

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-20

A RESOLUTION PERMITTING THE LEASE OF COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS FACILITIES

WHEREAS, the citizens of Butte County have funded, built, and maintained the Butte County Fairgrounds located at 12441 Valley Nisland Road, Nisland, South Dakota; and

WHEREAS, the Butte/Lawrence County Fair Board currently uses the Butte County Fairgrounds as the location of the annual Butte/Lawrence County Fair; and

WHEREAS, Butte County has committed to the Butte/Lawrence County Fair Board that they will have exclusive use of the Butte County Fairgrounds for a period of 3 weeks each year in order to host the annual Butte/Lawrence County Fair; and

WHEREAS, at all other times of the year, the Butte County Fairgrounds are available for use by citizens and others sponsoring special events, and

WHEREAS, it will benefit the citizens of Butte County for the Fairgrounds to permit the Butte County Fairgrounds to be leased for special events; and

WHEREAS, SDCL § 7-27-12 permits County Commissioners to lease County Fair Grounds and Fair Buildings, or any part of the Grounds or Buildings to any person, persons, companies, corporations, associations, or organizations, for any purpose within the County Commission's discretion, as long as the leasing serves and benefits the public.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Butte County Board of County Commissioners that the Butte County Fairgrounds may be leased by the Butte County Board of Commissioners, or its designee, to any member of the public upon proper application and approval of the lease by the Commission, or its designee; except during that period of time each year the Fairgrounds are dedicated to the Butte/Lawrence County Fair Board for the purpose of organizing, sponsoring, and operating the Butte/Lawrence County Fair.

Dated this 5th day of July, 2018.

BOARD OF BUTTE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
/s/: Frank Walton
Frank Walton, Chairman

ATTEST:

/s/: Elaine Jensen
Elaine Jensen, Auditor