

**THURSTON COUNTY BOARD  
PROCEEDINGS  
Special Meeting  
September 29, 2025**

A Special Board meeting was held at the regular meeting place of the Board in Thurston County, Nebraska Courthouse in Pender, Nebraska on the 29th day of September 2025. Present were Davin French, Mark English, Robb Roeber, and Ben Walker, Georgia Mayberry. Absent James Price and Jim Mueller. Also, present Shelly Copple deputy of County Clerk, County Attorney Tammy Maul Bodlak. The meeting was called to order by Chairman of the Board Davin French at 9:00 a.m. The Chairman announced that the open meeting laws would be followed during this meeting and are posted the back wall of the board room for anyone wishing to review them.

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Motioned by Mayberry second by Roeber to open the 2025-2026 Budget hearing. Roll call: Mayberry, English, Roeber, Walker, French. Absent: Mueller, and Price. Motioned carried.

A public hearing to receive taxpayers support, opposition, or observation on the proposed 2025-2026 budget which was published in the Pender Times the legal newspaper, on September 25th, 2025.

Shelly Copple presented the Budget: 1. Total budget is \$15,249,501.54. The total tax dollar requested is General \$4,434,428.00. The Jail Bond is \$379,348.00.

Motioned by Mayberry second by Walker to approve the budget hearing as presented. Roll call: Mayberry, English, Roeber, Walker, French. Absent: Mueller, and Price. Motioned carried.

There being no public comment, the hearing was closed at 9:06 a.m. by Chairman French.

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The Board of Supervisors reconvened at 9:06 a.m. to approve the 2025-2026 Budget.

A public hearing to receive taxpayer support, opposition, or observation on setting the final tax request for 2025-2026

Motioned by Mayberry second by Roeber to accept and approve 2025-2026 Budget. Roll call: Mayberry, English, Roeber, Walker, French. Absent: Mueller, and Price Motioned carried.

Motion by Mayberry second by Roeber to adopt Resolution #25-23 Adoption and Appropriations. Roll call: Mayberry, English, Roeber, Walker, French. Absent: Mueller, and Price Motioned carried.

Motioned by Mayberry second by English to adopt Resolution #25-24 Property Tax request. Roll call: Mayberry, English, Roeber, Walker, French. Absent: Mueller, and Price. Motioned carried.

Hearing was closed at 9:07 a.m.

Motioned by Mayberry second by Roeber to adjourn at 9:08 a.m. Roll call: Mayberry, English, Roeber, Walker, French. Absent: Mueller, and Price. Motioned carried.

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Shelly Copple- Deputy County Clerk

Davin French- Chairman