid industry, and consolidated in the national multi-district litigation ("MDL") pending before Judge Dan Aaron Polster in the Northern District of Ohio, recommends participation in these Settlements.

Subdivision participation is strongly encouraged, for the following reasons:

First, the amounts to be paid under the Settlements, while insufficient to abate the epidemic fully, will allow state and local governments to commence with meaningful change designed to curb opioid addiction, overdose and death;

Second, time is of the essence. The opioid epidemic continues to devastate communities around the country and it is critical that the funds begin to flow to allow governments to address the epidemic in their communities *as soon as possible*;

Third, if there is not sufficient subdivision participation in these proposed Settlements, the Settlements will not be finalized, the important business practice changes will not be implemented, the billions of dollars in abatement funds will not flow to communities, and more than 3,000 cases may be sent back to their home courts for trial, which will take many years;

Fourth, the extent of participation also will determine how much money each state and its local subdivisions will receive because approximately half of the abatement funds are in the form of "incentive payments," *i.e.*, the higher the participation of subdivisions in a state, the greater the amount of settlement funds that flow into that state;

Fifth, you know first-hand the effects of the opioid epidemic on your community. Funds from these Settlements will be used to commence abatement of the crisis and provide relief to your citizens while litigation and settlement discussions proceed against numerous other defendants in the opioid industry; and

Sixth, because pills do not respect boundaries, the opioid epidemic is a national crisis that needs a national solution.

NEXT STEPS

These Settlements require that you take affirmative steps to "opt in" to the Settlements. If you do not act, you will not receive any settlement funds and you will not contribute to reaching the participation thresholds that will deliver the maximum amount of abatement funds to your state.

First, register your subdivision on the national settlement website so that information and documents required to participate can be sent to you. You will need the email address of the person who will be authorized to sign on behalf of your subdivision. This is the only action item needed at this time.

Second, have your authorizing person(s) or body begin to review the materials on the websites concerning the settlement agreement terms, allocation and other matters. Develop a list of questions for your counsel or the Attorney General's Office. In the very near future, your subdivision will need to begin the process of deciding whether to participate in the proposed Settlements, and subdivisions are encouraged to work through this process well before the January 2, 2022 deadline to be an initial participating subdivision. Again, the Attorney General's Office, your counsel, and other contacts within the state are available to discuss the specifics of the Settlements within your state, and we encourage you to discuss the terms and benefits of the Settlements with them.

Third, monitor your email for further communications, which will include a Participation Agreement, Release, (where applicable) a model Resolution, and instructions on executing and submitting electronically using DocuSign.

We urge you to view the national settlement website at your earliest convenience. Information and documents regarding the national Settlements and your state allocation can be found on the settlement website at <https://nationalopioidsettlement.com/>.

If there are questions concerning this matter, please have your attorney contact at (605) 773-3215 either:

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