

**BOARD PROCEEDINGS**  
**April 29, 2025**  
**REGULAR April SESSION**

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment. Present were Carter Nath, Chairman, Josh Waechter, Kyle Stecker, Amber Garman and Howard Haas.

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

Public discussion was held.

Motion by Garman and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Stecker to approve the agenda and minutes of the previous meeting dated April 22, 2025. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Waechter to open the Reclassification Hearing for DD 60 Sub 4 Improvement. Chairman Nath called for a roll call vote: Haas: yes, Garman: yes, Stecker: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: yes. Motion carried.

Tyler Conley from Bolton & Menk presented the Reclassification Report and discussion was held.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Garman to close the Reclassification Hearing for DD 60 Sub 4 Improvement. Chairman Nath called for a roll call vote: Haas: yes, Garman: yes, Stecker: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to accept the Reclassification Report for DD 60 Sub 4 Improvement as presented. Chairman Nath called for a roll call vote: Haas: yes, Garman: yes, Stecker: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to acknowledge the Improvement Report for DD 4 Lateral 11 and set the date and time for a public hearing of June 17, 2025 at 10:00 A.M. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to approve Supervisor Garman's Repair Requests of #2024-021 DD 108 and #2025-022 DD 114. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to appoint Bolton & Menk and Bob Goodwin to Repair Request #2025-013 DD 80 Lat 2. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Nath to install 24" culvert at this location to allow surface drainage. Supervisors Stecker and Nath rescinded the motion.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Nath to install the current supplies of 12" intakes and 18' tile through the road and in addition a 24" culvert on 150<sup>th</sup> Street approximately 450 feet east of 20<sup>th</sup> Ave. (P-16) between Sections 5 and 8 of Garfield Township. Chairman Nath called for a roll call vote: Haas: yes, Garman: yes, Stecker: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Garman and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Stecker to approve Supervisor Garman to sign the Letter of Support for Community Services Block Grant as a representative of the North Iowa Community Action Organization. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to waive the third and final reading of the proposed Animal Control Ordinance that addresses Animal Control Within the Rural Areas of Kossuth County. Chairman Nath called for a roll call vote: Haas: yes, Garman: yes, Stecker: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Waechter and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Garman to approve the Animal Control Ordinance that addresses animal control within the rural areas of Kossuth County. Chairman Nath called for a roll call vote: Haas: yes, Garman: yes, Stecker: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Garman and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to appoint Ken Clark and Brad Frideres to the list of Eminent Domain Commissioners. Motion carried unanimously.

Discussions were held with the Kossuth County Auditor and Kossuth County Board of Supervisors.

Motion by Haas and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Stecker to approve Dr. Allison Rausch as Deputy Medical Examiner and Brian Spry as Medical Examiner Investigator effective 4-1-25. Motion carried unanimously.

Discussion was held on sending someone to a training school for preventative maintenance on our ventilators.

Motion by Garman and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to approve and adopt Kossuth County's Iowa Department of Transportation Secondary Road Fiscal Year 2026 Five Year Construction Program and Kossuth County's Iowa Department of Transportation Secondary Road Fiscal Year 2026 Budget as presented. Chairman Nath called for a roll call vote: Haas: yes, Garman: yes, Stecker: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Nath and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Stecker to authorize and give its permission to West Bend Utilities, West Bend, IA, to plow electric power beginning at 205 150<sup>th</sup> Street, thence west approximately 100 feet to the first power pole in the north right of way. Work will be in Section 5 of Garfield Township. Permit 04-15-2025 is on file in the Kossuth County Engineer's Office. Motion carried unanimously.

A discussion was held with the Kossuth County Engineer.

Review of the Kossuth County Handbook and Health Insurance Workshop were postponed until next week.

Motion by Nath and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Stecker to adjourn at 12:20 P.M. Motion carried unanimously.

Attest:

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Tammy Eden  
Kossuth County Auditor

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Carter Nath, Chairman  
Kossuth County Board of Supervisors