

October 4, 2018

Board met in regular session at 8:30 a.m. at Drake Library, Grinnell, Iowa. Members present Diana Dawley, Trevor White & Larry Wilson. Also present: Merle Doty & Jason Roudabush

Chairman Dawley led the pledge of allegiance.

Moved by White, 2nd by Wilson to approve agenda. 3 ayes. Motion carried.

Moved by Wilson, 2nd by White to approve September 27, 2018 minutes. 3 ayes. Motion carried.

Moved by White, 2nd by Wilson to approve October 5, 2018 Poweshiek County Payroll for \$195,939.65. 3 ayes. Motion carried.

Moved by Wilson, 2nd by White to approve Utility Permit #19-14U to Windstream Iowa Communications for work in Section 5 & 6, Washington Township. 3 ayes. Motion carried.

Board received Recorder's Report of Fees Collected for month ending September 30, 2018.

Moved by White 2nd by Wilson to accept with regret the resignation of Sandy Hartgers, Dispatcher/Jailer at Sheriff's Office effective October 1, 2018. 3 ayes. Motion carried.

8:35 a.m. Susan Hiner, CICS met with board to provide update of CICS programs.

8:57 a.m. Lamoyne Gaard joined the meeting.

9:00 a.m. Russ Schuck, Veterans Affairs, met with the board to discuss what has been happening with Veterans Affairs for the past month.

Board discussed painting quote received to paint the interior of the courthouse. Board is going to reach out to a few other painters to see if they would like to submit a quote for painting. Board will revisit the painting quotes on October 11th.

9:23 a.m. Moved by Wilson, 2nd by White to adjourn. 3 ayes. Motion carried.

Melissa Eilander, Poweshiek County Auditor

Diana Dawley, Chairman

October 8, 2018

Board met in regular session at 8:30 a.m., Boardroom, Courthouse, Montezuma, IA. Members present Diana Dawley & Trevor White. Also present: Dave VanCompernelle, Lamoyne Gaard, Jason Roudabush, Merle Doty

Chairman Dawley led the pledge of allegiance.

Moved by White, 2nd by Dawley to approve agenda. 2 ayes. Motion carried.

8:30 a.m. Dr. J.R. Paulson met with board and department heads to discuss mental health awareness. Present: Lamoyne Gaard, Mark Vavroch, Conservation Director; Sandy Ross, Treasurer; Janietta Criswell, Clerk of Court; Linda Kudart, Assessor's Office; Bart Klaver, County Attorney; Terry Pickett, Assistant to the Engineer; Merle Doty, Jason Roudabush, Dave VanCompernelle, J.D. Griffith, Sanitarian/Zoning; Dianna Longhenry, Recorder; Missy Eilander, Auditor. Dr. Paulson spoke about the mental health consortium he helped establish and the JPK fund to provide financial assistance to individuals needing mental health services. He is hoping to also provide more education on mental health, especially in the schools. The consortium was established to help provide knowledge

about mental health, help people in need financially to get them the mental health services needed. The board stated that through the CICS Region, the county has the jail diversion program, 24-hour crisis line and SOARS program making a good start to mental health programs.

9:38 a.m. Dianna Longhenry, Recorder met with board for monthly meeting.

Moved by White, 2nd by Dawley to approve Utility Permit #19-15U to Windstream Iowa Communications, LLC for work in Section 7, Deep River Township. 2 ayes. Motion carried.

White stated he has an ambulance meeting in Grinnell on Wednesday. Discussion was held regarding townships and ambulance service. White feels townships will need to start levying for ambulance service. Dawley feels without a contract in place for services we may be getting cart before the horse. White states he feels there will be a contract with City of Grinnell when everything is said and done.

10:24 a.m. Moved by White, 2nd by Dawley to adjourn. 2 ayes. Motion carried.

Melissa Eilander, Poweshiek County Auditor

Diana Dawley, Chairman