

**Kossuth County Conservation Board  
Regular Monthly Meeting  
Water's Edge Nature Center  
December 13, 2021 5:30 P.M.**

Present: Eichenberger; Miller; Rasmussen; Ristau; Young  
Stumme; Wille

Absent:

Guests Present:

Board Chair Rasmussen called the meeting to order.

A motion was made by Ristau and seconded by Miller to approve the November meeting minutes. The motion passed unanimously.

The Naturalist report was submitted by Wille. Projects accomplished included live animal maintenance, attended the board, foundation and staff meetings; office recycling; attended the IAN conference; attended 2 Soil and Water meetings, planned and hosted the Foundation banquet, attended the Wellness Committee meeting, organized books for the lending library, attended the Trees Forever Vision Algona meeting in Ames. School programs-28 for 423 students; Public programs-2 for 42 people; JCL event-pheasant hunting. 5 Facebook posts were put out with 2076 people reached and 196 engaged.

The board was informed Larry Eichenberger, District 5 Board member will be seeking re-appointment.

The board reviewed the 2022-2023 budget proposal for the nature center budget and the main budget. No decisions were made at this time.

The board approved of holding the January board meeting on Monday the 10th at 5:30 p.m. at the Water's Edge Nature Center.

A motion was made by Eichenberger and seconded by Young to approve the 43 bills submitted for approval. The motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Ristau and seconded by Young to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.