

**CALLED MEETING**  
**OMAHA TRIBAL COUNCIL**

**Meeting Minutes**  
**November 6, 2025**  
**Public Tribal Chambers**

Chairman called the meeting to order at 11:06 am

Roll Call: **Leander: X Cheyenne: AB Galen: X Jeff: X Dustin: X Alan: X Jason: AB**

Present: 5 Absent: 2

Invocation: Jeffrey Gilpin

Recording Secretary: Leander Merrick and Jessa Saunsoci

- BBC Salary request – CFO Arthur Taylor
- BBC Gaming Compact Meeting
- ATC Farms – Expansion contract

**1) Resolutions:**

- a) **RE 26-13** Declaring a Tribal State of Emergency due to the Federal Government Shutdown and Associated suspension/disruption of Federal Services and benefits

**FTR: Approved via email vote on 10/31/2025**

- b) **RE 26-14** Resolution Authorizing Execution of Agreement between the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska and State of Nebraska for Improvements to a Portion of Highway N-9, US-75, and US-77 located on the Omaha reservation, known as Project No. HSIP-D3 (114)

**Motion: Galen Aldrich Second: Dustin Lovejoy Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

**2) Minutes:**

- a) October 28, 2025

**Motion: Dustin Lovejoy Second: Galen Aldrich Council vote yes: 5 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 1**

- b) April 17, 2025 correction

a) ~~Probation Officers budget \$21,554.20~~

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**Motion: Galen Aldrich Second: Dustin Lovejoy Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

**3) Program/Business Updates and Microix Queue Over \$10,000.00:**

**A) Carl T Curtis Health Education Center**

- a) **EN-119070** NSSC – Medications for the month of August \$156,525.65

**Motion: Alan Harlan Second: Leander Merrick Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

- b) **EN-119190** Rasmussen Mechanical Services – Nursing Home compressor replacement for HVAC system \$11,219.56

**Motion: Galen Aldrich Second: Leander Merrick Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

- c) **EN-119191** Rasmussen Mechanical Services - Nursing Home dishwasher exhaust replacement. \$43,618.00

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d) EN-119257 Siouxland Trailer Sales – Snow plow for winter \$11,492.40

**Motion:** Leander Merrick **Second:** Galen Aldrich **Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

e) EN-119363 Oban Construction – Water replacement for Behavior Health \$111,585.20

**Motion:** Galen Aldrich **Second:** Leander Merrick **Council vote yes: 5 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 1**

f) EN-119425 Biomerieux Inc – Respiratory supplies \$13,680.00

**Motion:** Galen Aldrich **Second:** Leander Merrick **Council vote yes: 5 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 1**

g) EN-119516 Key Rehabilitation Inc – Outpatient Therapy services \$14,009.35

**Motion:** Alan Harlan **Second:** Leander Merrick **Council vote yes: 5 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 1**

h) EN-119578 Hy-Vee – Turkey and Ham for patient homes in service area \$24,500.00

**Motion:** Leander Merrick **Second:** Dustin Lovejoy **Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

i) EN-119582 Amie Shrack – CTC Nursing Home Consulting Services \$10,885.00

**Motion:** Leander Merrick **Second:** Dustin Lovejoy **Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

j) EN-119637 CMBA Architects – Professional services agreement for 2024 construction projects \$1,000,000.00

**Motion:** Leander Merrick **Second:** Dustin Lovejoy **Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

k) Molinda Healthcare of Iowa Inc

**Motion:** Alan Harlan **Second:** Leander Merrick **Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

**B) Roads Department**

a) EN-119278 KLJ Engineering – engineering costs for the RAISE grant \$174,581.60

**Motion:** Leander Merrick **Second:** Galen Aldrich **Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

**C) Big Elk Development**

a) Krumwiede Heating and Cooling \$34,275.60

**Motion:** Galen Aldrich **Second:** Leander Merrick **Council vote yes: 4 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 2**

**D) Higher Education**

a) GED Contract – Nebraska Indian Community College

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**E) Miscellaneous**

a) BBC Loan Agreement – 6 month salaries

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b) Justice Center – Contract proposal

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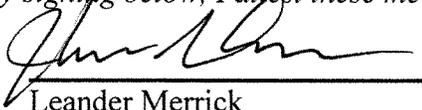
c) Motion to purchase the farm base located down bottom – M. Storm farm

**Motion: Leander Merrick Second: Galen Aldrich Council vote yes: 5 no: 0 abstain: 1 absent: 1**

**Adjournment: 3:00 pm**

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*By signing below, I attest these meeting minutes are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge*



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Leander Merrick  
Omaha Tribal Council Secretary  
Omaha Tribe of Nebraska