



## Skating Rink is closed

Hannah Lewandowski, ice skating house manager, came before the council Monday evening to discuss the skating house. She said that there were still a lot of skaters even after the Carnival of Silver Skates. Councilman Karyn Babcock asked how her year as manager went and she said, "It was kind of fun." The skating rink is now closed for the season.

The city used the new steamer and it worked very well in thawing some of the storm sewer inlets.

Mayor Scott Hanlon talked about the sidewalk along SD37 and he noticed the school did a nice job cleaning their sidewalk, but nothing was done north of the elementary school.

Five damaged poles will be replaced with the insurance covering the cost. The total cost from the insurance will be \$3,655. The other three poles the Baseball Foundation will pick up the cost so all of the poles match.

The 2018 street seal project was presented to the council. Then other streets were discussed and Mayor Hanlon said that Meadowbrook Lane would be good test area for the city to do the work themselves. "It would save the city a lot of money," he said.

The annual drinking water report was presented to the council. The city will get another water quality award - 17 years in a row.

Jay Peterson and Scott Hanlon will attend the SDML Annual District Meeting in Roscoe on March 21 and Hope Block will attend the meeting in Selby on March 22.

The council agreed to donate a family pool pass and two season baseball tickets for the PAC Elementary School Carnival.

The second reading of the summer salary ordinance was approved.

Finance Officer Hope Block presented the 2017 Annual Report along with the supporting documents. Councilman Burt Glover asked if next year, the council could get a copy of the documents at the end of February so they would have time to review the information. "There are a lot of numbers for us to go through in 20 minutes and we can't ask any intelligent questions in this short of a period of time." The council had to approve the financial report at the meeting. Block said that she cannot submit the report to the legislative audit until the council gives the okay.

After an executive session, the council hired the following summer help contingent on completing a 2018 city application.

Pool managers: Kami Lipp, Brenda Madsen and Karla Pasteur.

Lifeguards: Marlee Jones, Payton Maine, Rebecca Flihs, Cody Swanson, Emma Donley, Nicole Marzahn, Eliza Wanner, Audrey Wanner, Luke Thorson, Seric Shabazz, Jasmine Schaller, Kaycie Hawkins, Tricia Keith, Tady Glover, Tylan Glover, Jasmine Schinkel, Kelly Hanson, Thomas Cranford, Tanae Lipp, Alexis Hanten, Grace Wambach and Kenzie McInerney.

Ballfield: Grounds Keepers: Wyatt Locke, Truitt Rogers, Darien Shabazz, Brandon Keith. Gatekeeper: Katie Hansen.

Baseball Coordinator: Matt Locke Jr. Teener: Adam Herman

Public Works: Jim Gerdes, Brian Gravatt, Aaron Severson, Heather Nelson (part time custodian).



## Disfunctional Nonsense wins at Region DI

The Senior Level Disfunctional Nonsense will advance to the state Destination ImagiNation event to be held in Pierre, April 7. The team placed first in regional competition held Saturday at the Groton Area Elementary School. In back, left to right, are Kayla Jensen, Hailey Monson, Julianna Kosel and Sage Mortenson; in front, left to right, are Rylee Rosenau and Alyssa Fordham. (Photo by Paul Kosel)



## Boiled Dino Dumpling Guys win at Regional DI

The Boiled Dino Dumpling Guys placed first in the elementary division and will compete at state. In back, left to right, are Jacob Tewksbury, Winston Clark, Corbin Weismantel, Axel Warrington, Lincoln Krause, and Nicholas Groeblichhoff. (Photo by Paul Kosel)



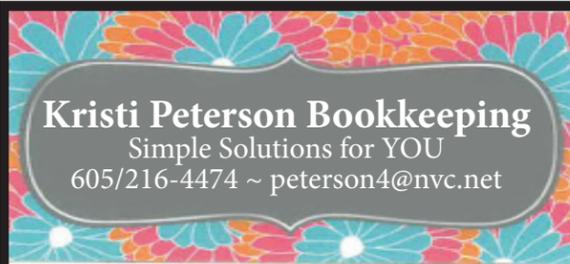
## Bazang Boys place second at DI Region

The middle school team of the Bazang Boys placed second at the Regional DI Tournament. They are Ryan Groeblichhoff, Jackson Dinger and Carter Barse. They will compete at the state level to be held April 7 in Pierre. (Photo by Paul Kosel)

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**3/10 12 Strong R**  
**3/17 Forever My Girl PG**  
**3/24 Peter Rabbit PG**

## Damian Bahr hired as officer

The Groton City Council voted last night to hire Damian Bahr as the new full-time police officer in Groton. He replaces David Hunter who recently retired. Two councilmen, David Blackmun and Burt Glover, were in attendance via the telephone with council members Jay Peterson, Karyn Babcock and Mayor Scott Hanlon in attendance, in addition to Finance Officer Hope Block, Attorney Drew Johnson, Police Chief Stacy Mayou and Damian Bahr.

Bahr must complete a six month probation period and abide by the personnel manual as well as any Groton Police Department policies. His hourly rate will be \$24 an hour with a start date to be within two weeks. Bahr is from Groton and he has been working at the Brown County Sheriff's Department.



## Water leak reported

It was the paper boy who noticed an abundant of water out on the street Friday morning and called Terry Herron about it. Herron investigated the site and discovered that there was a leak at the hydrant (shown in the background). The leak was on First Street and Sixth Avenue, just west of the high school at the football field. Herron is pictured getting access to the shut off pipe. It was not a major leak and can be repaired in the spring.



## Moving Water

The rapid thaw in the last few days has left storm sewer issues in Groton. Terry Herron and Branden Abeln were out Sunday trying to move some of the water along curbside to storm sewers that have opened up.

## Weekly Vikings Roundup

By Jordan Wright

The Minnesota Vikings have 14 pending free agents this offseason. Last week we covered the seven players on the offensive side of the ball, so naturally this week we move to the defense and special teams. Even though every media outlet is talking about the Vikings need at quarterback, it's important to examine the other positions to see what possible holes will need to be filled by the team.



Below is a list of the pending free agents on defense/special teams, along with their position, age, and number of snaps played in 2017 (according to Pro Football Reference).

Tramaine Brock, cornerback, 29 years old (y/o), 51 snaps (5.13%)

Tom Johnson, defensive tackle, 33 y/o, 673 snaps (67.64%)

Emmanuel Lamur, linebacker, 28 y/o, 78 snaps (7.84%)

Terence Newman, cornerback, 39 y/o, 555 snaps (55.78%)

Marcus Sherels, cornerback/ return specialist, 30 y/o, 20 snaps (2.01%)

Shamar Stephen, defensive tackle, 27 y/o, 384 snaps (38.59%)

Kai Forbath, Kicker, 30 y/o

Tramaine Brock is a player the Vikings traded for last offseason, sending a conditional seventh-round pick to the Seahawks in exchange. He didn't play much last season, and at 29 years old, he'll likely find himself on a new team in 2018.

Tom Johnson would represent the biggest loss if he leaves in free agency. Johnson was supposed to be a rotational player this past season, but after the injury to Sharrif Floyd, he ended up playing two-thirds of the defensive snaps in 2017. There are reports coming out that the Vikings will try and re-sign Johnson, but he will have suitors around the NFL and the Vikings may not be able to afford to keep him.

Emmanuel Lamur is still relatively young and provided depth at linebacker, but he wasn't asked to play much and the Vikings can likely find a replacement in the middle or later rounds of the draft.

Terence Newman, the ageless wonder, is still playing at a high level at 39 years old. He has said he is leaning towards coming back for one more shot at a championship, and Mike Zimmer will likely welcome him back with open arms (at the right price, of course).

Marcus Sherels barely saw the field on defense, but his value as a punt and kick returner cannot be overstated. He is one of the best and most consistent returners in the NFL, and the Vikings will likely bring him back next season.

Shamar Stephen is another defensive tackle the Vikings will likely try and keep this offseason. He is young and proved he can step in and play well as a rotational player along the defensive line.

If the Vikings end up losing Tom Johnson and Shamar Stephen this offseason, there are a few players in free agency would could replace them. The biggest names at defensive tackle are Sheldon Richardson (27 y/o), Muhammad Wilkerson (28 y/o) and Dominique Easley (26 y/o). The Vikings would have the best defensive line in the NFL,

bar none, if they were to sign Richardson or Wilkerson – although they would both cost a pretty penny to acquire. As a fan, I'm not getting my hopes up that one of them will be in purple and gold next season. But hey, it's fun to dream right?

