

Barnes County Special Commission Meeting
Thursday, May 17, 2007
Valley City, ND

The Barnes County Commission met in special session Thursday, May 17, 2007, with all members present except Commissioner Triebold. Also present were States Attorney Brad Cruff, Highway Superintendent Kerry Johnson, and Ross Eberle of Kadmas, Lee and Jackson.

Purpose of the meeting was to open bids for project CP-0221(007), which is the cold in-place recycle project on County Road #21 (Kathryn Road). The bid from Mid State Reclamation and Trucking was lost by FedEx. No other bids were received. The meeting was recessed until 5 p.m.

The meeting was re-opened at 5 p.m. with the same in attendance.

Mr. Cruff opened the bid from Mid State Reclamation and Trucking. The bid bond was present and acceptable. It was determined that their North Dakota contractor's license needs to be Class A, while Mid State only has a Class B, requiring that they upgrade before the project commences. The bid was for \$440,452.96 for seven miles south on Kathryn Road, while the estimate was \$451,373.40.

Commissioner Berntson made a motion, seconded by Opdahl, to accept the bid. Upon a roll call vote with all members present voting "yes," motion carried.

Mr. Eberle will contact the company with expectations. The project's estimated start date is shortly after Memorial Day.

There being no further business to come before the Board, Commissioner Weber made a motion, seconded by Opdahl, to adjourn. Motion carried.

Edward R. McGough
Barnes County Auditor

Cindy Schwehr, Chairman
Barnes County Commission