Sports Arena Facility Financing Assistance Act Board

Dated this 13th day of September, 2021

Notice is hereby given of a public hearing of the Sports Arena Facility Financing Assistance Act Board, to be held October 5, 2021, beginning at 1:00 pm CDT, in the Governor's Hearing Room, RM 2316, State Capitol, Lincoln NE. 68509. The hearing is to receive documentary evidence and testimony regarding an application submitted by the City of Kearney, Nebraska for financial assistance under the Sports Arena Facility Financing Assistance Act, Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 13-3101 through 13-3109. The City of Kearney is seeking financial assistance to aid in the construction of a \$34 million sports complex equipped with a hard court/gym (8 basketball, convert to 12 volleyball), turf/multi-purpose field (1 full size soccer field, convert to 3 small fields), three lane running/walking track with extra sprint lane, pickleball (4 courts), offices, concession, storage, restrooms, elevator and stairs, maintenance/mechanical, permanent seating for 3,100 spectators plus portable seating for 300 spectators, and other amenities. The project is to occupy 206,000 square feet situated on approximately 15 acres at approximately Talmadge Street and 10th Avenue, in Kearney, Nebraska.

The <u>project application</u> is available for viewing in the office of the Tax Commissioner, 301 Centennial Mall South, Lincoln, NE, Second Floor, or may be viewed at the website for the Nebraska Department of Revenue <u>www.revenue.nebraska.gov</u>.

The opportunity to submit oral or written evidence is available to any interested person upon written request to the Sports Arena Facilities Financing Board. Unscheduled testimony will be received following the scheduled testimony. Any interested person may also submit a written statement by 5:00 pm on October 5th to be made a part of the record, to the Nebraska Department of Revenue at 301 Centennial Mall South, 2nd Floor, Lincoln, Nebraska, 68509. Individuals requiring physical or sensory accommodations, please contact the Nebraska Department of Revenue at 301 Centennial Mall South, PO Box 94818, Lincoln, NE 68509-4818 or by calling 800-742-7474 (NE and IA) or 402-471-5729 or TDD 402-471-5740, no later than September 28, 2021.