

Brookings County Driveway application permit only covers Brookings County primary roads: See map below South Dakota Codified laws depicting Brookings County Primary Roads. If the road is located on a township road you will need to reach out to your perspective township officials, see attached 2021 Township officers in this case.

Below are South Dakota Codified Laws regarding driveway applications Brookings County follows as standards, basically you will be responsible for all costs to install the driveway and drainage structure in accordance to what I as the Highway Superintendent approve. Brookings County does not provide the culvert in any case as the supplier does not charge South Dakota sales tax to culverts Brookings County purchases.

CHAPTER 31-24

HIGHWAY INTERSECTIONS AND PRIVATE ENTRANCES

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31-24-1. Duty of highway authorities to provide access to abutting property at public expense--New construction.

If the construction, improvement, and repair of any public highway by the state, or by any county or township, leaves a ditch or elevation along the roadside and deprives any abutting landowner of easy and convenient access from the owner's land to the highway, the highway authority, except as provided by chapters [31-7](#) and [31-8](#), shall provide the owner of the abutting tract or farm, as well as each church, school, park, playground, or other public building or ground, with one point of easy and convenient access to a public highway by constructing at the public expense, such grades, approaches, bridges, culverts, or other structures as may be necessary for that purpose. However, the provision authorizing construction of entrances at the expense of the authority having charge of the maintenance only applies to new construction.

Source: SL 1921, ch 250; SDC 1939, § 28.0908; SL 1941, ch 132; SL 2010, ch 145, § 113.

31-24-2. Approaches necessitated by highway construction--Maintenance.

Approaches required by § [31-24-1](#) shall be built by the highway authority constructing the highway if the building of such approach becomes necessary as a result of highway construction. In all cases any such structure, culvert, bridge, or approach so constructed shall be maintained and kept in repair by the highway authorities who are charged with the maintenance of the highway.

Source: SL 1921, ch 250; SDC 1939, § 28.0908; SL 1941, ch 132; SL 2010, ch 145, § 114.

31-24-3. Limitation on number of farm entrances--Additional entrances at owner's expense.

The owner, as a matter of right, is not entitled under § [31-24-1](#) to the construction of more than one farm entrance on any one tract or parcel of land at the expense of the public authority whose duty it is to maintain the highway. However, the owner may at the owner's expense upon making application to and receiving written consent of the authority construct other entrances if the entrances are constructed at the place and in the manner designated by the authority in its written permit.

Source: SL 1921, ch 250; SDC 1939, § 28.0908; SL 1941, ch 132; SL 2010, ch 145, § 115.

31-24-4. Additional entrances to property previously having more than one farm entrance--Limitations.

Notwithstanding § [31-24-3](#), if at the time of the construction, improvement, or repair of any public highway the abutting owner has more than one farm entrance to the highway, which entrance has been in reasonably constant use for more than two years prior to the new construction the owner shall be furnished a like number of entrances by the authority having charge of the construction, improvement, or repair, if the entrances do not materially add to the hazard of public travel on the highway. However, no owner of property adjoining the highway is entitled to more than two such entrances at the expense of the authority charged with the maintenance of the highway, on any one continuous half mile of adjoining property.

Source: SDC 1939, § 28.0908 as added by SL 1941, ch 132; SL 2010, ch 145, § 116.

31-24-5. Construction on private property prohibited.

No connecting structure or approach described by § [31-24-1](#) may be constructed by the highway authorities upon private property nor beyond the right-of-way line.

Source: SL 1921, ch 250; SDC 1939, § 28.0908; SL 1941, ch 132; SL 2010, ch 145, § 117.

31-24-6. Entrance to existing highway at owner's expense--Permit--Construction in accordance with approved plans.

If any public highway as already constructed is of such character as to deprive the owner of the abutting land of easy and convenient access from the owner's land to the highway, the owner of the land may, at the owner's expense, except as provided by chapters [31-7](#) and [31-8](#), construct an entrance to the abutting land. However, no entrance may be constructed until the landowner has obtained a permit from the authority whose duty it is to maintain the highway for the construction of the entrance. The entrance shall be constructed in accordance with plans approved by the authority. The authority shall fix the width and location of the entrance and the entrance shall be constructed in accordance therewith.

