

**BOARD PROCEEDINGS**  
**March 3, 2026**  
**REGULAR March SESSION**

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment. Present were Carter Nath (Chairman), Howard Haas, Kyle Stecker, Amber Garman and 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 Haas and 2nd by Stecker to approve the agenda and minutes of the previous meeting dated February 24, 2026. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to approve the claims and drainage claims. Supervisor Garman abstained. All other Supervisors voted aye.

A Rifkin	Supp	135.00	1
AgSource Coop Srvs	Srvs	73.40	1
Ahlers & Cooney, P.C.	Exp	226.98	1
Algona Hearing Center LLC	Serv	35.00	1
AMU	Srvs	781.52	2
Algona Plumb & Htg	Srvs	23.00	1
Alg Pub Co	Notices	451.42	6
Alliant Energy	Srvs	477.23	1
Amazon Capital Serv	Supp	798.68	2
AU Life Ins	Ins.	105.00	1
Arnold Motor Supply	Parts	12.50	1
Fidelity Sec Lif Ins	Ins	43.94	1
A Berte	Exp	417.71	1
Bomgaars	Supp	3797.53	8
D Briggs	Exp	75.00	1
Calhoun-Burns & Associates, In	Engineer Sup	2169.00	1
Central IA Juv	Srvs	417.66	1
Centurylink	Phone	204.13	2
City of Fenton	Utilities	124.56	1
City of Lone Rock	Exp	332.47	1
City of Wesley	Cons	72.69	1
City of West Bend	Utilities	841.95	1
City of Whittemore	Exp	659.68	1
Elec Systems & Software	Supp	18522.51	2
Electronic Specialties	Srvs	40.00	1
Fareway	Supp	411.41	1
Fenton Coop Telephone	Srvs	27.50	1
Forge & Build-Algona	Exp	47.97	1
Galls	Supp	1210.09	1
Grainger, Inc.	Engineer Sup	24.99	1
D Green	Exp	371.35	2
Henry-Olson Fuhrman Funeral	Srvs	700.00	1
Holmes Animal Clinic	Srvs	112.04	1
Hy-Vee	Supp	4108.08	1

Iowa Division of Criminal Inve	Exp	1000.00	1
IA Lakes EC	Elec	1289.70	1
Ia Law Enforcement Academy	Srvs	25.00	1
Iowa Peace Officers Associatio	Exp	60.00	1
ISACA Dist II Auditors	Dues	20.00	1
JCL Solutions	Supp	20.36	1
John Deere Financial	Parts	34142.67	1
Kemna GM	Serv	90.50	1
KC Treas	Srvs	6842.00	1
KRHC	Srvs	160.00	1
KRHC	Srvs	241.00	1
S. Kunkel	Exp	560.12	1
Lentz Funeral Home	Serv	660.00	1
Lone Rock Coop Tel	Phone	130.95	1
Martin Marietta Agg	Rock	2065.65	1
MCHS EMS Program	Exp	47.50	1
Mid Am Energy	Srvs	271.95	1
Mocic	Exp	100.00	1
Murphy Farm Services LLC	Exp	180.00	1
Naegeli Deposition & Trial	Srvs	322.25	1
NASSCO	Supp	445.87	2
Nates Auto and Truck Repair	Exp	229.28	1
NIACC	Exp	70.00	1
NW Comm	Service	549.26	2
NUGENCO	Exp	280.00	1
Oakcrest	Srvs	3175.00	2
C Petersen	Exp	140.65	1
Pitney Bowes	Srvs	1843.98	1
Pocahontas Co Sheriff	Srvs	54.20	1
Prairie Energy Coop	Lights	28.00	1
Prairie Meadows Racetrack	Lodging	1540.00	1
Quill Corp	Supp	361.93	3
J Radmaker	Exp	33.84	1
Renew BioMedical	Exp	744.50	1
Roethler Elec.	Srvs	355.50	1
N Roethler	Exp	25.00	1
Spencer Municipal Hospita	Exp	9.00	1
Summit Fire Protection	Srvs	250.00	1
Swea City Sanitation	Engineer Supp	110.00	1
Z Thompson	Exp	25.00	1
Titonka Munc Utilities	Srvs	882.92	1
Union Pacific Railroad Company	Repairs	33.82	1
Veit, LLC	Exp	121.41	2
Verizon Wireless	Exp	75.77	3
Counsel Ofs & Doc	Supp	183.71	2
Counsel Ofs & Doc	Suppl	166.06	1
West Bend Ford	Exp	94.45	1
Western Detention	Exp	60.80	1
Windstream	Srvs	96.05	1
Wright County Auditor	exp	1027.55	1
Xerox IT Solutions	Supp	2071.00	3
ZOHO Corporation	Exp	1965.00	1

