

Board Minutes April 1, 2024

The Adams County Board of Supervisors met on Monday, April 1, 2024, at 9:30 AM with the following members present: Tony Hardisty, Scott Akin, Chris Standley, Bobbi Maynes, and Leland Shipley. The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Akin at 9:31 AM. Maynes moved, seconded by Shipley to approve the agenda and the minutes of March 25th meetings. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Saundra Leininger gave the quarterly report on the Historical Preservation Commission and also presented the State Report and shared updated brochures. They have been notified about two new cemeteries in the country.

Shipley moved, seconded by Maynes to approve the Secondary Roads five-year plan. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Standly moved, seconded by Hardisty to approve letter of support for the DNR/County Creek signage Grant. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Maynes moved, seconded by Standley to set the public hearing for the notice of public hearing proposed FY25 budget for April 22 at 10:00 am. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Shipley moved, seconded by Standly to approve creating an on call/ as needed Sheriff's Deputy Position. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Hardisty moved, seconded by Maynes to approve the I-80 K9 Training Service LLC Contract. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Maynes moved, seconded by Hardisty to approve the Tax Abatements for the following property owners: Alexander Baylor, Joshua Cooper, Larry Fast, Florence Jackson, Larry Johannes, Jacqueline Kathikar, The Legacy Venue, Heath Mitchell, Jordan Perrin, Donna Rochau, Clifford Shipley, and Nicholas Wetzel.

Shipley moved, seconded by Standley to approve extending the wind moratorium to remain in place until the zoning board gives their recommendation to the Supervisors, and they take action on the ordinances. Ayes: Shipley, Standley, Hardisty. Nay: Akin. Abstained: Maynes. Motion carried.

Budget discussions were held and discussed reducing the general supplemental levy from \$3.20 to \$3.00.

Secondary Roads - Hauling radius rock and stock piling. Awarded a of couple grants for a total of \$110,000. Dozer had some work done on it. The new Mack truck is getting fixed under warranty. Looking to do the base stabilization on Juniper yet this month. Notified of a concern on Colony 19 decking, that is the next bridge to be worked on. Having issues getting paid from the railroad on the Nodaway crossing. Still hauling contract rock. Sheriff- June 15th golf fundraiser for K9. Conservation – Looking at developing a prairie area near the shop and marina for learning opportunities on prairie environments. Doing an interview with Chris Nelson today and giving an update. Turning on water and restrooms April 15th. Lake is still very low and has concerns about docks going in. Marina fuel tank has been set and need to get the wiring done this week. Timber triathlon is set for August 24th. Needing new batteries for the radios. IT- Panic button system will be installed tomorrow. Treasurer – 92.5% collected which represents \$560,000 left to collect. Auditor – Checked in with Carl Goodson on the sewer system the County owns and he's been checking it quarterly and says there are no issues.

Committee and Meeting Reports: Maynes – Quad Co, Bedford, March 27 and Crossroads, Creson, March 25; Standley – Heartland, Creston, Apr 1, RCD, Creston, Mar 26, and Quad Co, Bedford, March 27; Shipley – MATURA, Creston, March 26 and Quad Co, Bedford, March 27; and Hardisty – SI Trolley, Creston, Mar 29 and Quad Co, Bedford, March 27.

The next regular meeting will be held on Monday, April 8, 2024, at 9:00 AM.

Maynes moved, seconded by Standley to adjourn the meeting at 10:55 AM. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

ATTEST: Scott Akin, Chairperson, Adams County Board of Supervisors
Rebecca Bissell, Adams County Auditor