

Off the Shuelph at Guelph Spring Fling



Open an Easter egg for a discount on select “Off the Shuelph” items! During the cold and warm days this spring, volunteers at Off the Shuelph at Guelph have been busy creating new and useful pieces of furniture. These pieces will be available for sale, along with rustic, antique, and garden items at the Guelph Spring

Fling on Friday night, April 25, from 5 – 8 pm, and Saturday, April 26, from 9 am – 2 pm at the Guelph (ND) Community Center.

The gymnasium will be filled with vendors who will also be selling their wares, and lunch will be served both days. Buyers can browse the halls of the Community Center to find that



special gift or spring décor’ for your home.

Profits from the Spring Fling, as well as from the Community Rummage Sale the following weekend, Friday, May 2, from 5-8 pm, and Saturday, May 3, from 9 am – 2 pm will be used toward the purchase and installation of a playground sys-

tem for children of the community.

Come to Guelph to enjoy fellowship, good food, and great bargains at this year’s Off the Shuelph Spring Fling. We look forward to welcoming you to our home away from home!

Public Notices www.ndpublicnotices.com

Bids for Propane

The Dickey County Commissioners will receive sealed bids for 20,000 gallons of propane more or less for the 2025 and 2026 season from April 1st of 2025 to March 31st of 2026.

Bids will be opened on April 15th at 11:00 a.m. in the commissioner’s room of the Dickey County Court House.

Propane to be delivered in the cities of Ellendale and Oakes at Dickey County Highway, Dickey County Social Service, Weed Board building, Dickey County Fair grounds and the Dickey County Highway west shop located 18 miles west of Ellendale.

Bids must be at the Auditor’s Office of the Dickey County Courthouse by 11:00 a.m. April 15th, 2025.

For further information contact the Dickey County Highway Department at 1-701-349-3326.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any of all bids.

“Propane Bids” must be marked on the envelopes.

Propane Bids must be mailed to: Dickey County Auditor’s Office
309 2nd Street North
Ellendale, North Dakota 58436

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300 2nd Ave NE – Suite 200 | Jamestown, ND 58401

Dickey County Park Board Minutes

January 7, 2025
Park Board Meeting

Chair Jerry Walsh called the Park Board meeting to order at 8:03 am. Also present were Brandon Carlson, Kacey Holm, Andi Schimke, Bob Schmidt, and John Hokana. Board member Missy Lyke was in attendance via electronic means.

Walsh turned the meeting over to the Park Board Chair Schimke.

- Additions to the agenda
- Widening of the gate at the beach
- Haying of County property at Pheasant Lake
- Primitive camping
- Board members
- Brandenburger information for Wilson Dam

Walsh made a motion to approve the minutes from the October 1, 2024, meeting. Holm seconded. Motion carried.

Schimke informed the board that the new fee collection boxes at Wilson Dam have been installed.

Schimke stated that all the doors at Pheasant Lake have been locked, except for one door which is broken. At Wilson Dam, two of the three doors have been locked. Keys for the third door can-

not be found. Schimke priced out new locks for all the locks and the total was \$524.03. Sheriff Estes had offered to install the locks. The locks would all use the same key, eliminating the need for numerous keys. Walsh made a motion to buy the locks. Schmidt seconded. Roll call was unanimous. Motion carried.

Mowing contracts for 2025 were discussed. Schimke had compile a condensed list of tasks for the person hired to mow at Pheasant Lake and Wilson Dam. Discussion followed on how it should be advertised, as well as a cutoff date for the time frame to be mowing. Schimke fees that Pheasant Lake and Wilson Dam should be advertised together and to put in the newspaper as soon as we can. Discussion followed concerning the setting the number of times to mow or the number of hours to mow. Brandenburger stated he mowed Wilson Dam at least weekly. Advise the position in the next month and a decision could be made at the April Park Board meeting. A decision was made to take the dock removal off the list of tasks. The timeline for mowing in the advertising would be April 15th through October 15th. Pheasant Lake and Wilson Dam mowing area will stay

the same as 2024. The doors could be locked October 15th each year, if we are not picking up garbage.

