

WAPELLO COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS

3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Courtroom/Boardroom at Courthouse

DATE: 4-8-2025

TIME: 9:33 a.m.

PRESENT: Darren Batterson, Chair; Bryan Ziegler, Vice Chair; Carrie Teninty, Supervisor; Danielle Weller, Deputy Auditor; Peg & Tom Lazio, Ricks Tebbs, WCCB; Chad Drury, Ottumwa Courier; Tim Richmond, EMA; Nancy Canny, Tony & Delana Rowell, Travis Kaster, Chief Deputy Assessor; Gary Smith, Assessor; Jake Bohi, EMA; Miranda Bailey, Zoning; Brad Skinner, Sec. Rds; Andy Alderson, IT; Rhen Shadduck, IT; Kim Hellige, Trails; Willene White, Noel; Cindy Hewitt, EMS-Agency Rescue; Mike Holcomb, Agency Fire Rescue; Lisa Kent, Recorder; Scott Mooney, Blake Mooney, Don Phillips, Sheriff; Corey Eberling, Apex Clean Energy.

Chair Batterson opened the meeting. Vice Chair Ziegler moved, seconded by Supervisor Teninty to approve the agenda. All ayes. Motion carried.

Public Hearing to Close & Vacate a Portion of River Road.

Vice Chair Ziegler moved, seconded by Supervisor Teninty to open the public hearing to close & vacate a portion of River Road. All ayes. Motion carried. There were no written/verbal comments. Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to close the public hearing. All ayes. Motion carried. Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve Resolution 14-2025 to close & vacate a portion of River Road. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve minutes from the March 25, 2025 Regular Board Meeting. All ayes. Motion carried.

Vice Chair Ziegler moved, seconded by Supervisor Teninty to approve minutes from the March 25, 2025 Public Hearing. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to table until 4-22-2025 FY2026 Secondary Roads Program for Iowa Department of Transportation. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to table until 4-22-2025 FY2026 Secondary Roads Budget for Iowa Department of Transportation. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve Contract Extension between Wapello County & Teamsters Local #238 (Courthouse Unit). All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve Memorandum of Understanding between Wapello County & Teamsters Local #238 (Sheriff). All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve request for Payroll Approval New Hire Clerk Auditor's Office – Brittany Wagner. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve request for Payroll Approval New Hire IT Director – Andy Alderson. All ayes. Motion carried.

Vice Chair Ziegler moved, seconded by Supervisor Teninty to approve request for Payroll Approval New Hire Sheriff's Office Correctional Officer – Natalie Cervantes. All ayes. Motion carried.

Vice Chair Ziegler moved, seconded by Supervisor Teninty to approve Resolution 13-2025 Family Farm Credit for 2024 Payable 25/26. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve appointments of Kerri Rupe-Brian Morgan & Mike McDonough to the Magistrate Appointing Commission. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve Renewal of Optum Managed Transplant Program through United Healthcare Insurance. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve Resolution 17-2025-1<sup>st</sup> Reading to Declare Emergency Medical Services (EMS) to be an Essential Service in Wapello County Iowa as Authorized by IA Code Section 422D.1. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to table Wabash Bridge Discussion until 4-22-2025. All ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to approve Recorder's 3<sup>rd</sup> Qtr. 24/25 Report of Fees Collected & Disbursed. All ayes. Motion carried.

Claims in the amount of \$133,704.02 & Payroll in the amount of \$468,469.39 for 4-4-2025 were approved.

9:53 a.m. Supervisor Teninty moved, seconded by Vice Chair Ziegler to adjourn. All ayes. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

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Kelly Spurgeon  
Wapello County Auditor

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Darren Batterson, Chair  
Board of Supervisors