With the team filled with young, ascending players who are going to need to be payed in the next couple of years (Stefon Diggs, Danielle Hunter, Anthony Barr, Eric Kendricks, Trae Waynes) the Vikings front office will need to be cautious on how they spend their cap space. It's fun to bring in big names during free agency, but the Vikings' priority will be ensuring the core of the team stays together so they are competitive for many years to come. Skol!

Make sure to check back next week, when we cover the salary cap in depth, with a breakdown of how the money is currently spent and how money can be freed up this year so the Vikings can afford to bring in free agents while also signing their own guys. If you have any questions or comments, reach out to me on Facebook (facebook.com/SkolJWright) or on Twitter (@SkolJWright)

### Groton Prairie Mixed

**Team Standings:** Shih Tzus 9, Chipmunks 9, Cheetahs 9, Jackelopes 8, Coyotes 7, Foxes 6

**Men's High Games:** Brad Waage 220, Chris Kassube 205, Randy Stanley 203

**Women's High Games:** Darci Spanier 199, Vicki Walter 180, 174, Lori Wiley 173

**Men's High Series:** Brad Waage 593, Randy Stanley 535, Roger Colestock 530

**Women's High Series:** Darci Spanier 488, Vicki Walter 487, Lori Wiley 473

### BDM RURAL WATER SYSTEM, INC.

#### 38th Annual Meeting



Monday, March 26, 2018

6:00 p.m.

BDM Building, Britton, SD

Lunch after the meeting • Door Prizes

- Board and Management Report
- Election of Directors

**Please attend your water system's annual meeting!**



From left to right- Mrs. Desiree Yeigh-director, Stella Meier (Alto Saxophone), Rease Jandel (Bass Clarinet), Mr. Austin Fordham-director. (Courtesy Photo)

## Meier, Jandel performed in Middle School All State Band

On March 2nd-3rd about 200 middle school students formed together in Pierre for the 19th Annual South Dakota Middle School All State Band. Representing Groton this year were 8th graders Stella Meier and Rease Jandel. Stella represented the top honor band and had the privilege to work with director Dr. Christopher Unger from Augustana College. Rease represented the festival band as a section leader and had the privilege to work with director Mrs. Mary Cogswell of Brookings, SD. The audition process for this band requires sending in a recording of a chromatic scale, a selected major and minor scale, an etude in 4/4 time, and an etude in 6/8 time There were a total of 450 auditions sent in from the state of South Dakota. Due to strict copyright laws, the concert was not recorded or broadcasted this year. The concert received a standing ovation, and the ladies represented Groton well. Congratulations Stella and Rease on a wonderful accomplishment.

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## Brown County Tax Exempt Properties

2018 TAX EXEMPT NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION LIST

EXEMPT PROPERTY NAME, LEGAL DESCRIPTION, TYPE

### #19 BATH TWP

"SUNSET MEMORIAL GARDENS, INC.", LT 1 SUNSET MEMORIAL GARDENS MAINTENANCE ADD (W 295' OF 166' N OF S 966' OF SW SW 14-123-63), MAINTENANCE

### #20 ABERDEEN TWP

ABERDEEN AREA HUMANE SOCIETY, OL 1 JANUSZ SW 27-123-64, ANIMAL SHELTER

ABERDEEN MOTOCROSS ASSOC., LT 3 WOLFFS 1ST ADD 1/2 21-123-64 (1.71 A), MOTOCROSS RACES

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), E 540' OF N 403.33' NE 28-123-64 (5AC), GROUP HOME

AVERA ST LUKES, 500' W OF E 700' OF N 658' NW 11-123-64 EX HWY & EX H1 (4.9 A), HOSPITAL STORAGE & CARPENTER SHOP SPURS THERAPEUTIC RIDING CENTER INC, LT 1 SPURS 2ND ADD NW 6-123-63, THERAPEUTIC CENTER

### #23 WARNER TWP

FOUNDATION FOR YOUTH FIREARMS SAFETY INC, N 820' OF SE 15-122-64 E OF RR EX HWY, PUBLIC RIFLE RANGE

MANSFIELD COMMUNITY BETTERMENT, LT 1-3 BK 4 MANSFIELD SE 32-121-64, COMMUNITY CENTER & PARK

MANSFIELD COMMUNITY BETTERMENT, E 18' OF N 20' LT 7 BK 4 MANSFIELD SE 32-121-64, BARE LOT

### #25 E HANSON TWP

ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH (FERNEY/EAST HANSON), S 60' LT 7-12 BK 9 SD BK 9-13 & OL E-F FERNEY SW 31-122-60, PARKING LOT

### #30 SAVO TWP

SAVO HALL ASSOCIATION C/O CALVIN RAISANEN, 3 ACRES IN SW CORNER SW 22-128-63, HALL

### #32 ABERDEEN CITY

ABERDEEN CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM, LT 1 RONCOLLI NEARLY NEW ADD (BK 8 NORTH ABDN ADDN), NEARLY NEW STORE

ABERDEEN CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, W 10' LT 8 & LT 9 & E 15' LT 10 BK 77 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT

ABERDEEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FOUNDATION, OL 1 NW 11-123-64 EX BIKE TRAIL LT 1 & EX LT A EX H1 DAKOTA MIDLAND HOSPITAL, K-12 CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

ABERDEEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FOUNDATION, LT A ST LUKES HOSPITAL 1ST ADD RPL LT A DAKOTA MIDLAND OL 1 NW 1/4 11-123-64, K-12 CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

ABERDEEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FOUNDATION, LT B ST LUKES HOSPITAL 1ST ADD RPL LT A DAKOTA MIDLAND OL 1 NW 1/4 11-123-64, K-12 CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

ABERDEEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FOUNDATION, LT C ST LUKES HOSPITAL 1ST ADD RPL LT A DAKOTA MIDLAND OL 1 NW 11-123-64 (63.3 X 147.6), K-12 CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

ABERDEEN CORPORATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, LT 2 ISAIAH'S ADDN (LT 5 & 6 MELROS SOUTHWIEW ADDN) EX H1, CHURCH & PARKING LOT

ABERDEEN DEVELOPMENT CORP, LT 1 ABDN DEV CORP 2001-1 SD NE 16-123-63 (INDUSTRIAL PK EAST), "BUSINESS, HOME OFFICE"

ABERDEEN FAMILY Y, LT 1 LINCOLN'S RAR OF LT 9-12 BK 67 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT

ABERDEEN FAMILY Y, LT 2 LINCOLN'S RAR OF LT 9-12 BK 67 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT

ABERDEEN FAMILY Y, HAGERTY & LLOYD 7TH SD (PT BK 66 & 67 H&L), LEARNING TREE

ABERDEEN FAMILY Y IDC, LT 3 ISAAC LINCOLN'S RAR OF BK 67 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD,

ACT 2 INC, #2 MIDWEST CAPITOL PROJECT OF LT 10-12 BK 27 1ST ADD, THEATRE ARTS

ACT 2 INC, #3 MIDWEST CAPITOL PROJECT OF LT 13-18 BK 27 1ST ADD EX MEZZANINE HALLWAY UNIT 3, THEATRE EDUCATION

ACT 2 INC, MEZZANINE STORAGE UNIT 4A #4 MIDWEST CAPITOL PROJECT OF LT 13-18 BK 27 1ST ADD, STORAGE

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), ATC 1ST SD BK 47 BENNETT & THOMAS ADD, PARKING LOTS

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), LT 11-12 BK 47 BENNETT & THOMAS ADD, PARKING LOTS

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING

CENTER (ASPIRE INC), LT 3 BERKSHIRE ADD NW 13-123-64, OFFICES

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), E 77' LT 1-2 BLK 19 THOMAS ADDN, GROUP HOME

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), N2 LT 193 & LT 194 -196 MORNING HTS ADD, GROUP HOME

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), W 150' OF N 100' OL B LAWSONS OL'S RPL OF LT 8 BONACCORD HTS 19-123-63, GROUP HOME

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), LT 849-852 MORNING HTS EXT ADD, GROUP HOME

ALANO SOCIETY OF ABERDEEN, W 8' LT 3 & LT 4-9 BK 1 THOMAS ADD & LT 12 & W 115' OF S 8.5' LT 13 & E 27' LT 13- 14 PIERCES SD OF BK 103 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD & V/A, AA MEETING HOUSE

AQUINAS STUDENT CENTER, N 38' OF E 52' LT 21 & E 52' LT 22 BK 1 NORMAL ADD, PARKING LOT

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 4 HAGERTY & LLOYDS 3RD SD SE 13-123-64, "AMG INTERNAL MED, PODIATRY, DAKOTA MED CLINIC, ASC THERAPY STORAGE, ETC."