Source: SDC 1939, § 28.0908 as added by SL 1941, ch 132; SL 2010, ch 145, § 118.

31-24-7. Interference with drainage--Obstruction of right-of-way.

No entrance may be so constructed pursuant to § [31-24-6](#) as to interfere with the proper and necessary drainage of the highway. No portion of the right-of-way of the highway other than that necessary for the entrance shall be occupied or used for business purposes.

Source: SDC 1939, § 28.0908 as added by SL 1941, ch 132; SL 2010, ch 145, § 119.

31-24-8. Repealed by SL 2010, ch 145, § 120.

31-24-9. Approaches to highway grade crossings--Failure to perform duty to provide--Petty offense.

Township supervisors, county commissioners, the Department of Transportation, or others having direction of any highway grade shall provide at every place where such grade crosses an intersecting public highway an easy and accessible approach to such grade on each side thereof upon each such intersecting public highway. The approach shall be at least twenty-four feet in width. Any officer or other person charged with the duty of providing approaches at an intersection, as provided in this section, who fails in the performance of the duty, commits a petty offense.

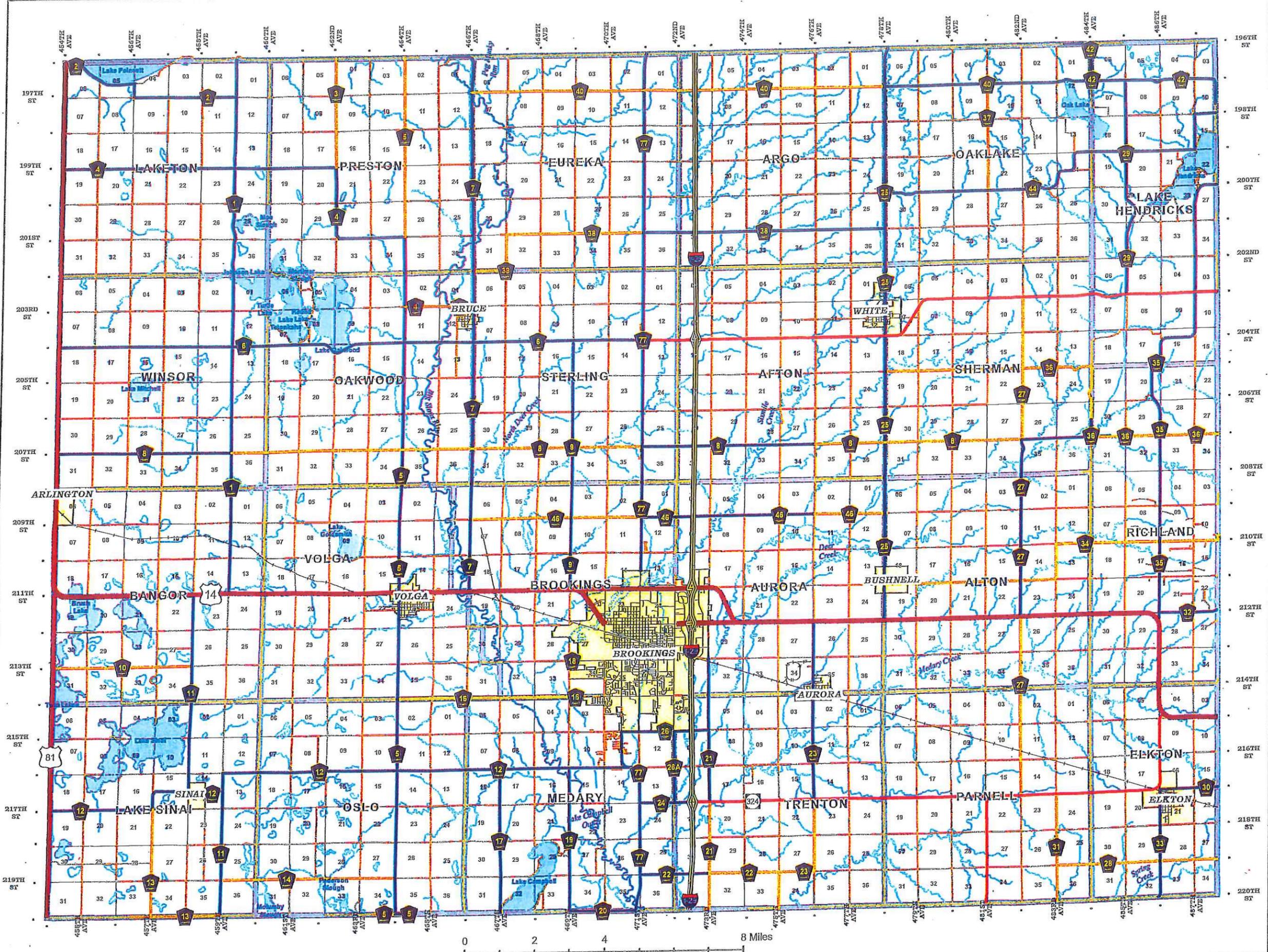
Source: SL 1919, ch 218, §§ 1, 2; SDC 1939, §§ 28.0909, 28.9907; SL 2010, ch 145, § 121.

