

**June 14, 2011 Minutes  
Washington County Board of Equalization  
Supervisor's Room Courthouse  
Blair, Nebraska 68008**

The Washington County Board of Equalization of Washington County, Nebraska, met in regular session at 12:20 P.M. on Tuesday, June 14, 2011 in the Supervisor's Meeting Room at the Courthouse in Blair, Nebraska. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by publication in the Pilot-Tribune. A copy of the proof of publication is on file in the Office of the County Clerk. Notice of the meeting was given to the members and a copy of their acknowledgment of the receipt of notice and the agenda are on record at the office of the County Clerk. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the members. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

Chairman made note that the Open Meetings Law is posted on the door and the north wall. Present: Chairman, Mary Alice Johnson, County Board Members, Kent Clausen, Jerry Kruse, Steven Kruger and Ernest Abariotes. Absent: Jeff Quist and Ron Hinline. Also present, County Clerk Merry Truhlsen, Co Atty Shurie Graeve, County Treasurer Marj Hoier, County Assessor Steven Mencke and Jean Ray, Deputy. It was moved by Kruger and seconded by Abariotes to enter into Board of Equalization. Vote- Aye: Clausen, Kruse, Johnson, Kruger and Abariotes. Absent: Quist and Hinline. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Abariotes and second by Clausen that the rules be suspended and that the minutes of the May 24, 2011 meeting be approved but not read at this meeting for the reason that all Board Members were furnished a copy of said minutes prior to the meeting. Vote- Aye: Clausen, Kruse, Johnson, Kruger and Abariotes. Absent: Quist and Hinline. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Quist and Hinline were present.

Marj Hoier, Co Treasurer, asked the Chairman to sign 2 property owners' requests for refunds relating to the homestead corrections that were approved on May 24<sup>th</sup>. Chairman signed the refund requests.

It was moved by Kruse and seconded by Clausen to approve Correction #6557 through #6576 as presented by the Assessor. Vote- Aye: Clausen, Kruse, Quist, Johnson, Kruger, Abariotes and Hinline. Nay: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Abariotes and seconded by Kruger to approve Valuation Changes for 6-14-2011 as presented by the Assessor. Vote- Aye: Clausen, Kruse, Quist, Johnson, Kruger, Abariotes and Hinline. Nay: None. Motion carried.

At 12:35 P.M., there being no further business to come before the Board of Equalization at this time, it was moved by Kruse and second by Clausen to adjourn meeting until the next regular Board of Equalization meeting date, June 28, 2011. All members present voted aye, Chairperson declared meeting adjourned.

Attest:  
Merry M. Truhlsen  
Washington County Clerk

Mary Alice Johnson, Chairperson  
Washington County Board of Equalization

I, Merry M. Truhlsen, County Clerk, in and for Washington County, Blair, Nebraska, do hereby certify that the foregoing proceedings took place during the June 14<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Washington County Board of Equalization  
Merry M. Truhlsen, Washington County Clerk