

Board Minutes November 25, 2024

The Adams County Board of Supervisors met on Monday, November 25, 2024, at 9:00 AM with the following members present: Scott Akin, Leland Shipley, Tony Hardisty, Bobbi Maynes, and Chris Standley. The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Akin at 9:00 AM. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Hardisty moved, seconded by Standley to approve the agenda and the minutes of the November 18th meeting. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Secondary Roads Update – Received the invoice for the Sign Grant in the amount of \$99,881.50 and will be submitting it to the E911 board. This covers all paved roads and Farm to Market roads. Attended Hungry Canyon for scoring committee and received about \$50,000 of the amount to be reimbursed on that project. Preparing winter truck equipment and discovered some issues that will be a priority to fix. Dirt crew is back putting in driveways. Motor grader went down but is back up and running. Obtaining a quote for weather stripping on garage doors at the shop. Job posted internally for motor grader position and if no applicants, then it will be advertised. Mulberry Avenue has been torn up by the REC’s contractor putting in a new line. Working on the five-year plan for secondary road equipment needs. Board discussed some budgetary equipment ideas.

Maynes moved, seconded by Standley to approve the claims as presented. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Access Systems Leasing	copier	139.60
Airgas	Sup	50.15
Alliant Energy	Util	66.45
AT&T	Maint Agree	776.07
Bissell,Becky	Reimb	111.60
Bomgaars	repair	97.29
Byers Lock Shop	Repairs	167.00
Capital Sanitary	Sup	127.24
Central IA Detention	Serv	3,732.79
Cintas	safety	92.44
CNH Ind Capital	repair	144.30
Corning Hotel	Contr.-Oth Gov.&Org	16,357.09
Corning Mun	util	115.00
Corning Mun	Util	3,876.12
Dept of Inspect-Elev	Fee	175.00
Diamond Mowers Inc.	repair	784.09
First Wireless Inc.	radios	251.18
Frontier	Phone	98.40
Galls	Sup	68.68
Geer Santitation	San Dispos	180.00
Geer Santitation	Util	150.00
Dr. S Gruba	Elect Off	62.50
Hawkeye Truck	repair	130.50
Heartland Business	Comp. Prog/Soft/We	2,057.53
Hickman,Lynn	Well Plug	700.00
Hoversten,Marjie	Elect Off	82.50
HyVee	Sup	5,408.83
ILEA	Edu	125.00
Infomax	Equip	38.29
ISAC	Dues	225.00
Marco Tech	Equip. New And Rent	183.58
McMahon,Bev	Elect Off	67.50
Metal Culverts	materials	22,806.00
MidAmerican	util	17.60
Nationwide	Fidelity & Sec.Bond Prem.	230.00
Nishna Productions	Serv	266.82
Omaha Truck Center	repair	190.57
Pearson Funeral	Serv	1,250.00
Pitney Bowes	Post & Mail	159.57
Power Plan	repair	58.14
Schafer Welding	repair	128.52
Service Techs	Parts	35.98

Shepherd Repair	Serv	80.00
Shires, Jen	Empl Mile & Subs.	104.40
SW IA REC	utili	513.74
SW IA REC	Util	4,070.23
TopSpot Rentals	equip rent	140.00
Travis Iron	repair	308.60
Turf Solutions	Serv	110.00
U.S. Bank	Comp. Prog/Soft/We	499.00
U.S. Bank	Contr-Oth Gov.&Org	77.68
U.S. Bank	Cust Suppl	48.96
U.S. Bank	Ed Materials	7.14
U.S. Bank	Elect Supp	9.99
U.S. Bank	Equip. New & Rent	223.04
U.S. Bank	Food & Provis	104.76
U.S. Bank	Fuel, Tires, & Lub	59.46
U.S. Bank	Gen Repairs	90.03
U.S. Bank	Maint Agree	40.28
U.S. Bank	Off Supp/Exp	643.03
U.S. Bank	Off Pub.& Legal Not.	54.57
U.S. Bank	Oth Supp/Equip	1,774.79
U.S. Bank	Plumb Supp	83.18
U.S. Bank	Post & Mail	112.00
U.S. Bank	Reg fees/Meet/Sc	664.83
U.S. Bank	Safe & Protect.Supp	17.92
U.S. Bank	School or meet exp	1,269.96
U.S. Bank	Sup	132.62
U.S. Bank	phone & Fax Serv	494.62
U.S. Bank	Wear App & Unif	716.85
Willett,Jan	Elect Off	5.00
Ziegler	REPAIR	2,035.77
Zoho Corp.	Comp. Prog/Soft/We	2,390.00
Grand Total		78,667.37

Shipley moved, seconded by Hardisty to establish the compensation board. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Department Head reports: Auditor – Attended Real Estate meeting last week discussed TIF and reports required. Working on GAAP report and Valuations system has been opened to begin submitting information. Conservation – Rebuilding picnic tables. Lots of servicing and maintenance on the cabins. Sarah has been organizing the office files. A handful of cabins and cottages are being utilized by hunters now and during December. EMA- Successfully submitted and awarded \$17,900 through the Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG). Reimbursement request for the grant has been submitted and is currently awaiting approval. Attended The Mendon Amtrak Crash: Lessons for Rural Response training. Participated in the 2024 Iowa Virtual Coordinated Response Exercise (Pipeline Safety Program - CoRE), focusing on emergency response to natural gas incidents. Contributed to the Southwest Valley Trunk or Treat event aimed at kickstarting a more active community outreach initiative. Completed the Social Media for Emergency Responders training emphasizing safe and effective information distribution on social media platforms. This training led to the creation of the Adams County Emergency Management Facebook page for enhanced public communication. Responded to two structure fires: one in Carbon and one in the City of Corning. No hazardous material containment issues were identified; EMA assistance was not required.

Committee and Meeting Reports: Akin - ACEDC, November 21, Corning, MidAmerican Fiber, November 20, via Zoom; Standley – DECAT, November 22, viz Zoom; Maynes – County Waste Water, November 19, via Zoom; Shipley – Main Street, November 18, Corning, Main Street EV, November 20, Corning; Hardisty – SCI 911, November 20, via Zoom.

Maynes moved, seconded by Hardisty to adjourn the meeting at 10:24 AM. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

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