Schmidt informed the board that the gate access at the beach needs to be widened. Schmidt stated that he will take care of it in the spring.

Schimke informed the board that she had been contacted about haying the area that is not getting mowed at Pheasant Lake. The discussion followed concerning advertising the cutting of sections 2 and 3 on the map, along with the boat dock area and lot on the east side of the lake. The haying should be completed by July 1 and bales pulled within 14 days. It is approximately 15 acres of land.

Dickey County Sheriff’s Office joined the meeting at 8:30.

Having primitive camping signage at Pheasant Lake was discussed. A special area would need to be designated. Area 3 was discussed as the best location on the north end of that area. A sign would need to be put up.

Schimke updated the Commission on her conversation with Brandenburger on Wilson Dam. Brandenburger stated that the one picnic table needs to be replaced as it is dangerous to use. Bran-

denburger stated he would do put the dock in and pull it out for this year but would want to be paid \$50 to \$100 to do it. Board discussed paying him \$100 to put the dock in and \$100 to pull it out.

Board positions were discussed. Cary Wertz’s position expired in 2024 and will need to be refilled. Lyke stated her residency is South Dakota and therefore can no longer serve on the board. Shepard will advertise the two positions with the other board positions for the county. Board members would like to get more people involved in the Park Board that covers the whole county, just not the west side of the county.

Resident Cindy Bagley joined the meeting at 8:48.

The grant program with Garrison Diversion was discussed. Schimke will get the information to Administrative Assistant Amy Mittleider about picnic tables and signs for the parks.

The next meeting of the Park Board is April 1st.

Holm made a motion to adjourn. Schmidt seconded. Motion carried.

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PUBLIC NOTICE: LAND TO RENT FOR HAYING

Dickey County is offering approximately 15 acres of land at Pheasant Lake to rent for cutting of grass for hay purposes to be cut by July 1st, 2025. Bales will need to be removed from the land by July 15th or be subject to forfeiture. A copy of the map is available in the Auditor’s office. Sealed written bids will need to be dropped off with or sent by mail to Dickey County Auditor, PO Box 215, Ellendale, ND 58436 and received by no later than May 5th at 4:30 pm. Please mark on the envelope “Haying Bid”. Bid opening will be Tuesday, May 6th at 10:30 in the Commissioner Room at the Dickey County Courthouse.

Terms: The successful bidder shall be responsible for all costs associated with the mowing of the area. Rent must be paid in full upon acceptance of the successful bid by the Dickey County Board of Commissioners.

The Dickey County Board of Commissioners reserves the right to accept the bid that is to the advantage of and is in the best interest of Dickey County. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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Agenda for Planning Commission Meeting

April 15, 2025 1:00 pm (postponed from April 1)

Zoom link: **bit.ly/DCCApril15** and a password of **Commiss** or dial **1-301 715 8592** and enter Meeting ID# **884 3582 3141** and use the password of **3945036**

- 1:00 Planning Commission Meeting called to order
- Roll Call
- Additions or Revisions to the Agenda
- March 4, 2025 Minutes Reviewed
- Go through last 25 pages of Divide County
- Discuss wind towers, pipelines ordinances
- Set Next Meeting Date
- OTHER BUSINESS TO BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE BOARD
- ADJOURNMENT

ANYONE WISHING TO HAVE ITEMS ON THE DICKEY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS’ AGENDA, PLEASE CONTACT THE AUDITOR’S OFFICE AT 349-8303 BEFORE 9:00 AM MONDAY, ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE MEETING DATE.

To request an auxiliary aid or service please contact the Dickey County Title VI Coordinator at 349-8303 at least 5 business days before the scheduled meeting.