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 3 AVERALAND-O-LAKES 2ND SD (B72 H&L & OL 2 LANES), AMG EAR NOSE AND THROAT/ASC FOUNDATION OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 1 AVERA ST LUKES SD (B73&82 H&L). "STATE STREET MEDICAL SQUARE, LOURDES & POWER PLANT BLDGS ONLY"

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 1 AVERA ST LUKES SD (B73&82 H&L), LAND FOR STATE STREET MEDICAL SQUARE

AVERA ST LUKES, #4B PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD (SUITE W290) 2.80% INTEREST, HUMAN RESOURCE

AVERA ST LUKES, #5B PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADDITION (SUITE W270) 2.26% INTEREST, HUMAN RESOURCE

AVERA ST LUKES, #6B & 7B PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADDITION (SUITE W210) 4.88% INTEREST, HOME HEALTH

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 2 AVERA ST LUKES ADD (SLMRMC LTS) EX H2, PARKING LOT & EDUCATION CENTER

AVERA ST LUKES, "LT 1 AVERA ST LUKES ADD (B86, 87, & 96 H&L ETC)", HOSPITAL BUILDING

AVERA ST LUKES, AVERA ST LUKES WEST ADD (BK 88 H & L), PARKING LOTS I & J

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 1-7 BK 44 THOMAS ADD, WORTHMORE/NADRIC

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 3 HAGERTY & LLOYDS 3RD SD SE 13-123-64, POOL/REHAB CENTER

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 1-6 BK 95 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT H

AVERA ST LUKES, #1B PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD (SUITE W240) 3.34% INTEREST, PUBLIC RELATIONS/FOUNDATION OFFICE/HR

AVERA ST LUKES, #2B PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD (SUITE W220) 2.17% INTEREST, CENTRAL PATIENT SCHEDULING

AVERA ST LUKES, #3A PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD (SUITE W130) 2.67% INTEREST, ASL PRINT SHOP

AVERA ST LUKES, # E106 PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, BUSINESS OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 2 CASHWA-AVERA ST LUKES SD (LT 2 HRS/SAL SD (BRANDNER)), LAND

AVERA ST LUKES (DAKOTA PLAINS SURGICAL CENTER), #3 DAKOTA PLAINS MEDICAL PLAZA CONDO LT B OF LT 2 HOWARDS OL B NE 14-123-64, SURGICAL & INPATIENT RECOVERY

AVERA ST LUKES (DAKOTA PLAINS SURGICAL CENTER), BOLS #3 DAKOTA PLAINS MEDICAL PLAZA CONDO LT B OF LT 2 HOWARDS OL B NE 14-123-64, MRI BUILDING/SURGICAL & INPATIENT RECOVERY

AVERA ST LUKES MOTHER JOSEPH MANOR, S 732' OF W 336' HIGHLANDS OL 3 SE 12-123-64, NURSING HOME

AVERA ST LUKES MOTHER JOSEPH MANOR, S 60' HIGHLAND SCHOOL LOT SE 12-123-64, PARKING LOT

AVERA ST LUKES, #5A2 PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD (SUITE W170) 1.20% INTEREST, BUSINESS HEALTH AVERA ST LUKES

AVERA ST LUKES, #2A PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE E201,

AMG PSYCHIATRY AVERA ST LUKES, #2B PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE E202, AMG NEUROLOGY

AVERA ST LUKES, #1A PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE W140, AMG CLINIC BUSINESS OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, #1C PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE E102, AMG CLINIC BUSINESS OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, #1B PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE E101, AMG CLINIC BUSINESS OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, #1 DAKOTA PLAINS MEDICAL PLAZA CONDO LOT B OF LOT 2 HOWARDS OL B NE OF 14-123-64, AMG ORTHOPEDIC SPECIALISTS

AVERA ST LUKES, #2 DAKOTA PLAINS MEDICAL PLAZA CONDO LOT B OF LOT 2 HOWARDS OL B NE OF 14-123-64, AMG AVERA DAKOTA PLAINS SURGICAL CENTER

AVERA ST LUKES, LOT 2 AVERA LAND-O-LAKES 2ND SD, PARKING LOT

AVERA ST LUKES, LOT 1 AVERA LAND-O-LAKES 2ND SD, PARKING LOT 2

BETHESDA HOME OF ABERDEEN, CLARKS 2ND ADD OF MEL ROS EST EX PART DEEDED TO CITY (11.244 AC), "NURSING HOME & TOWNE SQUARE"

BETHESDA HOME OF ABERDEEN, PART CLARKS 2ND ADD MEL ROS ESTATES (7.838 AC), PARKSIDE

BETHLEHEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN, OL 2 BK F EX E 25' OF S 255' LINCOLN & BOYD ADD EX BETHLEHEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH ADD SE 18-123-63, NEW BEGINNINGS CENTER-LAND

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF ABERDEEN, LT 5 BROWN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SD (B63 NW), YOUTH PROGRAM

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF ABERDEEN/BMX, LT 2 BROWN COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S 2ND SD, BMX PARKING

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF ABERDEEN, LT 2 BROWN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS 1ST SD, YOUTH PROGRAM

BPOE ELKS LODGE #1046 INC C/O JAN WEISMANTEL, LT 26 PLAT OF AUTO PLAZA ADD, LODGE

CALVARY CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH, W 67' LT 7 & S 12' OF W 67' LT 8 & N 38' LT 8 EX S 12' OF E 30' BK 6 NORTH ABD ADD, CHURCH & PARSONAGE

CATHOLIC CHANCERY OFFICE CORP, LT 1-3 BK 1 NORMAL ADD, STUDENT CENTER

CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL, LT 1 CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL ADDN, SCHOOL

CENTRAL VILLAGE APARTMENTS, LT 1 CENTRAL VILLAS 1ST ADD W2 NE 30-123-63 (LT M-P HAPI 1ST CENTRAL), HOUSING FOR INCOME QUALIFIED FAMILIES

CHURCH OF CHRIST, "(2018 ""IN LIEU TAX CALCULATION)", PARSONAGE

FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH, LT 12 GUGEL'S 1ST SD SW 6-123-63, CHURCH ACTIVITIES/PLAY AREA FOR YOUTH & CHILDREN

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, LT 1 WELLS-LAWSON INTERCONNECT SD, LAND ONLY

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (ABERDEEN) ATTN: VICKI, LT 7-8 BK 90 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 12-13 BK 29 SD OF LT 4-5 BK 29 1ST ADD & LT 12-13 BK 29 2ND ADD, PARKING FOR VANS

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 1 FUMC-JOURNEY PARKING SD (BK 28 1ST ADD), PARKING LOT

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 1-2 BK 29 1ST ADD, PARKING & OFFICES

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 7 BLK 30 1ST ADDITION TO ABERDEEN, PARKING LOT

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 8 BK 2 PARK RIDGE EST 1ST ADD, PARSONAGE

"FOHO I, LLC", LT 3 BLK 34 THOMAS ADDITION, RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS

"FOHO I, LLC", LT 6 BLK 39 THOMAS ADDITION, RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS

"FOHO I, LLC", LT 8 BK 5 ADDITIONS ADD, RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS

"FOHO I, LLC", LT 1 WSA 1ST ADD (LT 7&8 BK 3 ADDITIONS), RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS

"FOHO I, LLC", LT 1 APARTMENT ADDITION (BK 35 THOMAS ADD), RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS

"FOHO I, LLC", 1ST UNIVERSITY ADD (LT 1 & 50' ADJ LT 1 BK 16 SIMMONS 1ST ADD), RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES, LT 4-12 BK 22 1ST ADDITION, LODGE

FREEDOM WORSHIP CENTER,

LT 2 ADC 2005-1 SD NE 16-123-63 (INDUSTRIAL PK EAST), CHURCH

HORIZON HEALTH CARE INC, LT 1 MOCCASIN PLAZA ADD (L26 PIERSONS), COMMUNITY HEALTH CARE

JACKSON HEIGHTS APARTMENTS, LT 1 JACKSON HEIGHTS 1ST ADD, HOUSING FOR INCOME QUALIFIED FAMILIES

JOURNEY CHURCH OF CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE, LT 2 FUMC-JOURNEY PARKING SD (BK 28 1ST ADD), RELIGIOUS MEETINGS & HOMELSS SHELTER

