## **Board Minutes November 4, 2024**

The Adams County Board of Supervisors met on Monday, November 4, 2024, at 9:00 AM with the following members present: Scott Akin, Leland Shipley, Bobbi Maynes, Tony Hardisty and Chris Standley. The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Akin at 9:00 AM. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Standley moved, seconded by Hardisty to approve the agenda and the minutes of the October 28<sup>th</sup> meeting. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Secondary Roads Update – The recent rains will help get the department get the roads back into shape. Last week ran into issues with the chainsaws just being worn out. Obtaining quotes to replace some of them. Attending a watershed training on Thursday in Creston. The dirt crew is ready to work on driveways. Were able to clean up the shop with the rain days and will be selling items at Kretzinger auction this weekend or on Purple Wave. Met with the Railroad on the Prescott crossing. The department has applied for a DOT grant in 2026. We are waiting to hear what the railroad wants to do for a temporary fix. Setting up 5 interviews for the open Maintenance I position. Still trying to figure out logistics for being able to receive the signs order.

Maynes moved, seconded by Standley to approve pay increase of \$1.20/ hr effective Nov 4, 2024 and another \$1.20/ hr after a 6 month probation period for the Foreman Position. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Shipley Moved, seconded by Hardisty to approve revised Foreman job description. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Shipley Moved, seconded by Hardisty to approve \$4/ hr pay increase effective Nov 4, 2024 for the Engineer Tech Position. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Department Head reports: Conservation - Leaving water on maybe another week. Cabin hosts leaving this week, then everything will be shut down. Going to get the rest of the docks out soon. There are two open positions at the lake. There has been a lot of Archery and cabin activity. Had a radio interview with Chris Nelson. Will be getting some seed for the prairie seed plots. Have memorial money for a Pollinator area in a butterfly garden. CWD and EHD has been affecting deer in our area. Auditor – Our office is ready for the Election this week. Poll worker training was last week and they are ready to go. There have been about 33% of registered voters vote absentee.

Committee and Meeting Reports: Akin - CHI, October 24, Corning, ACEDC, October 24, Corning; Hardisty – SCI 911, October 30, via zoom; Shipley – Main St., October 28, Corning.

Hardisty moved, seconded by Shipley to adjourn the meeting at 9:53 AM. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

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