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County accepts payment offer from state for road use

**(KMZA)--The Nemaha County Commission has approved a contract with the state and to accept a \$25,000 payment for the use of county roads during a box culvert replacement project next spring.**

**The commission took the action when they meet last week following discussion with Michael Hagemann with the Kansas Department of Transportation.**

**The state plans to replace a box culvert on K-9 Highway near V Road and use county roads as an unofficial detour during the project.**

**In other business, Tom Gudenkauf came before the commission during the public comment portion of the meeting. He spoke to commissioners on behalf of P and J Solid Waste Management about his interest in purchasing the county's transfer station. Commissioners said they would take the matter under consideration.**

**And County Administrator Mike Miller informed commissioners that he and Senior Services/Public Transit Director Tammy Epple spoke to a company about a capital improvement plan for the flat roofs on county owned buildings. Commissioners advised Miller to look into the issue further and possibly talk with other companies at this time.**

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