**Grand Total** **103131.19**  
**Drainage**

Bolton & Menk	Drain 20 Main 2	7430	2
Bolton & Menk	Drain 4 Lat 11 Bidding Se	11210	3
Bolton & Menk	Drain 4 Lat 11 Litigation	580	1
Bolton & Menk	Drain 4 Lat 40	840	1
Bolton & Menk	Drain 4 Lat 42	840	1
Bolton & Menk	Drain 80 Lat 10	1126.93	1
Bolton & Menk	Drain 80 Lat 70	1126.94	1
Bolton & Menk	Drain 80 Lat 81	1160	1
Bolton & Menk	Drain 82 Lateral 33B	11222.5	3
Brandt Farm Drainage	German 32	591.8	2
Zachary Laubenthal Excavating	Drain 4 Lat 42 3-Final	16548.7	4
Zachary Laubenthal Excavating	Drain 82 Main OD	35615	8
Nyemaster Goode, PC	Drain 4 OD	16999.26	4
Reutzel Excavating Inc	Drain 4 Lat 40 6-Final	103891.03	21
Lee Simpson	Beaver Tail Seneca Tri 84	200	1
Grand total		209382.16	

The board acknowledged the Budget Status Report.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Waechter to set the rate for EMS at the ABATE Rally at \$50/hour for onsite and \$25/hour for stand-by and have Phil Albers work with County Attorney, Todd Holmes to draw up a contract. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Garman and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Waechter to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between Kossuth County and the Kossuth County Deputies Association. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Haas and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Stecker to approve the Ag Land disallows. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Waechter and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Garman to set the date and time for the Proposed Tax Hearing for FY 26/27 for March 24, 2026, at 1:00 P.M. Motion carried unanimously.

Discussion was held regarding the Solar Ordinance.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Garman to approve and authorize the Chair to sign the IDOT agreement for installation of LED flashing light signals, gate arms, and prediction circuitry at the Union Pacific Railroad Company crossing FRA# 197056P located on 150<sup>th</sup> Street at the N¼ corner Sec. 9-94-28, near Galbraith. Motion carried unanimously.

There wasn't any Construction in ROW.

Discussion was held with the Kossuth County Engineer.

Further discussion was held regarding changes to health insurance.

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

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to approve saturated buffers on private tile outlets in DD 80. Supervisor Stecker and Supervisor Haas withdrew their motion and 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Garman to accept the drainage petition for DD 80 Lat 71 and to send to Bolton and Menk to incorporate with the current project. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Haas and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Waechter to have the Supervisors handle their requests as follows:  
Supervisor Stecker: Request 2026-003 DD 60 Sub 8 Lat 4 and Supervisor Nath: Request 2026-004 DD 68 Main Open Ditch. Motion carried unanimously.

Tyler Conley from Bolton & Menk opened bids for DD 4 Lat 11 Improvement. Bid Consideration will be held on Tuesday, March 17, 2026, at 10:00A.M. Motion carried unanimously.

Discussion was continued on the saturated buffers on private tile outlets in DD 80. Motion by Stecker and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Haas to approve the saturated buffers on private tile outlets in DD 80 pending completion of the form as discussed. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Garman and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Stecker to adjourn at 10:29 A.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