

# PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MITCHELL COUNTY, IOWA

Tuesday, August 13, 2024

The Board of Supervisors convened at 8:36 a.m. with all members present. Also, present were Greg Beaver, Rich Brumm, Tom Rolfes, Casey Petznick, Tom DeBower, Ryan Stephen, Aaron Murphy, Keith Horgen, Duane Tesch, and Jenny Backer. The meeting was made available by video via "Go to Meeting". Motion by Hartogh, second by Mayer to approve the agenda. All voted aye.

Motion by Hartogh, second by Frein to approve the minutes of the August 6 meeting and claims. Roll call vote: All voted aye.

County Attorney Murphy had nothing new to report.

County Sheriff Beaver presented his fees collected in July in the amount of \$15,345.71. Motion by Wherry, second by Hartogh to approve the Sheriff fees collected in July. Roll call vote: all voted aye.

Auditor Foster explained where Homestead 65 credits appear on the tax statements. Supervisor Wherry confirmed that the other board members were fine transferring the Sheriff truck to Secondary Roads just as the County has done in the past.

County Engineer Rich Brumm said the walls for the salt shed base should be delivered next week, and the following week the hoop will be put up. The project should be done by the end of August. Brumm had a pre-con for the small paving projects. Engineer Brumm stated they plan to do both lanes at once on Lime Kiln Road because of it being narrow, and it is expected to take three days. Brumm is working out details with a landowner that wants to mow a ditch south of McIntire.

Ryan Stephen discussed server upgrades for the Sheriff Office that need to be done this year. Stephen went over security changes will are going to change for each user. Director Stephen sent two policies to the board for acceptable use and passwords.

Tom DeBower went over frustrations with the Carpenter Sewer system. Carpenter would like to have three pumps on hand, but the money is not there to purchase those pumps. DeBower suggested updating the current 28E agreement. Auditor Foster is going to investigate using the Reserve account to pay for the pumps the city would like to have on hand.

Supervisor Wherry explained having a 28E agreement with Floyd County for our panic system that allows 500 users. Motion by Hartogh, second by Mayer to approve 28E Agreement with Floyd County. Roll call vote: all voted aye.

Wherry, Hartogh, Mayer, Hendrickson, and Frein had nothing to report. Received manure management plan updates from Anderson Finisher Farm, Primrose Sow Farm, Shadow Finisher Farm, and Hogville Corp.

There were no public comments  
Hendrickson adjourned the meeting at 9:24 a.m.

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Rachel Foster – Mitchell County Auditor

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Mark Hendrickson – Chair Board of Supervisors