31-24-10 to 31-24-16. Repealed by SL 2010, ch 145, §§ 122 to 128.

Brookings County

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-  Rivers, Streams
-  Cities
-  Townships
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March 2018



2021 Township Officers List

Afton Township

Chairman	Mike Thompson	20593 476th Ave	White SD 57276	629-6571
Supervisor	Chris Schaefer	47444 206th st	Aurora, SD 57002	651-9340
Supervisor	Ben Culver	47497 207th st	Aurora, SD 57002	690-5204
Clerk	Joe Klein	20439 478th Ave	White SD 57276	690-3604
Treasurer	Travis Prinsen	20537 476th Ave	White SD 57276	612-710-2529
Bank	1st Nat'l Bank	Box 365	White SD 57276	

Alton Township

Chairman	Brett Knutson	21106 479th Ave	White SD 57276	690-5941
Supervisor	Tom Davis	48185 210th St	Elkton SD 57026	695-1394
Supervisor	Aaron Bowne	20971 479th Ave	White SD 57276	
Clerk	Beth Fredriksen	48224 209th St	Elkton SD 57026	693-4453
Treasurer	Lucas Hemmen	48126 211th St	White SD 57276	690-4450
Bank	1st Bank & Trust	520 6th St	Brookings SD 57006	

Argo Township

Chairman	Robert Kor	20085 474th Ave	White SD 57276	695-0551
Supervisor	Steven Knutson	47318 197th St	Toronto, SD 57268	690-6960
Supervisor	Sako Vandermeer	19976 476th Ave	White SD 57276	695-6998
Clerk	Michael M Olson	19829 475th Ave	White SD 57276	690-9992
Treasurer	Delores M Jorenby	19818 476th Ave	White SD 57276	794-2291
Weed				
Supervisor	Steven Knutson	47318 197th St	Toronto, SD 57268	
Bank	1st Nat'l Bank	Box 365	White SD 57276	

Aurora Township

Chairman	Bruce Kreutner	211 58th Ave	Brookings SD 57006	693-6300
Supervisor	Mark Jorenby	47400 209th St	Aurora SD 57002	693-6455
Supervisor	Gary Bothe	20990 476th Ave	Aurora SD 57002	881-5411
Clerk	Joel Foster	3911 18th St	Brookings SD 57006	693-3955
Treasurer	Norma Jensen	47434 214th St	Aurora SD 57002	693-3887
Bank	1st Bank & Trust	520 6th St	Brookings SD 57006	