HELP WANTED

Pheasant Lake Mowing/Maintenance

Dickey County is seeking a person to fill an upcoming vacancy for the County Park, starting April 15th through October 15th. The individual must have a class D Driver’s License. Salary or bids will be considered. Job tasks are:

- Mow and trim grass at Pheasant Lake, map to be provided of area. Approximately 5 acres.
- Maintain mower as needed (oil changes, blade sharpening, general maintenance).
- Clean and maintain bathrooms at Pheasant Lake (toilet paper, sweep, clean).
- Remove twigs, branches and other debris form park area, to be disposed of at the land fill.
- Keep beach area free of debris, level and drag sand at beach as needed.
- Report all maintenance items that need attention to Park Board Chairman.
- Turn in timesheet to Dickey County Auditor office by 7th and the 20th of the month.
- Pickup, trailer and any equipment of the county will be used for maintenance and not personal use. Use of county equipment requires substance abuse testing for this position.
- A gas card will be used at county shop for the mower, trimmer, county truck, etc.
- Supplies can be charged at True Value, items charged must be individualized
- Bathroom doors to be locked by October 15

Submit application and resume, along with a bid of an hourly rate or flat rate for the whole summer by e-mail to **dcauditor@nd.gov** or by mail to Dickey County Park Board, PO Box 215, Ellendale, ND 58436. Applications must be postmarked or received by e-mail no later than April 25, 2025. Call 701-349-8303 if you have any questions.

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CP-1127(25) DICKEY COUNTY NORTH DAKOTA

Sealed bids will be received by Dickey County at the Dickey County Highway Department at 213 15th ST N, Ellendale, ND 58436, until **11:00 AM CT, April 21st, 2025**, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the furnishing of materials, labor, equipment and skill required for the construction of **Chip Seal** and incidental items in and for said Dickey County, as is more fully described and set forth in the plans and specifications therefore, which are now on file in the office of the KLJ Engineering LLC.

Bids shall be upon cash payment on the following estimated quantities and types of work:

Contract Bond, 1.0 L SUM; Railway Protection Insurance, 1 L SUM; Fog Seal, 8,070 GAL; CRS2P Emulsified Asphalt, 78,397 GAL; Cover Coat Material CL 41, 2,315 TON, Mobilization, 1 LUM; Traffic Control Signs, 2,463 UNIT; PVMT MK Painted-Message, 265 SF; PvmT Mk Painted 4IN Line,

27,308 LF.

The contract documents are on file and may be examined at the following:

KLJ Engineering LLC
1010 4th Avenue SW
Valley City, North Dakota 58072

Complete digital project bidding documents are available at **www.kljeng.com** “Projects for Bid” or **www.questcdn.com**. You may download the digital plan documents for **\$23** by inputting Quest project #9610163 on the website’s Project Search page. Please contact Quest-CDN at (952) 233-1632 or **info@questcdn.com** for assistance in free membership registration, downloading, and working with this digital project information. An optional paper set of project documents is also available for a non-refundable price of **\$77** per set at KLJ, 1010 4th Avenue SW, Valley City, ND 58072. Please contact us at 701-845-4980.

All bids are to be submitted on the basis of cash payment for the work and materials, and each bid shall be accompanied by a separate envelope containing the contractor’s license and bid security. The bid security must be in a sum equal to five per cent (5%) of the full amount of the bid and must be in the form of a bidder’s bond. A bidder’s bond must be executed by the bidder as principal and by a surety company authorized to do business in this state, conditioned that if the principal’s bid be accepted and the contract awarded to the principal, the principal, within ten (10) days after notice of award, will execute and effect a contract in accordance with the terms of his bid and the bid bond as required by the laws of the State of North Dakota and the regulations and determinations of the governing body. If a successful bidder does not execute a contract within ten (10) days allowed, the bidder’s bond must be forfeited to the governing body and the project awarded to the next lowest responsible bidder.

All bidders must be licensed for the full amount of the bid as required by Section 43 07 07 and 43-07-12 of the North Dakota Century Code.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish Contract Performance and Payment Bonds in the full amount of the contract.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any informality in any bid to hold all bids for a period not to exceed 30 days from the date of opening bids, and to accept the bid deemed most favorable to the interest of the Owner.

Should the Contractor fail to complete the work within the time required herein or within such extra time as may have been granted by formal extensions of time approved by the Owner, there will be deducted from any amount due the Contractor the sum of \$1300 per day and every day that the completion of the work is delayed. The Contractor and his surety will be liable for any excess. Such payment will be as and for liquidated damages.

Dated this 25th day of March, 2025

DICKEY COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA

s/Wanda Sheppard
Dickey County Auditor

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