JOURNEY CHURCH OF CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE, W 100' LT 1 NW OF NE 25-123-64, CHURCH & NON PROFIT DAYCARE

JOURNEY CHURCH OF CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE ATTN: DEVIN HEBEISEN, E 108.7' OF LT 1 NE 25-123-64 (.999 A), GYMNASIUM

KIDS AGAINST HUNGER (WAGNER HOLDINGS LLC), LT 1 LEE PARK ADD (LT 3 SKYWAG ADD), "THRIFT STORE & MEAL PACKETS"

LAWSON VIEW TOWNHOMES, N 300' OF S 600' OL 4A GANJE ADD OF MEL ROS EST, HOUSING FOR INCOME QUALIFIED FAMILIES

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE LODGE #590, LT 1-8 & ALL OF VAC ALLEY BLK 54 2ND ADDN, MEETING ROOM & CLUBHOUSE

MASONIC TEMPLE ASSOCIATION ATT: JEROLD BUECHLER, LOT 8-12 BK 30 1ST ADD, MEETING ROOM

MEADOW WOOD TOWNHOMES, LT 1 MEADOWWOOD ADD (LT 1 INMANS 5TH B20 ROCHES), HOUSING FOR INCOME QUALIFIED FAMILIES

NEW BEGINNINGS CENTER, BOLS OL 2 BK F EX E 25' OF S 255' LINCOLN & BOYDS ADD SE 18-123-63 (CTR BUILDING), GROUP HOME FOR CHILDREN & OFFICE

NORTH HIGHLAND METHODIST CHURCH, LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 3 1ST ADDN TO HIGHLANDS, PARSONAGE

NORTHEAST REGIONAL HEALTH & FITNESS CENTER, LT 1 HAGERTY & LLOYDS 3RD SD SE 13-123-64 (BK 69), YMCA HEALTH CENTER

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NORTHEASTERN MENTAL HEALTH CENTER, LT 1 BK 1 HYDE PARK 1ST ADD, RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

NORTHEASTERN MENTAL HEALTH CENTER, LT 9-10 BK 23 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

NORTHEASTERN MENTAL HEALTH CENTER, LT 3 BLK 6 ADDISONS ADDITION, RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

NORTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, LT 1 RPL BK 1 HUFFMANS 2ND ADD, CLASSROOMS FOR NSU

NORTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, LT 2 STOKES 1ST ADD (LT 1&2 RIDGEWOOD) PRAIRIEWOOD, RESIDENCE FOR NSU PRESIDENT

NSU FOUNDATION, S 40' LT 2 & N 3' LT 3 SD OF N 421.7' BK 9 SIMMONS 1ST ADD, RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS

NSU FOUNDATION, LT 1 YOUNG RAILROAD ADD (RR ROW), POSSIBLE DEVELOPMENT IN FUTURE

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH, LT 13-14 BK 9 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT

PRAIRIE LAKES DISTRICT CHURCH OF THE NAZARINE, LT 2 EISENBEIS-KULM ADD (LT 511-512 MORNING HTS ADD), PARSONAGE FOR DAK DIST CHURCH OF NAZARENE

PRESENTATION SISTERS COLLEGE, PORT NW 12-123-64 W OF W LINE OF N MAIN ST PRODUCED DUE N TO SECTION LINE 12 & N OF NW 15TH AVE & CMSTPP RR CO 100' WIDE ROW, STRODE CENTER

PRESENTATION SISTERS COLLEGE, BK 1 PRESENTATION HTS ADD (MULTI USE CENTER), STUDENT SUITES

PRESENTATION SISTERS CONVENT, OL A PRESENTATION HTS ADD BK 1 (3.547 AC), CONVENT

PRESENTATION SISTERS CONVENT, LT 1 RUSSO ADDN (NW 12-123-64) (25.42 A), FOOTBALL FIELD

PRESENTATION SISTERS CONVENT, LT 1 BLK 4 HUFFMANS 1ST ADD., RESIDENCE FOR THE PRESIDENT OF PC

QUINT CITY TRADES & LABOR, LT 2 RESTAURANT GROWTH 2ND ADD (B10 HIGHLAND PARK), LABOR UNION BUILDING

SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, LT 1 SACRED HEART 1ST SD (BK 80 & 81 H&L), "CHURCH, SCHOOL, RECTORY, PARKING LOT"

SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, LT 2 SA-

CRED HEART 1ST SD (BK 80 & 81 H&L), PARKING LOT

SAFE HARBOR/RESOURCE CENTER FOR WOMEN, LT 15-16 & S 9' LT 17 BK 89 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, GROUP HOME

SAFE HARBOR/RESOURCE CENTER FOR WOMEN, LT 1 BK 5 HAPI 3RD CENTRAL SD W2 NE 30-123-63, GROUP HOME

SALVATION ARMY, SALVATION ARMY 1ST ADD EX H1 (B1 PLEASANT HILL), THRIFT STORE

SALVATION ARMY, LT A BK 3 GARDEN PARK ADD EX H1 NW 23-123-64, WORSHIP BLDG.

SALVATION ARMY, LT 14 BK 1 HOMES ARE POSSIBLE (KO LEE SD), PARSONAGE

SALVATION ARMY, LT 4 REHFELDS RPL OF BK 1 PLEASANT HILL ADD, STORAGE AND PROGRAMS

SALVATION ARMY, LT 11 BK 5 FOREST ACRES 3RD ADD, PARSONAGE

SANFORD HEALTH NETWORK, LT 1 MUTUAL OF OMAHA 5TH ADD (LT 1 3RD), MEDICAL CENTER

ST MARY'S CHURCH (ABERDEEN) C. R., ST MARY'S 2ND ADD ABERDEEN NE 13-123-64 (B38 H&L), CHURCH & PARSONAGE

ST MARY'S CHURCH (ABERDEEN) E. P. L., LT 1 ST MARY'S SD BK 39 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADDN, PARKING LOT

ST MARY'S CHURCH (ABERDEEN) SCHOOL, LT 1 ST MARY'S SD BK 47 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, SCHOOL

ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH (ABERDEEN), LOT 4 & W 10' OF LOT 3 BLK 45 2ND ADD, PRESCHOOL

SUNSHINE PARK LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, BLK 4 MELROS SOUTHWIEW ADDITION S2 19-123-63, HOUSING FOR INCOME QUALIFIED FAMILIES

TDAF/ TOM AMAN, LT 1 BLACKSTONE 2ND SD (2.48AC) (RR ROW), "OFFICE, EXHIBITS, CULTURAL CENTER"

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (ABERDEEN), "LT 1 TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH ADD (COE&HOWARD, DIVISIONS)", CHURCH REPLAT ALL PARCELS

YELDUZ TEMPLE, LT 1-3 BLK 50 2ND ADDN, LODGE

ZION CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, LT 1 ZION CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP ADD (L757-760&767-772 MH), "CHURCH, PARSONAGE"

ZION CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, LT 2 ZION CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP ADD (L757-762&767-772 MH), PARKING LOT & DRIVEWAY

ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH ATTN: BEVERLY, LT 1-2 BK 36 2ND ADD, CHURCH & PARKING LOT

**#33 GROTON CITY** GROTON ALLIANCE CHURCH, "S 12'13'" LT 3 BLK 59 3RD ADDN GROTON", BARE LOT

GROTON ALLIANCE CHURCH, LT 5-6 BK 59 3RD ADDITION GROTON, PARKING LOT

GROTON AMERICAN LEGION POST # 39, LT 22-25 BK 11 ORIG PLAT GROTON, MEETING ROOM

GROTON COMMUNITY FIRE DEPARTMENT INC, LT 10-11 & S2 LT 12 BK 4 ORIG PLAT GROTON, FIRE HALL

GROTON COMMUNITY TRANSIT INC., LT 9-12 BK 10 ORIG PLAT GROTON, HOUSING FOR VEHICLES AND OFFICE

GROTON MASONIC ASSOCIATION, LT 1-4 BK 9 ORIG PLAT GROTON, MEETING ROOM

ST JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH (GROTON), LT 11-12 BK 14 ORIG PLAT GROTON, PARSONAGE

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (GROTON), LT 1-6 & 12-16 BK 22 EX .05 A LT 11-12 STATE HWY RANDALL ADD GROTON, "CHURCH, PARKING LOT"

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (GROTON), LT 7-11 BK 22 RANDALL ADD GROTON, PARSONAGE

**#35 HIGHLAND TWP** "ST JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH, LCMS (HIGHLAND)", ST JOHN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OL LOTS 1 & 2 SW 24-122-65, CHURCH ONLY EXEMPT

"ST JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH, LCMS (HIGHLAND)", ST JOHN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OL 1 SE 23-122-65, PARKING LOT & PLAYGROUND

**#38 FREDERICK CITY** ST PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH (FREDERICK), LT 5 BK 14 CURTIS 1ST RAR S2 BK 14 1ST ADD FREDERICK, TENNIS & BASKETBALL COURT

ST PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH (FREDERICK), LT 5-8 BK 14 CURTIS 1ST RAR SD BK 14 1ST ADD FREDERICK, CHURCH

## Brown County Feb. 27

### Meeting Minutes FEBRUARY 27, 2018 – GENERAL MEETING

Meeting called to order by Commission Chair Fjeldheim at 8:45 A.M. in the Commissioner's Chambers, Courthouse Annex, Brown County, SD. Present were Commissioners Hansen, Fischbach and Kippley. Commissioner Sutton was absent. Commissioner Fjeldheim led the Pledge of Allegiance. Chair Fjeldheim made the statement letting the general public know that the Commission does not invite random people to the meeting and any taxpayer is more than welcome to sit in on the Tuesday morning meetings.

