

BOARD OF CORRECTIONS MINUTES

May 26, 2026

The Cherry County Board of Commissioners convened as a Board of Corrections on May 26, 2026 in the Commissioner Meeting Room of the Cherry County Courthouse, as per notice published in the Valentine Midland News. The current agenda being on file in the office of the County Clerk. The meeting was called to order at 1:30 p.m. by Chairman McConaughey. Present were Commissioners Mike McConaughey, Nina Nelson, Martin DeNaeyer, County Clerk Samantha Leonard and Justice Administrator Sharon Hesse. The Open Meetings Act Poster was acknowledged by McConaughey.

No comments from the public were received during the allotted time. Administrator

Hesse provided a staff and jail update.

The board, Clerk Leonard, and Administrator Hesse did a tour of the jail facility with Jail Standards representative Jodi Elsea from 1:37 p.m. to 1:51 p.m.

At 1:54 p.m. Chairman McConaughey adjourned the meeting.

State of Nebraska,)
) SS.
County of Cherry,)

I, Samantha Leonard, the undersigned County Clerk of Cherry County, Nebraska, do hereby certify the foregoing minutes are true and are part of the official records of this office. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on this 6th day of June 2026.

Samantha Leonard
Cherry County Clerk

Mike McConaughey, Chairperson
Cherry County Board of Commissioners

