

Richardson County Commissioners meet

**(KLZA)-- Richardson County Commissioners approved entering into a Memorandum of Understanding with Johnson, Pawnee and Nemaha Counties to apply for Community - based Juvenile Service Aid Program Funds through the Nebraska Crime Commission for the 2024-25 period when they met last week.**

**Linda Volker presented the 4-County Juvenile Services program and summary of services provided during the meeting.**

**Highway Superintendent Steve Darveau Jr. reported construction has begun on a concrete box culvert project on 704 Road, 4.5 miles west of Highway 73 on Pony Creek Road. The project is anticipated to be completed by early spring.**

**Commissioners also authorized advertising for sealed bids for rock purchases in 2024 to be opened December 27.**

**Sheriff Rick Hardesty reported on seized monies totaling approximately \$27 thousand from an illegal drug investigation. The funds will be submitted to the Federal Forfeiture program with Richardson County to receive a portion of those funds.**

**The Sheriff also reported there were 666 calls with 447 of them being traffic stops in the last month. The Sheriff's Department made 48 arrests.**

**Commissioners did approve a request from the City of Falls City for \$3,831 to cover the matching share of the total cost of \$15,323 for three new computers with mounting brackets, printers and scanners for patrol vehicles which will be covered by a grant from the Nebraska Department of Transportation.**

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