**MINUTES:** Moved by Kippley, seconded by Hansen to approve the General Meeting Minutes of February 20, 2018, with the following amendment: Dennis Feickert spoke in regard to the tax assessments on behalf of Paul Dennen. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**CLAIMS:** Moved by Hansen, seconded by Fischbach to approve the following claims:

Professional Fees: Avera St. Luke's \$56.50; Bantz, Gosch & Cremer \$1,621.29; Michelle Gaikowski \$23.80; William Gerdes \$2,232.40; Haar Law Firm \$1,733.36; Mark Katterhagen \$36.00; KCH Law \$176.33; Lewis & Clark BHS \$480.00; Lucy Lewno \$430.00; Darcy Lockwood \$36.00; Jerald McNeary \$1,739.00; NEMHC \$1,586.00; Richardson, Wyly, Wise & Sauck \$1,494.50; SD Dept. of Revenue & Regulation \$378.00; Christy Griffin-Serr Law Office \$3,777.10; Stoddard Law Office \$658.00; United Way of NE SD \$2,000.00; US Bank \$2,515.00; Yankton Co. Treasurer \$318.65; Sara Zahn \$57.20.

Publishing: Aberdeen American News \$1,107.51; Groton Independent \$475.78; US Bank \$2,967.56.

**Repairs & Maintenance:** Aberdeen Plumbing & Heating \$248.70; ACE Refrigeration \$91.80; Dakota Tree Co. \$2,927.00; E&R Industrial Sales \$58.86; Interstate PowerSystems \$5,243.16; Lien Transportation \$690.00; Nelson Sales & Service \$10.00; Sand Lake Tree \$700.00; US Bank \$700.92; Wooden Mallet \$325.00.

**Supplies: A & B Business** \$724.74; AgTegra \$33,988.44; DT Pharmacy \$3,297.71; E&R Industrial Sales \$158.47; Gov-Connection \$735.47; Kiesler's Police Supply \$858.00; Leidholdt Tool Sales \$17.38; Lucy Lewno \$16.19; Marco \$16.10; Menards \$71.54; Midwest Pump & Tank \$303.04; Nelson Sales & Service \$78.58; Pantorium Cleaners \$28.00; Specialty Mfg. \$195.00; US Bank \$12,169.54.

**Travel & Conference:** Chris Hemen \$73.00; Jerry Lehrkamp \$73.00; Mike Rohrbach \$73.00.

**Utilities:** CenturyLink \$2,281.86; Dependable Sanitation \$2,214.70; Montana Dakota Utilities \$39.17; NWPS \$2,106.90; US Bank \$669.74.

**Other:** Area IV Nutrition \$1,500.00; Aspire \$718.23; Boys & Girls Club \$5,000.00; City of Groton Library \$1,000.00; City of Hecla Library \$1,000.00; Emma Burnham Library \$1,000.00; Michael Elsen \$350.59; Groton Community Transit \$1,000.00; JRWD \$18,738.60; KO Lee Library \$12,000.00; Pizza Ranch \$86.44; Ride Line \$1,000.00; Safe Harbor \$587.34; Salvation Army \$1,079.38; Warner Library \$1,000.00; Worthmore \$25,000.00. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**HR REPORT:** Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Kippley to approve the following Commission Assistant/HR Office Report, which includes the following personnel changes:

- Acknowledge resignation of Dispatcher Chelsey LeCompte, effective February 27, 2018 and approve request to fill vacancy.

- Approve hiring Alexis Storm, part-time Correctional Officer, effective February 28, 2018 at \$13.69 per hour.

- Approve hiring Don Fischer, part-time employee in Auditor's office for Elections, effective March 5, 2018 @ \$15.41 per hour.

- Approve hiring a part-time employee for three months in the Planning/Zoning Department @ \$11.43 per hour.

All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**PLATS:** Commissioner Kippley offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #7-18. BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "Keatts Seventh Subdivision in the W 1/2

NW 1/4 of Sec 23-T124N-R65W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 11-3, and any amendments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Fischbach. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Sutton-absent, Fischbach-aye, Kippley-aye, Fjeldheim-aye. Resolution adopted.

Commissioner Kippley offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #8-18. BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "Mitchell Conservation Easement Tract 1 in the SE 1/4 of Sec 20-T126N-R61W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 11-3, and any amendments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Fischbach. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Sutton-absent, Fischbach-aye, Kippley-aye, Fjeldheim-aye. Resolution adopted.

Commissioner Kippley offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #9-18. BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "Mitchell Conservation Easement Tracts 2 and 3 in the NE 1/4 of Sec 20-T126N-R61W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 11-3, and any amendments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Fischbach. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Sutton-absent, Fischbach-aye, Kippley-aye, Fjeldheim-aye. Resolution adopted.

Commissioner Kippley offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #10-18. BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "Stoddard Conservation Easement Tract 1 in the NE 1/4 of Sec 15-T127N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 11-3, and any amendments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Fischbach. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Sutton-absent, Fischbach-aye, Kippley-aye, Fjeldheim-aye. Resolution adopted.

Commissioner Kippley offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #11-18. BE IT RESOLVED by the County Commission of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "M. Palmer Addition in the SE 1/4 of Sec 2-T121N-R65W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL of 1967, Chapter 11-3, and any amendments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Fischbach. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Sutton-absent, Fischbach-aye, Kippley-aye, Fjeldheim-aye. Resolution adopted.

**LEASE AGREEMENT:** Moved by Hansen, seconded by Kippley to approve and authorize the Chair sign the following agreement: Hub City Radio for lease of the Expo Building on March 24 – 25, 2018. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**BID – HIGHWAY BUILDING TUCK POINT PROJECT:** Time and place, as advertised to open, read and consider sealed bids for labor and material to tuck point the Brown County Highway Building, located at 3133 8th Ave NE. Bids were received from Innovative Masonry Restoration, Inc, Prior Lake, MN and CWF Concrete Masonry, Aberdeen, SD. Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Kippley to refer all bids to Judy Dosch, Maintenance Supervisor for review and recommendation. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**BID – GRAVEL MATERIAL:** Time and place, as advertised to open, read and consider sealed bids for furnishing Gravel Material. Bids were received from Behnke Sand & Gravel, LG Everist, Hanlon Brothers, HF Jacobs & Son Construction, Hall Sand and Gravel. Moved by Hansen, seconded by Kippley to award all bids on Gravel Material based on location and availability, as per tabulation sheet on file in the Auditor's Office (available for public inspection Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**BID – ROAD OIL:** Time and place as advertised to open, read and consider bids for Asphalt Road Oil for 2018 Highway Department Projects. Moved by Kippley, seconded by Fischbach to accept bid, submitted by Jebro (only bid received), as follows: CSS 1H @ \$464.57 per ton; MC-70 @ \$740.69 per ton;