Bangor Township

Chairman	Craig Kjellsen	45500 Hwy 14	Arlington SD 57212	203-0342
Supervisor	Dale Knutson	20925 460th Ave	Volga, SD 57071	690-6358
Supervisor	Jeff Christensen	45530 213th St	Arlington SD 57212	203-0980
Clerk	Michael Kjellsen	20993 455th Ave	Arlington SD 57212	695-7164
Treasurer	Charles Olson	21163 456th Ave	Arlington SD 57212	983-5726
Bank	Citizens State Bank	Box 706	Sinai SD 57061	

Brookings Township

Chairman	Dan Miller	46740 210th St	Brookings SD 57006	693-3341
Supervisor	Troy Johnson	5015 Western Ave	Brookings SD 57006	693-3388
Supervisor	Lyle Johnson	46726 212th St	Brookings SD 57006	693-4052
Clerk	Leon Wrage	2287 Goldenrod Trail	Brookings SD 57006	695-4112
Treasurer	Ellen Egeberg	46779 212th St	Brookings SD 57006	693-4889
Bank	1st Bank & Trust	520 6th St	Brookings SD 57006	

Elkton Township

Chairman	Dustin Ponto	48416 216th st	Elkton SD 57026	
Supervisor	Danny Brown	21674 487th Ave	Elkton SD 57026	542-3251
Supervisor	Rod Lafferty	48663 219th St	Elkton SD 57026	542-8331
Clerk	Dennis Nielsen	21447 487th Ave	Elkton SD 57026	542-7721
Treasurer	Marlon Brandt	48514 220th St	Elkton SD 57026	542-4231
Bank	Bankstar Financial	Box A	Elkton SD 57026	

Eureka Township

Chairman	Charles Rang	47190 198th St.	Bruce SD 57220	693-4144
Supervisor	Colin Pierce	46749 199th St	Bruce SD 57220	520-3012
Supervisor	Earl Hamer	46976 200th St	Brookings SD 57006	693-4456
Clerk	Matthew Bebensee	19920 470th Ave	Bruce SD 57220	690-5930
Treasurer	Randy Jensen	47157 200th St	Brookings SD 57006	693-4100
Bank	Richland State Bank	Box 338	Bruce SD 57220	

Lake Hendricks Township

Chairman	Duane Olson	48622 198th st	Hendricks MN 56136	479-3022
Supervisor	Mark Sandro	20018 486th Ave	Hendricks MN 56136	479-3875
Supervisor	Dan Lutgen	20237 485th Ave	White SD 57276	479-3005
Clerk	Vince Zylstra	151 Dakota Shores Pl	Hendricks MN 56136	
Treasurer	Tom Olson	19831 486th Ave	Hendricks MN 56136	690-3455
Bank	1st Nat'l Bank	Box 365	White SD 57276	

Lake Sinai Township

Chairman	Brad Coners	45532 215th St	Arlington, SD 57212	826-4208
Supervisor	Warren Quail	21613 459th Ave	Volga, SD 57071	826-4111
Supervisor	Tim Intermill	45934 218th St	Volga, SD 57071	826-4119
Clerk	David Tvedt	21445 458th st	Volga, SD 57071	695-6919
Treasurer	Donald Jacobsma	21872 455th Ave	Arlington SD 57212	826-4449
Bank	Citizens State Bank	Box 706	Sinai SD 57061	

Laketon Township

Chairman	Bill Rumble	140 S Lake Dr	Arlington SD 57212	
Supervisor	Aaron Singrey	20060 455th Ave	Arlington SD 57212	690-8889
Supervisor	Jon Hall	19953 457th Ave	Arlington SD 57212	983-3369
Clerk	Gwen Madsen	45582 202nd St	Arlington SD 57212	203-0031
Treasurer	Gloria Olson	20186 457th Ave	Arlington SD 57212	983-5508
Bank	Citizens State Bank	Drawer I	Arlington SD 57212	

