

PUBLIC NOTICES

**MEASURES BALLOT**

Vote by darkening the oval (●) next to the word "YES" or "NO" following the explanation of each measure.

**Constitutional Measure No. 1**

**(Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4007, 2025 Session Laws, Ch. 615)**

This constitutional measure would amend and reenact section 9 of article III and section 16 of article IV of the Constitution of North Dakota, relating to requiring each resolution adopted by the legislative assembly proposing a constitutional amendment and each initiative petition and measure proposing a constitutional amendment be comprised of a single subject. The proposed amendment is summarized as follows: constitutional amendments would be limited to one subject. The Secretary of State shall not approve an initiative petition for circulation if the Secretary determines that the proposed amendment comprises more than one subject. Additionally, the legislative assembly is required to limit proposed amendments to the constitution to one subject.

The estimated fiscal impact of this measure is none.

- Yes** - Means you approve the measure summarized above.
- No** - Means you reject the measure summarized above.

**Emmons County Measure No. 1**

Shall Emmons County be authorized to continue levying a tax of not more than five (5) mills for the support of a hospital district to be known as the Emmons County Hospital District consisting of all of Emmons County, 1,559 square miles with a population of 3,301 according to the most recent census?

This measure continues an existing voter-approved levy and does not impose a new or additional mill levy.

- Yes** - Means you approve the measure summarized above.
- No** - Means you reject the measure summarized above.



**CITY OF ZEELAND  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
MAY 12, 2026**

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Lacher at 7:00 p.m. Roll call – Alfred Schumacher (P); Todd Dohn (P); Travis Stahl (P) and Ryan Pfeifer (P).

Motion by Stahl for approve the agenda, second Pfeifer. All Aye.

Motion by Schumacher to approve the minutes from the Tax Equalization meeting and the regular April meeting, second Dohn. All (Aye).

Financials were presented by the Auditor. Dohn made a motion to approve the financial reports as presented and payment of the following claims, second Schumacher. J. Scherr 369.40; K. Anderson 46.17; A. Schumacher 110.82; IRS 87.22; Trash LLC 2,300.00; MDU

1,308.36; Zeeland Oil 43.39; Emmons Co Record 121.69; BEK 60.75; MCB Visa 638.18; CarQuest 130.00; ND Dept of Health 27.00; WEB 2,615.44 and Moore Engineering 16,497.25. All Aye.

Old Business - Tabled Omega mix at this time.

Moore Engineering – no new information.

City lots – Had several requests to purchase city owned lots. Tabled.

New Business – Mayor Lacher received a call from the postal office about our lease and when it is time to renew. Questions were also asked about snow removal, lawn mowing, etc. Lease states city is not responsible. Waiting for contact.

Clean up day will be June 13th. Watch for posters!

Request from the Zeeland Lions for gaming approval. Stahl made a motion to approve the application for the Zeeland Lions gaming, second Pfeifer. All Aye.

Mowing - Mayor Lacher will talk to the person that has expressed interest and see what he is willing to do. After that we will discuss a wage.

Curbstop - Another property has a curbstop that is leaking. That will be added to the repair list. Contractor has been contacted and will be coming to fix them. Property owner is responsible for the cost of the repair.

Other business – Water was turned off at a property owner from out of town due to the bill for that property not being paid. Council is firm with their decision that the full bill has to be paid before the water can be turned back on.

A request to write a grant for a walking trail path grant in Zeeland. Deadline is May 22nd. Tabled at this time.

Discussed school and an ordinance for storage and items on lots.

Next meeting will be June 9, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.

Schumacher made a motion to adjourn, second Dohn and carried unanimously to approve.

ATTEST:  
Joyce Scherr, Auditor  
Pius Lacher, Mayor  
(05-28-2026)

**NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, June 9, 2026, at the Emmons County Courthouse, State of North Dakota, a Primary Election will be held for United States Representative in Congress, State, One Constitutional Measure, County Commissioners and County Offices, One County Measure; and also, Municipal Elections for the Cities of Braddock, Hague, Hazelton, Linton and Strasburg. Polls will be open between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Polling places are at the Hazelton City Hall, Bernie Schiermeister, Inspector, Emmons County Courthouse, Wayne Ehley, Inspector, and Strasburg Blue Room, Rosalind Leier, Inspector. All three polling places will be utilized as Voting Centers that will contain ballots for all the precincts in Emmons County so that any qualified elector may choose to cast a ballot at any one of the locations.

Dated this 18th day of May, 2026  
Marlys Ohlhauser  
County Auditor/Treasurer  
Emmons County, North Dakota  
(05-28-2026)(06-04-2026)