

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS

The Grundy County Board of Supervisors met in a regular session in the Supervisor's room at the Grundy County Courthouse on March 24, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. Chairperson Nederhoff called the meeting to order with the following members present: Vandehaar, Pabst, Kopsa, and Schildroth.

The Board opened the meeting by reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion was made by Vandehaar and seconded by Pabst to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Carried unanimously.

Jeff Skalberg, County Engineer, discussed department matters.

Motion was made by Kopsa and seconded by Schildroth to approve Utility Permit #3-24-25A for Heart of Iowa – install fiber on Z Ave from D35 to D25. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Vandehaar and seconded by Pabst to approve Utility Permit #3-24-25B for Heart of Iowa – install fiber on 290th St and T45 from T29 to Grundy Center. Carried unanimously.

Kirk Dolleslager, County Sheriff, discussed department matters.

Renee Harris and Andrea DeGroote, Crisis Intervention Service, read a proclamation proclaiming April as Sexual Assault Awareness Month.

Katie Thornton-Lang, Administrator, Grundy County Public Health, read a proclamation proclaiming April as Child Abuse Prevention Month.

There was a discussion about the FY2026 proposed county budget.

Motion was made by Schildroth and seconded by Vandehaar to reduce the Zoning salary increase by \$1,542 and reduce the Sanitarian salary increase by \$4,342. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Kopsa and seconded by Pabst to set the FY26 Proposed Budget Hearing for April 21, 2025. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Schildroth and seconded by Kopsa to approve payment of the following bills: Ackley Publishing, supplies 261.55; Agvantage FS, fuel 7,959.86; Airgas USA, supplies 355.15; Alliant Energy, service 2,475.04; Amazon Capital Services, supplies 253.65; Aswegan, Robert, twp mtg 50.00; AT&T Mobility, service 1,209.12; Aureon, service 149.95; Beck, Eric, mailbox reimb 31.44; Beeghly, Jordyn, mileage 36.00; Beyer, William, mileage 48.00; Black Hills Energy, utilities 4,595.85; Blythe Sanitation, sundry 115.00; BMC Aggregates, roadstone 21,484.78; Brothers Market, supplies 345.37; Brown, Chad, reimb exp 30.00; Carosh Compliance Solutions, maintenance 12,652.00; Case, Travis, mileage 86.60; Cessford Construction, roadstone 15,574.48; Chemsearch, sundry 2,554.40; Clapp, Amy, training 80.00; Column Software, publication 423.17; Consolidated Electrical Distributor, service generator 425.00; Cooley Pumping, repairs 985.00; Corn Fed Designs, publication 65.00; Covertrack Group, maintenance 600.00; Davidson, Donald, twp mtg 50.00; Dell Marketing, maintenance 986.84; Diamond, Don, twp mtg 50.00; GFC Leasing-WI, service 188.82; Gordon Flesch-Milwaukee, maintenance 188.80; GCMU, service 309.72; Grundy Co Memorial Hospital, grant 42,892.58; Grundy County Engineer, fuel 11,520.31; Grundy County REC, service 1,115.14; Hardin County Sheriff, reimb exp 2,340.00; Heart of Iowa Communications, service 39.95; Heartland Co-Op, diesel 873.64; Hogle, Bob, twp mtg 50.00; Hook, Sara, med exam exp 320.00; Hooper, Brad, twp mtg 50.00; Huber, Carl, mileage 48.00; Huisman, Jesse, reimb exp 30.00; IACVS, mtg exp 75.00; Illowa Culvert & Supply, CMP 40,358.00; Interstate Battery of Upper IA, batteries 112.95; IRUA, service 127.61; ISAC, mtg exp 460.00; Jesco Welding & Machine, parts 431.07; John Deere Financial, supplies 1,426.36; Konken Electric, buildings 5,845.24; Kopsa, LJ, twp mtg 50.00; Kuper, Rick, twp mtg 50.00; Lott, Hunter, mtg exp 15.00; Lyon, Zac, reimb exp 30.00; Marshall County Auditor, med exam exp 100.00; McDowell & Sons Contractors, hauling 700.00; Menards-Cedar Falls, supplies 95.67; Menards-Waterloo, supplies 422.37; Moody's Investors Services, services 21,000.00; Moorman, Chris, twp mtg 50.00; Nederhoff, Kevin, twp mtg 50.00; New Century FS, fuel 1,478.18; NuCara Pharmacy-GC, meds 21.69; Nutrien Ag Solutions, fuel 4,413.06; Powerplan, parts 5,065.59; Racom, maintenance 985.97; Rockmount Research & Alloy, parts 3,243.24; Rouse Motor, service 84.22; Rural Iowa Landfill, landfill exp 730.50; Rydell Chevrolet, truck 54,676.00; Schumacher Elevator, maintenance 223.74; Scurr, Steven, med exam exp 50.00; Secretary of State, services 30.00; Sents, Christopher, twp mtg 50.00; Severance, James, twp mtg 50.00; Silvey, Angela, mileage 27.00; Skyline Salt Solutions, supplies 16,821.69; Spahn & Rose Lumber, supplies 586.17; Tama/Grundy Publishing, publication 502.33; Titan Machinery, supplies 132.46; Todd's Tools, parts 528.30; Truck Center Companies, parts 799.22; Tscherter, Alan, mileage 94.62; Tyson Communications, service 103.11; U. S. Cellular, service 105.65; Ubben Building Supplies, supplies 24.57; Unifirst, supplies 161.38; Unifirst First Aid, safety 124.93; USPS CMRS-POC, postage 2,000.00; Vanguard Appraisals, services 495.00; Vanwall Equipment, supplies 59.28; Verizon Connect, services 559.12; Visa, supplies/parts 3,131.87; Watson, Joan, reimb exp 39.00; Wellsburg, City of, service 26.63; Wilkerson Hardware, parts 4.59; Windstream, service 162.93; Zetron, maintenance 16,599.62; Ziegler, parts 287.78. Carried unanimously.

There was a discussion concerning the future care of cemeteries located in Grundy County. Several township clerks were in attendance.

Motion was made by Schildroth and seconded by Vandehaar to reappoint the following township trustees for terms ending December 31, 2028: Beaver Township - Sidney Hayes, Greg

Melcher. Black Hawk Township - Vern Knaack, Tyler Schildroth. Clay Township - LJ Kopsa. Colfax Township - Bob Abels, Wayne Eilers. Fairfield Township - David Meyer, Fred Bolhuis. Felix Township - Kyle Bergman, Bob Hogle. German Township - Rick Kuper, Tim Diamond. Grant Township - Michael Shreck, Jeremy Eilers, Jarrod Bakker. Lincoln Township - Christopher Moorman, Shan Davis. Melrose Township - Don Diamond, Gary Peters. Palermo Township - Lyle Neher, Don Davidson. Pleasant Valley Township - Robert Aswegan, Christopher Sents. Shiloh Township - Lary Riebkes, Kevin Nederhoff. Washington Township - Paul Cooley, Barry Ehrig. Motion carried 4-0.

Motion was made by Kopsa and seconded by Pabst to accept the resignation of Beaver Township Trustee Greg Melcher. Carried unanimously.

Updates on various board and committee meetings were given.

Motion was made by Kopsa and seconded by Vandehaar to adjourn the meeting. Carried unanimously.

Heidi Nederhoff, Chairperson

Alan T. Tscherter, County Auditor