Medary Township

Chairman	Mike Erickson	8608 Danceland Rd	Brookings SD 57006	
Supervisor	Dwaine Chapel	46776 215th Ave	Brookings SD 57006	
Supervisor	Adam Porter	21620 471st Ave	Brookings SD 57006	690-3442
Clerk	Susan Filler	21804 468th Ave	Volga SD 57071	321-4811
Treasurer	Londa Hexum	21732 468th Ave	Volga SD 57071	690-1781
Bank	1st Bank & Trust	520 6th St	Brookings SD 57006	

Oaklake Township

Chairman	Julie Murphy	48097 201st St	White SD 57276
Supervisor	Michael Kjelden	47906 198th st	Astoria, SD 57213
Supervisor	James Brown	47881 196th st	Astoria, SD 57213
Clerk	Mary Brown	47881 196th St	Astoria, SD 57213
Treasurer	Steven Smith	48714 200th St	White SD 57276
Bank	1st Nat'l Bank	Box 365	White SD 57276

Oakwood Township

Chairman	Tim Bunker	46116 207th St	Bruce SD 57220	203-0324
Supervisor	Don Langland	46422 205th St	Bruce SD 57220	627-5572
Supervisor				
Clerk	Chad Bjerke	20416 460th Ave	Bruce SD 57220	203-3213
Treasurer	Greg Langland	46535 202nd St	Bruce SD 57220	695-7622
Bank	Richland State Bank	Box 338	Bruce SD 57220	

Oslo Township

Chairman	Dallas Thiex	46591 215th st	Volga SD 57071	
Supervisor	Dave Pederson	46232 220th St	Volga SD 57071	586-2620
Supervisor	Corey Granum	21943 465th ave	Volga SD 57071	
Clerk	Thomas Heylens	46129 216th st	Volga SD 57071	691-2091
Treasurer	Austin Hillestad	46250 218th St	Volga SD 57071	695-4007
Bank	Citizens State Bank	Box 706	Sinai SD 57061	

Parnell Township

Chairman	John Neill, Jr	48216 218th St	Elkton SD 57026	542-7431
Supervisor	Dan Stein	690 2139 21730 479th Ave	Elkton SD 57026	542-4491
Supervisor	Curt Friedrich	21448 479th Ave	Aurora SD 57002	693-4243
Clerk	Jim McKeown	21633 480th Ave	Aurora SD 57002	695-0986
Treasurer	Spencar Diedrich	21858 479th Ave	Elkton SD 57026	695-2831
Bank	Bankstar Financial	Box A	Elkton SD 57026	

Preston Township

Chairman	Dave Linneman	46361 197th Ave	Bruce SD 57220	690-3383
Supervisor	Barry Loomis	20060 462nd Ave	Bruce SD 57220	690-1655
Supervisor	Keith Englin	19877 465th Ave	Bruce SD 57220	690-1075
Clerk	Rick Moe	46009 200th St	Bruce SD 57220	690-5251
Treasurer	Dylan Eckman	46153 199th St	Bruce SD 57220	690-9004
Bank	Richland State Bank	Box 338	Bruce SD 57220	

Richland Township

Chairman	Joel Koch	21008 484th Ave	Elkton SD 57026	542-8681
Supervisor	Rufus DeZeeuw	21315 US Hwy 14	Elkton SD 57026	542-7541
Supervisor	Henning Hansen	48686 207th St	Elkton SD 57026	542-5191
Clerk	Sharon Leiferman	48562 206th St	White SD 57276	479-3085
Treasurer	Karol Madill	20922 485th Ave	Elkton SD 57026	542-5902
Bank	Bankstar Financail	Box A	Elkton SD 57026	

Sherman Township

Chairman	Troy Murphy	48308 SD Hwy 30	White SD 57276	629-8331
Supervisor	Craig Haber	20446 481st Ave	White SD 57276	629-2521
Supervisor	Charles Selleck	20418 478th Ave	White SD 57276	629-2371
Clerk	Cheri Selleck	20418 478th Ave	White SD 57276	695-3412
Treasurer	Dylan Murphy	20346 483rd Ave	White SD 57276	629-6221
Bank	1st Nat'l Bank	Box 365	White SD 57276	

