

Board Minutes August 4, 2025

The Adams County Board of Supervisors met on Monday, August 4, 2025, at 9:00 AM with the following members present: Tony Hardisty, Scott Akin, Leland Shipley, Bobbi Maynes, and Chris Standley. The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Hardisty at 9:00 AM. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Akin moved, seconded by Standley to approve the agenda and the minutes of the July 28th meeting. All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried.

Secondary Roads Update – Hauled rock, worked on Hungry Canyon project. Ordered culverts and driveway pipes. Bridge progress had a slow week. ICAP skid loader claim has been settled.

Akin moved, seconded by Maynes to approve Resolution 2025-28 To Designate Voting Representatives for the Iowa State Association of Counties.

Resolution 2025-28

To Designate Voting Representatives for the Iowa State Association of Counties

WHEREAS, Adams County (“County”) is a member of the Iowa State Association of Counties; and

WHEREAS, the ISAC Articles of Incorporation were updated in November 2024 to require the County to designate, through resolution by its Board of Supervisors, its County Voting Representatives; and

WHEREAS, only the designated County Voting Representatives have the power to vote on behalf of the County at ISAC; and

WHEREAS, the County Voting Representatives must be either elected county officials or the principal officer for each county department represented by an Affiliated Association of ISAC.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Adams County Board of Supervisors, effective immediately, hereby designates the following persons as County Voting Representatives for ISAC:

Iowa State Association of County Supervisors: **Bobbi Maynes, Chris Standley, Leland Shipley, Scott Akin, Tony Hardisty**

Iowa State Sheriffs’ and Deputies’ Association: **Alan Johannes**

Iowa County Attorneys Association, Inc.: **Andrew Knuth**

Iowa State Association of County Auditors: **Betsy Stormer**

Iowa State County Treasurers Association: **Holly Schafer**

Iowa County Records Association, Inc.: **Jamie Stargell**

Iowa County Engineers Association:

Iowa State Association of Assessors: **Ben Mullen**

Iowa Community Services Association:

Iowa Emergency Management Association: **Adams EMA**

County Conservation Directors Association of Iowa: **Travis Paul**

Iowa Environmental Health Association, Inc.: **Carl Goodson**

Iowa Counties Public Health Association: **Crystal Drake**

County Zoning Officials of Iowa:

Iowa Counties Information Technology Organization: **Tom Williams**

Iowa Association of County Commissioners and Veterans Service Officers, Inc.: **Holly Steeve**

The County shall forward a copy of this Resolution with the names of the designated County Voting Representatives to support@iowacounties.org.

Approved by the Adams County Board of Supervisors on August 4, 2025.

Tony Hardisty/Board Chair

All supervisors voted aye. Motion carried. The original resolution is on file in the Auditor’s office.

Maynes moved, seconded by Shipley to approve going into closed session pursuant to Iowa Code 21.5(1)(i) – To evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose appointment, hiring, performance, or discharge is being considered when necessary to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual’s reputation and that individual requests a closed session at 9:30 am. Ayes: Shipley, Standley, Akin, Maynes, Hardisty. Nays: none. Motion carried. Maynes moved, seconded by Standley to approve going out of closed session pursuant to Iowa Code 21.5(1)(i) at 11:11 am. Ayes: Maynes, Shipley, Standley, Akin, Hardisty. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Department heads reports: Conservation – July was a steady and busy camping month. The Fourth of July activities were well attended. Record turnout this year for the youth fish tournament. Had 50 children participate in the Chamber sponsored treasure hunt. Have had excellent attendance at educational programs. Weekly archery is well attended. Obtaining quotes for beach parking lot and sand area for concrete retaining walls. Have estimates on trail bridges. The staff is doing a fantastic job. Timber Tri will be on August 23. Currently about 35 have signed up. There will be a Teddy Roosevelt presentation at the Opera House on October 14 and at the High School on October 15. Baptisms at the Beach will be 10 am to 2 pm, August 30. IT – Worked on security patching. Converted the server cluster from current to new hardware. Auditor – Solutions fixed one entry, and we were able to cash balance. Making progress on the real estate tax process. Will be attending SEAT II training this week in Des Moines.

Committee and Meeting Reports: Maynes – Crossroads, July 28, Creston; Hardisty – SCI 911, July 30, Creston; Akin – Chris Nelson radio interview, July 29, Corning.

Maynes moved, seconded by Akin to adjourn the meeting at 11:04 AM. All supervisors voted aye.
Motion carried.

ATTEST: Tony Hardisty, Chairperson, Adams County Board of Supervisors
Betsy Stormer, Adams County Auditor