

Sibley, Iowa  
December 14, 2021

The Osceola County Board of Supervisors met pursuant to law and adjournment at 8:45 am at the Osceola County Courthouse Board Room in Sibley, Iowa with the following members present: Jerry Helmers, Mike Schulte, LeRoy DeBoer, Jayson VandeHoef and Ed Jones. Absent: None.

Helmets moves to approve the December 14, 2021 agenda. Second by DeBoer. All vote aye. Motion carried.

It was moved by Schulte, second by Jones to approve December 7, 2021 minutes. All vote aye. Motion carried.

Helmets moves to approve the second reading of Ordinance # 57 Osceola County Precinct Boundaries. Second by Schulte. All vote aye. Motion carried.

It was move VandeHoef, second by Jones to approve the 2022 Holiday Schedule with the change of closing at 1 pm on December 30, 2022 instead of at noon. Ayes- VandeHoef, Jones, Schulte, DeBoer. Nay-Helmets. Motion carried.

Jones informed the Board that he reached out to Kelly Engineering Staffing Agency. Their service fee is 25% of the engineer's salary. They suggested including in the employment ad assistance with moving expenses, one-time hiring bonus, and removing the residency requirement. They will send a proposed contract to the county to review. Jones looked into Aerotek Employment Agency but their fee is 30% fee of the engineer's salary. Sara Howard, Office Manager will reach out to the DOT and see if they recommend any engineering companies to help us out until we can find an engineer.

The board discussed claim #947 to Iowa Board of Pharmacy. The county's medical director license expired and there is a late fee of \$270. Schulte moves to approve the claim but to bill the medical director \$270 for the late fees. Second by Helmers. All vote aye. Motion carried. It was moved by Helmers, second by Schulte to pay the remainder of the claims. All vote aye. Motion carried.

Helmets moves to suspend regular board meeting and enter into Drainage District #9, Drainage District #9 Lateral 2, and Drainage District #43 public hearing. Second by VandeHoef. All vote aye. Motion carried.

It was moved by VandeHoef, second by DeBoer to enter into regular session. All vote aye. Motion carried.

The Farm Shed fundraiser committee gave an update on their fundraising efforts. They also shared all the events they are planning for the sesquicentennial.

Rochelle Van Tilburg, County Auditor informed the Board that Iowa Secretary of State office will reject the proposed precinct boundaries. The redistricting commission will have to reconvene and proposed a new precinct boundary to the Board. It was moved by Helmers, second Schulte to reconsider and rescind the approval of the second reading of Ordinance #57 Osceola County Precinct Boundaries. All vote aye. Motion carried. Schulte moves to reject the second reading of Ordinance #57 Osceola County Precinct Boundaries. Second by DeBoer. All vote aye. Motion carried.