Sterling Township

Chairman	Tom VanderWal	20571 469th Ave	Brookings SD 57006	693-4187
Supervisor	Jim Hegg	46765 205th St.	Bruce SD 57220	651-3359
Supervisor	Mike VandeWeerd	46826 203rd St	Bruce SD 57220	695-1178
Clerk	Michelle VandeWeerd	46659 205th St	Bruce SD 57220	690-3106
Treasurer	Chuck Engelmann	20601 470th Ave	Brookings SD 57006	690-7040
Bank	1st Bank & Trust	520 6th St	Brookings SD 57006	

Trenton Township

Chairman	Rodney Brandenburger	21605 474th Ave	Brookings SD 57006	651-0464
Supervisor	Todd Nelson	21974 477th Ave	Aurora SD 57002	690-8568
Supervisor	Cody Clark	21978 475th Ave	Aurora SD 57002	695-9538
Clerk	Terry Pritchard	47569 218th St	Aurora SD 57002	695-1565
Treasurer	Paul Schlobohm	47527 219th St	Aurora SD 57002	695-1189
Bank	1st Bank & Trust	520 6th St	Brookings SD 57006	

Volga Township

Chairman	Paul Nelson	46336 213th St	Volga SD 57071	690-2146
Supervisor	Dan Ziegler	21221 461st Ave	Volga SD 57071	826-4146
Supervisor	Jason VanKooten	46287 209th St	Volga SD 57071	695-9687
Clerk	Danny Nelson	46332 213th St	Volga SD 57071	690-9189
Treasurer	Kirk Steege	21150 461st Ave	Volga SD 57071	691-3110
Bank	1st Nat'l Bank	Box 38	Volga SD 57071	

Winsor Township

Chairman	Josh Spilde	45444 206th St	Arlington SD 57212	530-1694
Supervisor	Chris Madsen	45590 206th St	Arlington SD 57212	809-0686
Supervisor	Casey Liebsch	20509 455th Ave	Arlington SD 57212	530-2631
Clerk	Monica Turbak	20492 457th Ave	Arlington SD 57212	530-3198
Treasurer	Steven Groon	45605 203rd St	Arlington SD 57212	695-5877
Bank	Citizens State Bank	Drawer I	Arlington SD 57212	

**BROOKINGS COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
DRIVEWAY APPLICATION AND CONSTRUCTION PERMIT**

Email to: highway@brookingscountysd.gov

Fax: 605-696-8278

Application made by _____ for an entrance to be located off a Brookings County road.

Location: On _____ Avenue/Street; Nearest Intersection: _____ Avenue/Street

Distance from nearest intersection: _____ feet **N S E W**

Township Name: _____ Section Number: _____.

Type of Entrance: **Commercial** **Residential** **Farm** **Other** _____

Width of Driveway Top: _____

Approximate date of construction: _____

NAME: _____ ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____

Landline: _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____

Entrance Specifications

- **Minimum of 30 feet driveway top**
- **4:1 end slopes**
- **Minimum of 18" (new) steel culvert – no plastic or concrete**
- **Only clean fill dirt – no rocks, concrete or wood**
- **Minimum of 3' of gravel for the surface – no quartzite or rock in ROW**
- **Minimum of 0.2" of drop per 40'**
- **No decorative rock or landscaping on the end slopes**
- **End slopes must be seeded. SD DOT Type C Seed Mixture**
- **Entrances shall be installed according to SD CL 31-24-3**

ENTRANCE TO BE BUILT AS DIRECTED BY BROOKINGS COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

CULVERT NEEDED: YES _____ NO _____ DIAMETER: _____ LENGTH: _____

COMMENTS: _____

ON SITE SURVEY BY: _____ DATE: _____

APPROVED BY: _____ DATE: _____

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT USE ONLY:

COMMENTS:

Final Approval Upon Completion (Brookings County Highway Superintendent)