### RED WILLOW COUNTY VISITORS COMMITTEE

# Tuesday, August 5, 2025 8:30 a.m.

### **Keystone Business Center – 3rd Floor Training Room**

### **Committee Members**

Daniel Stramel, Chairman	Chris Wagner
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Term Expires - December 31, 2025

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Natalie Alred Kerri Unger

Term Expires - December 31, 2025 Term Expires - December 31, 2027

#### **Andrea Harms**

Term Expires - December 31, 2027

The board reserves the right to go into executive session if such session is clearly necessary for the protection of the public interest or for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual.

# \*Denotes Action Item

#### TENTATIVE AGENDA

# \*Approval of Minutes

Presentation of Financial Status

•	Balance in Promotion Fund as of July 31, 2025 =	\$ 63,926.14
•	Balance in Improvement Fund as of July 31, 2025 =	\$ 203,177.16
•	Balance in Promotion Fund Budget as of July 31, 2025 =	\$ 145,369.91
•	Balance in Improvement Fund Budget as of July 31, 2025 =	\$ 278,703.75
	Petty Cash Fund Balance	\$ 36.04

### Old Business

Promotion Grant Follow Up

•	McCook Chamber of Commerce - Bash on the Bricks	
	Dates: June 28, 2025	Amount Approved: \$ 3,150.00
•	Red Willow County Fair	
	Dates: July 23-27, 2025	Amount Approved: \$ 2,500.00
•	Tour de Nebraska – McCook Committee	
	Dates: June 27-29, 2025	Amount Approved: \$ 5,000.00
		Actual Expenditure: \$ 4,292.38

### New Business

### \*Promotion Grant Request

McCook Chamber of Commerce – Heritage Days		
Dates: September 17-20, 2025	Amount Requested: \$	3,975.00

### \*Facility Rental Grant Request

•	McCook Chamber of Commerce – Heritage Days		
	Dates: September 17-20, 2025	Amount Requested: \$	100.00

CHAN – Cutting Horse Association of Nebraska
 Dates: September 25-28, 2025
 Amount Requested: \$ 1,750.00

### \*Sponsorship Request

• 2025-26 MPCC Rodeo Team Sponsorship Last Sponsorship: \$ 1,750.00

### \*Improvement Grant Request

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PFC Gerald L. Walters Sports Complex Amount Requested: \$250,000.00 Over 5 years

• Indianola Historical Society

Red Willow Co. Historical Tourism Attraction in Indianola Amount Requested: \$ 35,378.62

• Heritage Hills Golf Course

Clubhouse Renovation Amount Requested: \$120,000.00

• Indianola Arena Committee

Permanent Lighting for Arena Amount Requested: \$ 43,181.25

• 6<sup>th</sup> Floor Project – ArtBank

Berlin Picnic Tables for ArtBank Outback Amount Requested: \$ 7,518.75

### Other Business from the Committee

### Claim Summary – Promotion Fund 0990 879

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•	2-6030 Facebook – Bash Weekend	44.95
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• 2-1751 Adobe Subscription 64.49 109.44

2-1751 HonorboundIT Service Plan 25.00

### MEDC

• 2-1012 Printing – 08/16/2024-07/09/2025	455.50
2-6030 Flagship Publishing – NE Life 1/3 pg ad JA2025	651.00

2-6040 McCook Gazette – 06/30/2025 Meeting Notice 10.03
2-6070 McCook Chamber of Commerce - Bash on the Bricks 3,150.00

2-6070 Red Willow County Fair 2,500.00

# Tour de Nebraska – McCook Committee

•	2-6070 McCook Chamber of Commerce	474.50
•	2-6070 McCook Community College	1,600.00
•	2-6070 Jared Muehlenkamp	1,170.00

• 2-6070 Ronda Graff 1,047.88 <u>4,292.38</u> 11,193.35

### \*Approval of Claims

### Claim Summary – Improvement Fund 0995 879

2-6000 July Wages 4,296.25

## \*Approval of Claims

### Promotion Grant Pledge: Total = \$ 0.00

# Facility Rental Grant Pledges: Total = \$2,750.00

National Versatility Ranch Association
 Dates: October 1-5, 2025
 Amount Approved: \$ 2,750.00

### <u>Improvement Grant Pledge: Total = \$ 1,000.00</u>

 McCook All-Inclusive Playground Sponsorship

Sponsorship Amount Approved: \$ 1,000.00