MC-3000 @ \$545.69 per ton. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**BID – ASPHALT CONCRETE PLANT MIX:** Time and place, as advertised to open, read and consider sealed bids for furnishing and delivery of Asphalt Concrete Plant Mix. Bids were received from Aberdeen Asphalt and Lien Transportation. Moved by Kippley, seconded by Fischbach to award both of the bids, purchasing various quantities based on availability and location: Aberdeen Asphalt – Hot Mix Class D Type II (1/2 inch) in amount of \$58.00 per ton, Cold Mix Class D Type I (3/4 inch) in amount of \$90.00 per ton; Lien Transportation – Hot Mix Class D Type II (1/2 inch) @ \$55.00 per ton and Hot Mix Class D Type II (3/4 inch) @ \$55.00 per ton. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**BID – RENTAL OF EQUIPMENT:** Time and place, as advertised to open, read and consider bids for furnishing Full/Bare Operation Rental Services of Gravel Trucks and Road Machinery for construction and maintenance repairs on Brown County Road Projects for year 2018. Bids were received from Aberdeen Asphalt; Kevin Bourdon Trucking; Hanlon Brothers; HF Jacobs & Son Construction; Lien Transportation; Webster Scale; RDO; Loiseau. Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Hansen to refer all bids on Rental of Equipment to Dirk Rogers, Highway Superintendent for tabulation and recommendation. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**BID AWARD LIVE BOTTOM TRAILER:** Time and place, as advertised to open, read and consider sealed bids for furnishing and delivery of one (1) used Live Bottom Trailer for the Highway Department. Moved by Hansen, seconded by Fischbach to award bid to Sheehan Equipment (only bid received) for one used 2017 Etnyre Model LB Falcon Live Bottom Trailer in amount of \$49,256.72. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**BID – BROWN COUNTY 14N RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT:** Time and place, as advertised to open, read and consider sealed bids for the Brown County 14N Reconstruction Project. Addendum's #1 and #2 were acknowledged by all bidders. Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Hansen to award low bid, submitted by Reede Construction Inc for Brown County 14N Reconstruction Project, per project specifications in amount of \$141,609.50; rejecting the following bids: H.F. Jacobs & Son Construction Inc in amount of \$154,985.24; Lien Transportation in amount of \$154,449.50; Dahme Construction in amount of \$147,562.75. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**LOAD LIMITS:** Dirk Rogers, Highway Superintendent stated the earliest date load limits would be implemented was March 6, 2018, but based on the ten day weather forecast this is not likely to happen.

**DPM ANNUAL REPORT:** Sue Gates, Dacotah Prairie Museum Director presented the 2017 DPM Annual Report.

**RECORDING DOCUMENTS ONLINE:** Register of Deeds Carol Sherman and Deputy Register of Deeds Robert Nichols announced that the online solution to file and record documents with the Register of Deeds Office via the Internet has been activated; and distributed a flier that will be sent to potential customers' outlining the procedures for using the system.

**PAYROLL CONTRACT:** Moved by Hansen, seconded by Kippley to approve and authorize the Chair sign Contract with RAM Housing Specialists, Inc. for payroll services. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**EQUIPMENT PURCHASE:** Moved by Hansen, seconded by Kippley to authorize the purchase of portable computer units (Surfaces) for the Planning/Zoning Board members. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Moved by Kippley, seconded by Hansen to adjourn the Brown County Commission at 10:28 a.m. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Maxine Fischer, Brown County Auditor

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## Brown County Jake Breaking Ordinance

NOTICE OF HEARING OF THE BROWN COUNTY COMMISSION

REGARDING AN AMENDMENT TO SECOND REVISION BROWN COUNTY ORDINANCE, TITLE 6

A public hearing will be held by the Brown County Commission on the 13th day of March 2018 beginning at 8:45 a.m. in the Commission Chambers, Courthouse Annex, to consider an ordinance amending Second Revision Brown County Ordinances, Title 6 Traffic Regulations, by adding Chapter 6.05 Prohibiting the Lawful Use of Engine and Compression Brakes (Jake Brakes), as follows:

**TITLE 6 TRAFFIC REGULATIONS**

Chapter 6.05 – Prohibiting the Lawful Use of Engine and Compression Brakes (Jake Brakes)

Section 6.0501. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to prohibit the excess, loud, unusual or explosive use of engine and compressed air braking devices within the designated areas of Brown County.

Section 6.0502. Definitions. For the purpose of this ordinance the following words and phrases are defined as follows: Engine retarding brake means a Dynamic Brake, Jake Brake, Jacobs Brake C-Brake, Paccar Brake transmission brake or any other engine retarding brake systems that alters the normal compression of the engine and subsequently releases that compression and creates an excessively loud noise.

Section 6.0503. Prohibitions. It shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle to use or operate or cause to be used or operated within designated areas in the County of Brown, State of South Dakota, any engine brake, Compression Brake or mechanical exhaust device designed to aid in the braking or deceleration of any vehicle that results in excess, loud, unusual or explosive noise from such vehicle, unless such use is necessary to avoid imminent danger. Such prohibition shall be applicable only to those streets, roads, alleys easements, or rights of way established for vehicle operation within Brown County.

Section 6.0504. Areas of Prohibition. The prohibition set forth herein shall apply to any public roads or highways in Brown County and shall be designated as such by signage as approved by the Brown County Commissioners.

Section 6.0505. Exceptions. Emergency vehicles shall be exempt from application of this ordinance.

Section 6.0506. Penalties. Any driver and/or firm or corporation for whom the driver is employed who shall violate this Ordinance shall upon conviction thereof, be summoned to pay a fine of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) along with any court costs.

The public is invited to attend the hearing and to present comments and testimony regarding the amendment to Title 6, adding Chapter 6.05 – Prohibiting the Lawful Use of Engine and Compression Brakes, (Jake Brakes). At the conclusion of the hearing, the Brown County Commission may adopt first reading of Brown County Ordinance No. 115

Dated this 20th day of February 2018

ATTEST:  
Maxine Fischer, Brown County Auditor

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## Brown County Independent

### Candidate Notice

NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR FILING NOMINATING PETITIONS FOR THE PRIMARY ELECTION AND FOR FILING INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE PETITIONS

The deadline for filing nominating petitions for the primary election is March 27, 2018, at 5:00 p.m. central time. If a petition is mailed by registered mail by March 27, 2018, at 5:00 p.m. central time, it shall be considered filed.

Nominating petitions for the offices of County Commissioners, County Auditor, County Sheriff, Register of Deeds, Delegates to the Republican Party State Convention, Precinct Committeeman for the Republican Party, Precinct Committeewoman for the Republican Party, shall be filed in

the office of the county auditor located in the county courthouse during regular business hours. Nominating petitions for the offices of US Representative, Governor, State Senate District 1, State Representative District 1, State Senate District 2, State Representative District 2, State Senate District 3, State Representative District 3, Heartland Consumers Power District Subdivision 3, Heartland Consumers Power District Subdivision 10, shall be filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, State Capitol Building, Pierre, SD 57501, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. central time.

The deadline for filing nominating petitions to run as an independent candidate in the general election is April 24, 2018, at 5:00 p.m. central time. If a petition is mailed by registered mail by April 24, 2018, at 5:00 p.m. central time, it shall be considered filed.

Maxine Fischer, Brown County Auditor

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## Mud Creek Sediment Removal Bid

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS  
Brown County Mud Creek Watershed District

Groton, South Dakota  
Mud Creek Sediment and Obstruction Removal Project

Sealed Bids for the construction of the Mud Creek Sediment and Obstruction Removal Project will be received by the Brown County Mud Creek Watershed District, located at 12960 406th Ave. Groton, South Dakota 57445, until 10:00 am local time on Friday, March 23rd 2018, at which time the Bids received will be "publicly" opened and read.

Bids are invited upon the items and approximate quantities of work as follows:

1. .... Sediment Removal
2. .... Beaver Dam Removals
3. .... Remove and Dispose Rubble Pile

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis, with additive alternate bid items as indicated in the Bid Form.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: Helms and Associates, 221 Brown County Highway 19, Aberdeen, South Dakota 57401 (605) 225-1212 operations@helmsengineering.com. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:00 am to 5:00 pm and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below.

Bidding Documents may be viewed and ordered online upon a one-time payment of \$20.00 by registering with the Issuing Office at <http://www.helmsengineering.com/biddocs.html>. Following registration, complete sets of Bidding Documents may be downloaded from the Issuing Office's website as portable document format (PDF) files. The 11"x17" paper drawings and Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office upon payment to Helms and Associates in the amount of \$100.00 for shipping and handling. Cost of Bidding Documents and shipping is

non-refundable. Additionally, upon request, in accordance with South Dakota Codified Law 5-18B-1, one copy of Plans and Specifications shall be furnished, without charge, to each Contractor resident in South Dakota who intends, in good faith, to bid upon the project. The date that the Bidding Documents are transmitted by the Issuing Office will be considered the Bidder's date of receipt of the Bidding Documents. Partial sets of the Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bank draft payable to the order of the "Mud Creek Watershed District", Groton, South Dakota or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value) in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid. A bid bond in an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the total bid will be accepted in lieu of a certified check or bank draft. Surety for bid bond must be authorized to do business in the State of South Dakota.

