

**OGLALA LAKOTA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
AGENDA  
COURTHOUSE – THIRD FLOOR MEETING ROOM  
906 NORTH RIVER STREET, HOT SPRINGS SD  
WEDNESDAY AUGUST 9, 2023**

**1:00 Call Meeting to Order  
Pledge of Allegiance  
Review Agenda for Conflicts**

**Action Agenda Items for Consideration:**

**\*Approve Agenda**

**\*Approve minutes of County Commissioners – July 21, 2023 and August 3, 2023**

**\*Approve the Auditor’s Account with the Treasurer for July, 2023**

**\*Travel approval for Commissioners and Sheriff to attend the State Tribal Opioid and Methamphetamine Prevention Summit on October 3, 2023 in Pierre; possible action**

**(Move any unfinished items to end of meeting)**

**1:05 Al Schaefer, SD State Legislative Audit-\*2020-2021 Audit Exit Conference**

**1:15 Request for funding in the amount of \$10,000.00 for the Oglala Lakota Nation Fair and Rodeo Pow Wow from Tyler Yellow Boy, Chairman of 2023 Oglala Lakota Nation Fair and Rodeo; possible action**

**1:20 Lynx Bettelyoun, Highway Superintendent-\*Review quote from Fair Manufacturing for Snocrete model 948D snow blower in the amount of \$162,318.00; approve to pay previously voided transaction and pay the quoted amount for freight to Batesland, SD for Model 948D snow blower in the amount of \$1,000.00; possible action  
\*Updates**

**1:30 Jerlene Arredondo, Veteran’s Service Office-\*Travel approval request to attend the Annual Veteran Service Officer Conference in Sioux Falls, September 5<sup>th</sup> through the 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023; possible action  
\*Monthly Report**

**1:35 Discussion on HB3372 regarding a letter opposing heavier trucks requested by GoRail, a National non-Profit that advances smart transportation policy; possible action**

**1:40 Discuss usage of assigned General Fund surplus cash (ARPA); possible action**

**1:50 Wendell Yellow Bull, Commissioner-\*Resolution to limit funding to \$20,000.00 and to only provide funding to outside organizations that provide public-service related services to residents of Oglala Lakota County; possible action**

**\*Resolution earmarking \$1,000,000.00 of the assigned General Fund surplus cash for the improvements to the County Shop; possible action**

- 2:05 Ramon Bear Runner, Commissioner-\*Discussion on BMS/OLHA regarding working with young people; possible action**
- 2:10 Teresa Pullen, Treasurer-\*Discussion regarding Property Tax payment plans; possible action**
- 2:20 Sue Ganje, Auditor-\*Review 2024 Provisional Budget; motion to approve**
- 2:30 Commissioners-\*Report on Human Trafficking workshop in Pierre**
- 2:40 Vanessa Plume-Sheriff-\*Report on Human Trafficking workshop in Pierre**  
**\*Memorandum of Agreement between Prairie Wind Casino of the Oglala Sioux Tribe on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation and Oglala Lakota County; possible action**  
**\*Request for additional backup and support for County Law Enforcement for deeded property on the Reservation, continued discussion**  
**\*Updates**
- 2:50 Public Comment**
- 2:55 Approve bills**
- 3:00 Executive Session, SDCL 1-25-2 (1) Personnel; Executive Session, 1-25-2 (3) Legal**

**Adjourn**

**\*\*\*Call in \*\*\***

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