

BOARD PROCEEDINGS
July 16, 2024
REGULAR July SESSION

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment. Present were Kyle Stecker, Chairman, Carter Nath, Joshua Waechter, Roger Tjarks, and Jack Plathe.

Chairman, Kyle Stecker called the meeting to order at 8:00 A.M. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

There was no public discussion.

Motion by Tjarks and 2nd by Waechter to approve the agenda and minutes of the previous meetings dated July 9, 2024. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Tjarks and 2nd by Nath to approve the claims/conservation claims. Motion carried unanimously.

Ahlers & Cooney, P.C.	Srvs	186.13	1
AMU	Srvs	8785.96	14
Alg Pub Co	Notices	803.81	3
Alg Welding & Mach	Srvs	17.80	1
Alliant Energy	Srvs	4262.97	3
Amazon Capital Serv	Supp	263.90	3
American Glass Co	Supp	125.00	2
Arnold Motor Supply	Parts	641.80	1
Ban Mun Utlities	Utilities	307.19	1
Bancroft Reg.	Notices	1238.54	2
Baxter Healthcare Corp	Exp	198.15	1
BMC Aggregates	Rock	6723.86	1
Bomgaars	Supp	369.75	4
Bound Tree Medical	Supp	1269.86	1
D Briggs	Exp	5.08	1
Brown's Shoe Fit Co	Supp	30.00	1
Bugs N Stuff	Srvs	288.00	2
B Buscher	Exp	350.00	2
Buscher Bros	Srvs	21.35	1
Card Services	Exp	3991.68	10
Cellebrite	Exp	8932.70	2
Cemstone Concrete Materials	Supp	374.50	1
Central IA Dist	Supp	204.00	2
Centurylink	Phone	377.17	2
Chally Repair	Repairs	70.30	1
Cintas	Supplies	380.25	1
City of Lakota	Exp	93.35	1
City of Lone Rock	Exp	106.35	1
City of Swea City	Exp	57.04	1
City of Wesley	Cons	67.67	1
Climate Control	Srvc	2370.00	1
Wallace Water Conditioning	Srvs	67.00	2
Deitering Bros	Srvs	6764.85	2
Department of the Treasury	Fees	1149.54	1

Diamond Mowers	Srvs	648.56	1
DroneDeploy Inc	Serv	3588.00	1
Dump-It Sanit	Srvs	474.00	2
Erpelding Excav	Srvs	1446.30	1
Eurofins Environment Testing	Ia Ground Wat	2846.20	1
Fareway	Supp	911.74	2
Fenton Coop Telephone	Srvs	251.06	2
FleetPride	Parts	152.58	1
Glen's Green Thumb	Exp	269.90	1
Hamilton County Sheriff's Off	Exp	1650.00	1
Heartland Business Systems	Exp	26221.62	1
Heartland Power Coop	Utilities	52.00	1
S. Hoch	Exp	64.84	2
Hy-Vee	Supp	225.46	1
ICEOO Jasper County Engineer	Engineer Supp	250.00	1
Ia Co Attorney's Assoc	Exp	370.00	1
Ia Dept of Natural Resources	Dues	25.00	1
Iowa Emergency Medical Serv	Exp	210.00	1
Iowa GEMT Payment Program	Exp	2375.87	1
IA Lakes EC	Elec	478.00	1
Iowa Lakes Regional Water	Utilities	48.50	1
Ia Law Enforcement Academy	Srvs	375.00	1
ISAC	Srvs	400.00	1
ITsavvy LLC	Supp	1744.00	2
Jacks OK Tire Srv	Srvs	1417.83	2
John Deere Financial	Parts	44.52	1
Johnston Autostores	Parts	53.84	1
K.C. Nielsen, LTD	Srvs	183.70	2
Kemco Tires	Srvs	575.00	2
Kemna GM	Serv	629.87	1
KLGA	Adv.	50.00	1
Koss Abst & Ttl	Serv	760.00	1
Koss Co Histor.	Alloc	6000.00	1
KCEDC	Allocation	60000.00	1
KC Sec Road	Fuel	8044.05	4
KC Treas	Srvs	84.50	1
KRHC	Srvs	463.83	1
I Lezama	Serv	100.00	1
Lone Rock Coop Tel	Phone	1176.05	2
Mail Serv	Supp	714.32	1
MART c/o Emmet County Sheriff	Fee	2000.00	1
Martin Marietta Agg	Rock	18283.60	1
Mathy Const	Exp	499398.07	2
Cinn Mawdsley	Exp	75.00	1
Mid Am Energy	Srvs	37.50	3
Mid Country Mach	Supp	298.29	1
Midland Power Coop	Utilities	40.30	1
Midwest Computer Brokers Inc	Recycling	1772.85	1
Midwest Warehouse Solutions	Engineer Supp	146.44	1
Mikes Fix It	Exp	174.73	1
D Miller	Reim	30.00	1
S Nielsen	Exp	75.00	1

