



# Merrick Board of Equalization Minutes



## **March 11, 2014**

The Merrick County Board of Equalization met Tuesday, March 11, 2014 at 9:00 a.m. in the Supervisors Room, County Courthouse, Central City, NE, with Graves, Helgoth, Kucera, Hahn, Jefferson, Weller and Wiegert present. County Attorney Homolka was also present.

Notice of the meeting was given thereof by publications in the Republican Nonpareil and The Palmer Journal and the Merrick County Website. Proof of publication is filed in the Clerk's Office. Copies of the agenda were mailed to each Supervisor and kept current and available to the public at the County Clerk's Office.

Chairman Wiegert declared the meeting was preceded by publicized notice and having acknowledged and identified the location of the posting of the current copy of the Open Meetings Act, called the meeting to order and in open session at 9:00 a.m.

Moved Jefferson, second Kucera to convene as Board of Equalization at 9:00 a.m. Roll Call: All Ayes  
Jefferson led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

**Agenda:** Moved Kucera, second Graves to approve the agenda as presented. Roll Call: All Ayes.

**Minutes:** Moved Jefferson, second Hahn to approve the minutes as published for February 25, 2014. Roll Call: All Ayes.

**Hearing:** Moved Weller, second Graves to open the hearing for the Application for Exemption for Boy Scout Troop #102 for a 2000 United Trailer at 9:02 a.m. Roll Call: All Ayes. Moved Weller, second Graves to go out of the hearing at 9:02 a.m. Roll Call: All Ayes. Moved Hahn, second Jefferson to approve the Application for Exemption for Boy Scout Troop #102 for a 2000 United Trailer. Roll Call: All Ayes.

**Permissive Exemption for the Merrick Foundation:** Assessor Placke said the question is does the Merrick Foundation meet guide lines to be exempt. Chuck Griffith said Safety Net will be concluding their incubation next month. The Merrick Foundation will be advertising for a new business for their incubator. The Merrick Foundation hopes to benefit new businesses in town. There is some education use but not a lot in that part of the building. The rent that is collected goes back into the foundation. Moved Jefferson, second Hahn to approve the permissive exemption for the Merrick Foundation. Roll Call: All Ayes.

**Adjourn:** Moved Kucera, second Weller to adjourn at 9:05 a.m. Roll Call: All Ayes.

/s/Roger Wiegert, Chairman

/s/Marcia Wichmann, County Clerk