

## North Bend, Dodge, Nebraska

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Records: 1886-1950

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No. of items: 3 reels of microfilm

### HISTORICAL NOTE

North Bend, Nebraska is located near the south central border of Dodge County. It began as a campsite at a bend of the northernmost point of the Platte River. The townsite was first named Franklin in 1856. This is the name that was used for the first post office and the survey map of 1857. In 1863 the post office name changed to Wallace. An affidavit executed on June 25, 1867 gave the town the official name of North Bend. The name North Bend was chosen by S.S. Caldwell, M.S. Cotterell, and Union Pacific Railroad officials because of its location.

Because there were no homes in the area, Matthew S. Cotterell and J. Mason Smith filed claims on April 1, 1858. Cotterell later sold his land to the Union Pacific Railroad. A preliminary survey for a railroad was done in 1864. The rails were placed in 1866 and a depot was built on the present site of North Bend.

The original Town House was built in 1856. It was demolished and the old Bend House was built in 1864. A survey of blocks and streets was made in June 1867. North Bend was incorporated as a village on April 20, 1876.

There was no formal school organization in Dodge County at the time North Bend originated. The schools of Dodge County were granted appropriations by the territorial legislature. The first school house in North Bend was built in 1858.

### SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection consists of three reels of 35mm microfilm containing the minutes of the North Bend City Council, 1886-1950.



ADDED ENTRIES:\*\*

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT--RECORDS AND CORRESPONDENCE  
DODGE COUNTY (NEB.)--HISTORY  
LEAGUE OF NEBRASKA MUNICIPALITIES  
Doan, Ira, dec.1901  
NORTH BEND CEMENT, TILE AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY  
NORTH BEND (NEB.)--FIRE DEPARTMENT  
BONDS--MUNICIPAL (NORTH BEND, NEB.)  
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DESCRIPTION

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SUBGROUP ONE CITY COUNCIL, 1886-1950

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SERIES ONE MINUTES, 1886-1950

Note: Microfilmed under MP4093  
Security microfilm copy

Reel 1

Book 1, p.1 - Minutes, April 15, 1886  
thru

Book 1, p.300 - Minutes, August 8, 1892

Inserts (loose), Sept 19, 1887 - Apr. 9, 1897

Minutes (loose): June 13, 1892; Oct. 13, 1892  
October 24, 1892

Police Judges-Report, Apr. 15 - Dec. 12, 1892

Inserts (loose): Feb. 29, 1892 - July 1, 1897

Book 2, p.1 - Minutes, August 22, 1892  
thru

Book 2, p.292 - Minutes, February 18, 1901  
p.293-298 - Ordinance #142  
p.299 - In Memoriam, Dr. Ira Doan  
p.300 - Roll Call, 1897-1901

Book 3, p.1 - Minutes, March 18, 1901  
thru

Book 3, p.453 - Minutes, August 6, 1913  
p.454 - Minutes, August 6, 1913  
pp.455-496 are Blank  
pp.497-500 - Roll Call, 1901-1907

Loose Notes and Inserts:

May 7, 1908 - July 1, 1913

Bond - North Bend Cement, Tile & Mfg. Co., 1911

Attorney's Opinion (E.F. Gray), 3/7/1911

re electric lines

Ordinances S.59 & 60, Chapter 5, Rev. Ordinances  
Amendment 1911

Revised Ordinances, City of North Bend, 1892-1912

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and inserts, 1907-1909  
Constitution - League of Nebraska Municipalities

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Reel #2

Book 4, p.1 - Minutes, August 15, 1913  
thru

Book 4, p.106 - Minutes, Jan. 4, 1918

NOTE: following p.93 see ordinances,  
pp. 1-189 following p.106

Revised ordinances, North Bend, Nebraska:  
p.1 (5/1/1917) thru p.189 (5/2/1917)

NOTE: Continued on p.94 previous

Book 4 (cont) - Targeted Book #5 on film

p.107 - Minutes, January 18, 1918  
thru

p.202 - Minutes, March 23, 1922

pp.203-205 - Inserts (clippings, etc.)

April 5, 1922 - May 31, 1923

unnumbered pages - Minutes, Sept. 1-15, 1922

pp.209-210 - Clippings, Minutes, 10/6-11/17/1922

pp.211-212 are Blank

p.213 - Clippings December 1, 1922

p.214 is Blank

p.215 - Clippings of Ordinance #15, 9/15/1922

Ordinance #16, October 1922

NOTE: Page numbering following page 215 Book #4 and continuing through rest of volumes is confusing and inconsistent. Page numbers will only be given when they appear in numerical order.

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Minutes, Ordinances, clippings, etc. 9/15/1922

p.207 - Minutes, September 15, 1922

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p.220 - Minutes, April 30, 1923

Audit Reports, April 30, 1923

p.221 - Minutes, May 4, 1923

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p.480 - Minutes, May 1, 1928

NOTE: pp.473 & 474 follow page 478

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Minutes, June 1, 1928 - March 13, 1930  
p.443 - Minutes, March 7, 1930  
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p.460 - Minutes, April 30, 1930  
Ordinances #38 & #39 re Nebraska Power  
Company, March 7, 1930  
Book Ends - Roll Calls, 1922-1928

Reel #3

NOTE: Volumes on Roll #3 were microfilmed out of order  
and following wrong targets. Book #5 Target, Beginning  
of roll see last book filmed on roll.

Book 5 (following first volume filmed on roll)

List - Active Members of North Bend Fire  
Department, 1932-1940  
Minutes, April 30, 1930  
thru  
p.190 - Minutes, January 15, 1937  
Ordinances #1 (1880s) thru #97 (5/12/1890)

Book #6 (First volume filmed on roll #3)

NOTE: Page numbering is to be ignored  
Roll Call, 1931-1947

Minutes, February 19, 1937 - October 18, 1940  
History - Water Bonds, Nov. 1, 1940 - Jan. 24, 1941

Minutes, Nov. 15, 1940  
thru  
Minutes, April 29, 1950

Book Ends - Roll Calls, 1947-1950



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