NAPA	Parts	65.97	1
NASSCO	Supp	42.39	1
Nates Auto and Truck Repair	Engineer Supp	565.10	1
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New Cooperative Inc MaxYield C	Fuel	6256.01	1
NIACC	Exp	591.00	1
NIA Lumber&Design	Exp	40.81	1
NIA Mechan	Exp	666.00	1
Norther Cedar Srv	Srvs	770.50	1
NW Comm	Service	124.85	1
Nutrien Ag Solutions	Exp	1471.45	1
K & H	Fuel	31888.66	3
NuWay Coop	Exp	615.53	1
O'Reilly	Exp	180.79	1
IOS	Supp	611.94	6
Patten Enterprises LLC	Servs	19119.24	1
PER MAR Security Services	Exp	90.00	1
Pet Kingdom	Exp	76.18	2
Petroblend	Exp	896.20	1
J Plathe	Exp	21.44	1
Reutzel Excav	Srvs	32181.30	2
RingTel Communications	Phone	94.09	1
RingTel Communications	Serv	65.00	1
Rinker Materials	Engineer Sup	3731.10	1
RSVP	Budget Alloc	2000.00	1
SafeBasements of Iowa	Serv	14400.00	1
Schindler Lawn Care	Srvs	2024.00	1
Schumacher Well	Supp	1250.90	1
Sign Works	Supp	1480.13	2
Smidt Automotive & Repair	Srvs	190.77	1
L Snyder	Exp	78.39	1
Spray Seal	Serv	17670.00	1
St Hygienic Lab	Supp	129.00	2
SC Herald Press	Notices	1238.54	2
Water Conn	Srvs	120.00	2
Thompson Sewer & Drain	Supp	364.60	1
Thomson Reuters West	Supp	451.02	1
Threads	Supp	135.00	1
Titonka Burt Comm	Phone	2385.67	3
Tom Eischen Sales	Parts	50.00	1
Harrison Truck Centers	Supp	139.21	1
Truck Country "OF IOWA"	Engineer Sup	609.60	1
St. Lukes Res.	Srvs	42.00	1
US Cellular	Srvs	344.92	1
Verizon Wireless	Exp	307.93	4
Verizon Connect Fleet USA	Engineer Sup	1613.45	1
Verizon Connect Fleet USA	Serv	279.20	1
Counsel Ofs & Doc	Supp	514.51	6
W & H Coop Oil Co	Fuel	19557.18	1
Waste Mgmt of WI-MN	Srvs	52878.06	4
Wellmark BCBS	Fees	203466.26	1
B Wille	Exp	17.09	1

Windstream	Srvs	280.56	1
Winnebago Coop Telecom Assoc	Phone	389.48	2
Ziegler	Parts	94157.30	2
Grand Total		1217558.17	

A monthly update was given by the Secondary Road Foremen.

A monthly update was given by Kossuth County Veteran's Affairs Director, Dan Green.

A discussion was held regarding reconsidering an allocation to Western Iowa Tourism for FY 25. No action was taken.

Motion by Tjarks and 2nd by Waechter to reinstate the 2% raise for all employees except Supervisors and those who are members of a union and to make it retroactive to July's payroll. Supervisor Plathe asked for a reverse roll call vote. Chairman Stecker called for vote to end discussion and call for question. Plathe: yes, Tjarks: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: yes, Stecker: no. Motion carried. Chairman Stecker called for the reverse roll call vote requested by Plathe. Nath: no, Waechter: yes, Tjarks: yes, Plathe: pass, Stecker: pass, Plathe: yes, Stecker: no. Motion carried.

Motion by Tjarks and 2nd by Waechter to amend the motion to reinstate 2% for all employees except supervisors and those in a union after the Budget Amendment for FY 24/25 is done. Chairman Stecker called for a roll call vote: Plathe: yes, Tjarks: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: no, Stecker: no. Motion carried.

There was no construction in ROW.

Discussion was held with Doug Miller, the Kossuth County Engineer/Zoning Administrator.

A conference call with the Palo Alto County Board of Supervisors was held to acknowledge the amended repair report for JDD PAK 1 OD. Palo Alto had their full board present (Keith Wirtz, Craig Merrill, Roger Faulstick, Ronald Graettinger, and Linus Solberg) as well as Auditor Carmen Moser and Jordan Morey. Collin Klingbeil from Jacobson Westergard & Associates presented the amended repair report for JDD PAK 1 OD. Motion by Tjarks and 2nd by Solberg to accept the amended report for JDD PAK 1 OD from Jacobson Westergard. Motion carried unanimously by both boards.

Motion by Waechter and 2nd by Tjarks to have the supervisors handle their requests as follows:
Supervisor Nath: Request 2024-077 Drain 42. Motion carried unanimously.

A discussion was held with the Kossuth County Auditor and the Kossuth County Board of Supervisors.

Motion by Nath and 2nd by Waechter to adjourn at 10:37 A.M. Motion carried unanimously.

Attest:

Tammy Eden
Kossuth County Auditor

Kyle Stecker, Chairman
Kossuth County Board of Supervisors