

BOARD PROCEEDINGS
February 17, 2026
REGULAR February SESSION

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

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

There wasn't any public discussion.

Motion by Garman and 2nd by Haas to approve the agenda and minutes of the previous meeting dated February 10, 2026. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Haas and 2nd by Garman to approve the claims, conservation claims, and drainage claims. Motion carried unanimously.

Access Systems	Exp	298.03	2
Aetna Medicare	Exp	511.56	1
AgSource Coop Srvs	Srvs	146.80	1
Algona Machine & Sply	Supp	62.16	1
AMU	Srvs	9426.75	14
Algona Plumb & Htg	Srvs	3416.00	3
Alg Pub Co	Notices	2325.03	4
Alg Welding & Mach	Srvs	3797.50	2
Alliant Energy	Srvs	7029.14	4
Amazon Capital Serv	Supp	23.62	1
American Response Vehicles	Exp	501.95	1
M Arndorfer	Exp	19.00	1
Asphalt Paving Assn	Srvs	840.00	1
Bancroft Reg.	Exp	1109.94	1
Bancroft Reg.	Notices	111.23	2
M. Beenken	Exp	41.99	1
P. Blumer	Exp	158.54	1
Bomgaars	Supp	54.59	2
Bound Tree Medical	Supp	4756.67	1
Bremer County Highway Departmn	Engineer Sup	400.00	1
Bugs N Stuff	Srvs	980.00	5
B Buscher	Exp	350.00	1
Card Services	Exp	6295.96	13
Central IA Dist	Supp	638.00	1
Central IA Juv	Srvs	4650.00	1
Chrome Truck Stop	Fuel	15.00	1
Cintas	Supplies	254.19	1
City of Algona	Exp	11461.15	1
City of Lakota	Exp	114.53	1
City of LuVerne	Exp	144.34	1
City of Swea City	Exp	480.22	3
Comm Lumber Supply	Supp	30.97	1
Cooks Scrap Iron & Metal	Supp	1046.12	1
Credit Bureau	Exp	216.00	1

CoZo	Srvs	100.00	1
Wallace Water Conditioning	Srvs	7.50	1
Degen Extinguisher & Repair	Srvs	448.95	2
C Deim	Exp	100.00	1
Deitering Bros	Srvs	200.00	1
Dickinson County Courthouse	Exp	31.00	1
Dockendorf Equip	Supp	1267.50	1
Dump-It Sanit	Srvs	474.00	2
Ed's Service Station, LLC	Exp	368.67	1
Elec Systems & Software	Supp	257.19	1
Electronic Specialties	Exp	170.00	1
Electronic Specialties	Srvs	1003.00	2
Farmers Coop Elev	Fuel	1110.00	1
Farmers Coop Elev	Supp	770.42	1
Fenton Coop Telephone	Srvs	27.50	1
Forge & Build UH LLC	Exp	69.98	1
Forge & Build-Algona	Exp	234.89	1
J Fosado	Exp	22.39	1
Golwitzer Home Improvement	Exp	414.75	1
Grass Masters LLC	Srvs	2593.55	1
Hamilton Medical Inc.	Exp	1013.07	1
Heartland Power Coop	Utilities	52.00	1
Hy-Vee	Supp	92.97	2
IACME	Exp	300.00	1
Imaging Spectrum, Inc	Exp	269.95	1
Ia Comm Assurance Pool	Ins	876.00	1
Iowa GEMT Payment Program	Exp	4777.26	1
IA Lakes EC	Elec	198.56	1
IA Lakes EC	Ins	253.00	1
Iowa Lakes Regional Water	Utilities	48.50	1
IA One Call	Srvs	18.90	1
Iowa Public Health Association	Exp	275.00	1
IA St Bank	Exp	53.46	1
ISAC	Srvs	110.00	1
Jacks OK Tire Srv	Srvs	1268.84	2
JDSLE Inc	Exp	1654.00	1
Johnston Autostores	Parts	515.68	1
Kemco Tires	Srvs	109.58	1
Kemna GM	Serv	3036.00	2
KLGA	Adv.	250.00	2
KLGA	Srvs	108.00	1
KCAA	Allocation	5000.00	1
KCEDC	Allocation	30.00	1
Koss Co Ext	Exp	45.00	1
KC Sec Road	Fuel	5482.91	5
KRHC-Phar	Srvs	713.70	2
S. Kunkel	Exp	89.47	1
Lake Mills Motor Sports II	Srvs	19.99	1
Lone Rock Coop Tel	Phone	1042.10	1
Mail Serv	Supp	737.62	1
Main Street Specialties, LLC	Servs	5522.46	2
Mercy Medical Ctr	Exp	2500.00	1