Bids may be held by the Mud Creek Watershed District, for a period of not more than thirty (30) days from the date of opening of bids for the purpose of reviewing the bids, investigating the qualifications of the bidders and completing financial arrangements prior to awarding the Work. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality in the bidding.

Owner: Brown County Mud Creek Watershed District

By: Roger Rix

Title: President

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IN CIRCUIT COURT  
FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
IN THE MATTER OF THE  
ESTATE OF GERALD L. RIX,  
DECEASED

06PRO.017-000105  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is given that on the 6th day of October, 2017, Anna M. Rix, whose address is set forth below, was appointed as personal representative of the estate of Gerald L. Rix.

Creditors of the decedent must file their claims within sixty (60) days after the date of mailing or delivery of this written notice, whichever is later, or be forever barred.

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Dated this 31st day of October, 2017.

/s/ Anna M. Rix

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### Columbia City Feb. 6, 2018 Meeting Minutes

City of Columbia Council Meeting  
February 6, 2018 7pm  
CALL MEETING TO ORDER - 6:59PM  
ROLL CALL - Andrew Davis, Ellen Harr, Tyler Kampa, Cole Kampa, Corey Mitchell, Cara Dennert Public attending - Jeremy Dosch, Landon Wolf, Scott Sikkink  
Corey Mitchell called the meeting to order. He read the minutes from the January meeting. There were no additions or corrections. Ellen Harr made a motion to accept the minutes as read. Cole Kampa seconded the motion. All in favor - motion carried.

WARRANT VOUCHERS .....  
Jeremy Dosch -363.99 ; Cara Dennert - 823.50; JVT - 143.98; Web Water - 26.72; Aberdeen News Company - 673.48; North-western Energy - 634.38; SDUID - 46.28; SDML - 554.00; Runnings - 6.89  
Tyler Kampa made a motion approve the warrants as submitted with the exception of checking into the Christmas Lights billing from Northwestern Energy. Ellen Harr seconded the motion. All in favor - motion carried.

COMMUNITY COMMENTS - none  
CORRESPONDENCE - none  
UNFINISHED BUSINESS  
Nuisances - we were deeded the property (near Kevin's) because of back taxes  
Streets - good/dry  
Parks - good/dry, pouring of cement by the concession stand area needs to get done before spring's busy time.  
Lagoon/sewer - none  
Sewer accounts - nothing new  
Rubble Site - none  
New Shop - Landon Wolf and Scott Sikkink were present to discuss a few issues. There was discussion about the insulation (which Scott is looking into) and site heating issue. Landon was asking for 28 day s of heating (which will be half of the heating costs.) The council decided to take the awning off the plans on the north side of the building to offset this cost. Landon stated that if there is a difference (the awning cost being more than 28 days of heating) they (Wolf) will write us a check. Ellen made a motion to take off the awning (from the plans) to help offset the heating cost - which is close to a 28 day cycle of heat for the site. Cole seconded the motion. All were in favor - motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS  
Ellen Harr said that she will be ordering sewer testing supplies soon.  
FINANCIAL REPORT - was presented and approved.  
Cole Kampa made a motion to adjourn. Ellen Harr seconded the motion. All were in favor - meeting adjourned.  
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## The Life of Troy G. Roettele



The memorial service for Troy G. Roettele, 46, of Aberdeen, SD, will be 10:30am, Thursday, March 8, 2018, at Aberdeen Christian Fellowship, with Pastor Jon Droege officiating. The family would like friends to wear casual attire to the service. Inurnment following at Sunset Memorial Gardens. Troy died Saturday, March 3, at Aberdeen Health & Rehab surrounded by his son and all siblings.

Visitation will be 4:00-6:00pm, Wednesday, with family present, and a prayer service at 6:00pm at Spitzer-Miller Funeral Home, 1111 South Main Street.

Troy Roettele was born March 18, 1971 to Gordon and Doris (Quam) Roettele in Aberdeen, SD. He grew up on the family farm north of Columbia. He attended elementary school in Columbia through the 5th grade. He then attended school in Groton, graduating from Groton High School in 1989. Troy enjoyed wrestling and weight lifting as school activities. Troy was fun loving and was known for playing pranks. After school, he worked for different farmers in the surrounding area for several years.

Troy married Stacey Sanborn on November 27, 1993 in Aberdeen. To this union, a son, Lane, was born. Troy worked several years for Custom Sheet Metal. After moving to Rapid City, SD, Troy started Roettele Remodeling. He also worked for Action Mechanical while in Rapid. He moved back to the Columbia/Aberdeen area and continued his remodeling business and sub-contracted for Custom Sheet Metal in Aberdeen. Troy could build just about anything. In July of 2016, Troy started working for his cousins on their farm.

Troy was diagnosed with Acute Myeloid Leukemia in October of 2016. He fought a courageous battle with cancer for almost a year and a half. Troy loved the staff at Avera McKennan Hospital in Sioux Falls and referred to the nurses there as his "Little Life Savers." Troy said he lived every day by the Serenity Prayer and enjoyed time with his friends at the Yellow House. He belonged to Aberdeen Christian Fellowship.

He loved being outdoors and especially enjoyed hunting with his dog Nut, fishing, and working at the Brown County Speedway. He liked snowmobiling, riding horses, and was a member of the Jim River Riders. Troy loved the western way of life. Troy especially enjoyed and supported his son, Lane, in archery, football, bull riding and Lane's guitar playing. He was a member of the Whitetail Bowman Club.

Grateful for having shared Troy's life are his son, Lane Roettele, Belle Fourche, SD; his siblings: Lynn Frohling, Kansas City, MO, Duane (Cheri) Roettele, Columbia, Denise (Charles) Knecht, Houghton, Paula (Dewey) Huettl, Aberdeen, Pamela (Richard) Siefkes, Bath, and Tracie Gates, Bath.

Preceding Troy in death are his parents, Gordon and Doris, his brother Dallas, and his dog, Nut.

## The Life of Dwight Allan Knoll



Funeral services for Dwight Allan Knoll, 69, Aberdeen, SD, are 2:00pm, Saturday, March 10, 2018, at Spitzer-Miller Funeral Home, Pastor Drew Becker officiating. Military honors by Sidney L. Smith American Legion Post 24. Dwight died Friday, March 2, at his home in Aberdeen, SD.

Visitation: two hours prior to the service at Spitzer-Miller Funeral Home, 1111 South Main Street.

Dwight Allan Knoll was born April 30, 1948, to Darrel and Doris (Hovland) Knoll. He grew up in Groton, SD, and attended country school near Warner. Dwight attended high school in Warner through his junior year when his family moved to Moses Lake, WA. After graduating from high school in 1967, Dwight joined the United States Army. He served in the infantry in Korea as a Sargent in the arms room. After receiving his Honorable Discharge, Dwight returned to Washington. He then moved to Aberdeen, where he held several jobs. He was owner of Violet Ray Laundromat, worked for A.Y. McDonald Supply, Cross Country, House of Glass, and did construction work with his son for Jarvis Construction. In 1991, they moved to Warner and lived there until moving back to Aberdeen in 2001. Dwight retired in 2010 due to his health.

Dwight was a member of the NRA, White Tails Unlimited, and the Sheriff's Association. He loved hunting and especially enjoyed bow hunting deer. He was an avid fisherman and spent many hours out on the water with Kenny Erickson and friends. Dwight collected M&M's figures. Attending auction sales was a favorite pastime of his. He enjoyed NASCAR and followed Kyle Busch. His year was made when the Philadelphia Eagles won the Super Bowl. Dwight was very thankful for everything his sons did for him and was extremely proud of his four grandchildren.

Grateful for having shared Dwight's life are his two sons: Allan (Melissa) Knoll and Laramie Knoll, both of Aberdeen; four grandchildren: Jensen, Kennedy, Emily and Sophia Knoll; and three siblings: Cyle Knoll, Mansfield, SD, Kevin Knoll, Puyallup, WA and Sheila Main, Renton, WA.

Preceding Dwight in death are his parents, Darrell and Doris Knoll.

## The Life of Hank Kurtz



Hank Kurtz was born February 26, 1946, to Darrel and Cora (Jensen) Kurtz in Groton, SD. He attended elementary and junior high school at Joan of Arc school, a half mile from the family farm and graduated from Groton High School in 1965.

He joined the United States Air Force after high school and served as a flight crewman for medical evacuations during the Vietnam War. While stationed at McCord AFB in Tacoma, WA, he met the love of his life, Joyce, and they spent 49 years in marriage until his

death.

They moved back to Groton, SD, where he worked on the family farm until 1974, when he enrolled in the Denver Automotive and Diesel School studying diesel mechanics. After completing his degree, he returned to SD and worked as construction and feedlot foreman for Delzer Construction in Spearfish. Hank opened D.G. Kurtz Trucking and ran his company for many years. In addition to over the road trucking, he loved to help family and friends doing any projects and building things. He spent many hours working with his children and grandchildren sharing his skills and knowledge. He was completely devoted to his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

Darwin "Hank" Kurtz, 71, of Whitewood, SD, lost his battle with cancer on February 5, 2018. After a brief but fierce fight, he passed away in the hospice unit in the VA hospital at Ft. Meade, SD.

He is survived by his wife Joyce; children, Laura (Dennie) Clausen, Everett, WA, Deb (Ted) Bartunek, Rapid City, SD, and Bill (Jen) Kurtz, Chamberlain, SD; grandchildren, Adria (Dale) Gohman, St Cloud, MN, Megan (Justin) Long, Red Owl, SD, Andrew Aker, Ft. Benning, GA, Trevor Bartunek, Phoenix, AZ, Austin Bartunek, Rapid City, SD, and Autumn and Ainsley Kurtz, Chamberlain, SD; great-grandchildren, Jerika, Keaton, and Tavin Gohman, and Lexi, Leigha, Drew, and Dawson Long; sisters and brothers, Karon Kurtz and Duane Kurtz of Aberdeen, SD, Shirley Simon, Yuma, AZ, Lois (Victor) Schwahn, San Jacinto, CA, Connie Olson, Rapid City, SD, and Dennis (Sue) Kurtz, Claremore, OK; one aunt, Abbie Jensen, Spearfish, SD; and numerous nieces and nephews across the country.

He is preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Myrtle.

Services were held Friday, February 9, 2018, at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Whitewood, SD, followed by interment at Black Hills National Cemetery.

## The Life of Bert Raap



Services for Bert Raap, 87, of Groton were held Saturday, March 3rd at the Groton United Methodist Church. The Rev. Thomas Carlson officiated. Burial with military honors followed in Sunset Memorial Gardens, Aberdeen.

Bert passed away March 1, 2018 at Avera St. Lukes Hospital, Aberdeen.

Harry Bert was born on August 1, 1930 in Andover to Harry and Lucy (Mielke) Raap. He attended school in Andover, graduating in 1949. He enlisted with the United States Army and served from January of 1953-1955. Following his honorable discharge, Bert returned to Andover where he farmed with his father and brother. He was united

in marriage with Darlene Sturm on June 2, 1951 in Hancock, Minnesota. Together, they were blessed with three children. Bert was a farmer at heart, caring for the land and livestock. He retired and moved into Groton in 2000. Bert married Janice Fenhaus on August 15, 2009.

Bert was a member of the United Methodist Church in Andover, and later in Groton. He enjoyed playing cards and bowling. Bert loved animals, especially his pet dogs.

Celebrating his life is his wife, Janice of Groton, three children, Tamara (George) Eberle of Watertown, Trudy (Barry) Smith of Andover, Torre (Denise) Raap of Andover, six grandchildren: Jody Heinemann and fiancé Eddie Haskell, Ryan (Kandi) Smith, Rene (Dan) Waldman, Whitney (Bryan) Sombke, Bryce Raap, Jeff Ringgenberg, two step-granddaughters, Christine Eberle and Michelle (Jon) Boer, 9 great-grandchildren: Mitchell, Zack, Alex Heinemann, Alexis and Alivia Ringgenberg, Hailey and Jaiden Smith, Jackson Waldman, Maryn Sombke and Baby Sombke. Bert is also survived by his four step-children, David Pauli, Darcy Dahlgren, Jody (Jim) Berg and Jennifer Knopp, 14 step-great-grandchildren, Chelsie Peterson, Tory Pauli, Carrissa Pauli, Dustin Dahlgren, Derrick Dahlgren, Devin Dahlgren, Jared Berg, Jordan Berg, Jacob Berg, Savannah Berg, Lincoln Boer, Quinn Boer, Camden Rhodes and Reagan Rhodes. his siblings, Pat Lackey of Fayetteville, Arkansas, Joan VanDyke of Sioux Falls, Chuck (LaVonne) Raap of Groton, Laurel (Bob) Kost of Ft. Collins, Colorado, Kay (Lyle) Kranzler of Sioux Falls, Jerry (Carol) Raap of Andover, Tom Raap of Sioux Falls, Allana (Frank) Novotney of Windsor, Nebraska and Steven Raap of Yankton.

Preceding him in death were his parents and his first wife, Darlene in 2004.

Honorary Casketbearers were Members of the Senior Citizens.

Casketbearers were Jeff Ringgenberg, Mitchell Heinemann, Bryce Raap, Bryan Sombke, Ryan Smith and Dan Waldman.

# Tiospa Zina has 24-point run and holds off Groton rally



**Seric Shabazz dribbles the ball around the Wambdi defense.** (Photo by Julianna Kosel)

Tiospa Zina went on a 24-point run in the first half and the deficit was too much for Groton Area to overcome as the Wambdi held off a Groton rally. Tiospa Zina won the first round region game at Agency Villatge with a 60-54 score.

Both teams were fired up at the beginning of the game with the Tigers hitting the first three-pointer. The game was tied at three. Tiospa Zina took a 5-3 lead before another Tiger three-pointer would give Groton a 6-5 lead. Then the drought began for Groton Area. The Tigers did not score for over eight minutes as the Wambdi scored 24 unanswered points to take a 29-6 lead. The Wambdi led, 18-6, after the first quarter and 33-14 at half time. Groton Area had nine turnovers in the first half and that resulted in nine points. Tiospa Zina had four first half turnovers and Groton converted once for two points. In the first half, Groton Area made five of 24 field goals for 21 percent and the Wambdi made 13 of 32 field goals for 41 percent.

The Tigers started putting points on the board in the third quarter with four three-pointers being made and the 23-point deficit was reduced to 11 by the end of the third quarter, 44-33. The Tigers were six of 17 in shooting in the third quarter for 45 percent and Tiospa Zina was five of 11 for 45 percent.

Groton Area closed the lead to six points, 56-50, with three minutes left in the game and had a couple of opportunities to close the lead even more, but the ball wouldn't drop.

Coach Justin Hanson said, "The boys played hard for me all season. That is one thing no one can ever discredit us for is our effort. I never questioned one time this year after a game whether we left everything we had out on the court. It's always unfortunate that a season has to end, but it ended with me being proud of how far this group of boys has come this season."

Tiospa Zina went back on top by 10, 60-50, and would win by six at the end.

Three players hit double figures for Groton Area with Treyton Diegel making four three-pointers on his way to 16 points. Brodyn DeHoet made two three-pointers on his way to 14 points and Jonathan Doeden made two three-pointers on his way to 10 points. Seric Shabazz added seven points, Brandon Keith five and Kaden Kurtz added two points.

Divante Greeley led the Wambdi with 23 points while Jamison Pratt had 16, Johnny German and Peyton Halseide each had nine points, Nyton Owen had three and Jacob LaBlanc had two points.

An interesting note - Shabazz and Keith were the only seniors for both sides that scored points.

Groton finishes the season with an 8-13 record.



**Brandon Keith (20) looks to Brodyn DeHoet for a possible play. DeHoet was named to the third team of the Northeast Conference All-Conference team.** (Photo by Julianna Kosel)

- Paul Kosel

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IN CIRCUIT COURT  
FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HARLAN EUGENE RADKE, JR, DECEASED  
06PRO.018-000018  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
Notice is given that on the 27th day of February, 2018, Nancy Radke, whose address is 14122 403rd Ave., Groton, SD 57445, was appointed as personal representative of the estate of Harlan Eugene Radke, Jr.  
Creditors of the decedent must file their claims within (4) months after the date of the appointment of the personal representative, or within (4) months of the first publication of this notice, if any, or within sixty (60) days after the date of the

mailing or delivery of this written notice, whichever is later, or be forever barred.

Claims may be filed with the personal representative or may be filed with the Clerk of Courts and a copy of the claim mailed to the personal representative.

Dated this 27th day of February, 2018.

/s/ Nancy Radke  
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