Mid Am Energy	Srvs	6111.41	5
Midland Power Coop	Utilities	923.42	3
Midwest Computer Brokers Inc	Recycling	1901.85	1
Midwest Technology Services LL	Srvs	150.00	1
Midwest Wheel	Exp	1857.54	1
Mike Looft TW	Fuel	2361.11	1
Monroe Sys Busi	Exp	60.00	1
NAPA	Parts	502.68	1
NASSCO	Supp	1822.93	4
Nates Auto and Truck Repair	Exp	192.92	1
E. Needs	Exp	1123.52	1
New Cooperative Inc MaxYield C	Fuel	3323.44	1
NIACC	Exp	50.00	1
North Central Iowa Services, L	Engineer Suppl	835.00	1
North Iowa Reporting	Srvs	668.25	2
NW Comm	Service	124.85	1
NUGENCO	Exp	500.00	1
K & H	Fuel	15187.03	4
O'Reilly	Exp	22.20	1
OCI Ventures	Exp	175.00	1
Patten Enterprises LLC	Servs	20756.98	1
PCC Billing Services	Exp	14789.31	2
Pet Kingdom	Exp	17.60	1
C Petersen	Exp	303.18	2
Petroblend	Exp	3302.55	1
PGBA, LLC	Exp	561.87	1
N Rahm	Exp	443.65	1
Recorder's Association	Exp	200.00	1
Renew BioMedical	Exp	387.50	1
RingTel Communications	Exp	65.00	1
RingTel Communications	Phone	94.04	1
Schum Elev Co	Srvs	623.97	1
Schumacher Well	Supp	1221.75	1
SCS Engineers, AR Dept	Exp	1050.00	1
Sec St Bank	Srvs	30.00	1
Shive-Hattery	Srvc	4145.00	2
Smidt Automotive & Repair	Srvs	2889.59	2
I. Smith	Exp	99.89	1
Society of LS	Dues	590.00	1
Storey Kenworthy/Matt Parrott	Supp	1554.57	2
K Stumme	Exp	66.80	1
SC Herald Press	Notices	1158.97	2
Sweeney Court Reporting	Exp	36.00	1
Technimount System, LLC	Exp	7650.00	1
Terracon	Engineer Suppl	15000.00	1
The Laurens House of Print	Exp	474.17	1
Water Conn	Srvs	263.00	5
Thomson Reuters West	Supp	1142.11	1
Threads	Supp	285.00	1
Titonka Burt Comm	Phone	1842.65	3
Harrison Truck Centers	Supp	1043.08	1
Truck Country "OF IOWA"	Engineer Suppl	697.69	1

Truck Country "OF IOWA"	Equipment Rep	304.61	1
Uniform Warehouse	Exp	133.97	1
US Cellular	Srvs	450.91	1
Vander Haags Inc	Supp	339.98	1
E. Vaudt	Exp	637.00	1
Veenstra & Kimm, Inc	Exp	74.50	1
Veit, LLC	Exp	741.04	5
Verizon Connect Fleet USA	Engineer Supp	2202.90	1
Verizon Connect Fleet USA	Exp	279.20	1
Verizon Wireless	Exp	177.06	3
Verizon Wireless	Srvs	309.37	1
Verus	Supp	125.00	1
Counsel Ofs & Doc	Supp	377.84	2
W & H Coop Oil Co	Fuel	15798.99	1
Waste Mgmt of WI-MN	Srvs	39508.80	3
Wellmark BCBS	Fees	220051.28	1
Western Detention	Exp	140.50	1
White Tools LLC	Engineer Supp	58.05	1
Whitt Truck & Trailer	Parts	3780.45	1
Windstream	Srvs	83.19	1
Winnebago Coop Telecom Assoc	Phone	364.40	2
H. Wittkopf	Exp	50.00	1
Xerox IT Solutions	Supp	2779.00	3
Ziegler	Parts	354404.54	2
Zoll Medical Corporation	Supp	42776.62	1
3SI Security Systems, Inc	Srvs	1200.00	1
Grand Total		915670.56	

The board acknowledged the budget status report.

The board acknowledged the transfer made from General Basic to Capital Projects in the amount of \$50,000 by the Kossuth County Auditor on February 12, 2026.

The board acknowledged the transfer made by the Kossuth County Auditor on February 12, 2026 from Rural Basic to Secondary Road in the amount of \$500,000 for Local Option Sales Tax.

The monthly update with the Veteran's Affairs Director will be held next week.

Motion by Garman and 2nd by Stecker to approve the Payment in Lieu of Taxes for Maplewood Apartments, Algona, Iowa. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Stecker and 2nd by Garman to approve I.T. to order up to five copy machine replacements in fiscal year 2025-2026. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Garman and 2nd by Haas to select Bergland & Cram as the architect for the Emergency Response Complex. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Haas and 2nd by Garman to raise the Kossuth County permit fees to \$125 for Well Permits and \$150 for Septic Permits. Supervisor Stecker abstained, all others voted aye.

Supervisor Stecker left the meeting.

There wasn't any construction in ROW.

Discussion was held with the Kossuth County Engineer.

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

Budget workshops were held regarding self-insurance as well as a run through of all departments.

Melissa Loehr from Iowa Primary Care Association gave an update and overview.

Budget workshops were continued.

Motion by Haas and 2nd by Garman to adjourn at 12:39 P.M. Motion carried unanimously.

Attest:

Tammy Eden
Kossuth County Auditor

Carter Nath, Chairman
Kossuth County Board of Supervisors