

Guthrie County Board of Supervisors

Regular Session

March 19, 2024

The Guthrie County Board of Supervisors met this 19th day of March, 2024, in a Regular session in the meeting room at the Guthrie County Courthouse in Guthrie Center, Iowa with the following members present: Maggie Armstrong, Brian Johnson, Jerome "J.D." Kuster and Steve Smith. Mike Dickson was absent from the meeting.

The meeting came to order at 9:00 a.m.

Board recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion to approve consent agenda, which included minutes from March 12, 2024, claims from March 6, 2024 through March 19, 2024 in the amount of \$289,043.29 and a payroll change notice for Clark Sievers, new hire at the Transfer Station for \$22/hr. by Johnson second by Armstrong. 4 ayes.

No public comments were received.

Board discussed a request by John Deacon to take photos of the courthouse on March 20th. The board agreed that Kuster would discuss with the Sheriff to oversee the visit, and Johnson would let Deacon know to check in with the Sheriff upon arrival.

Motion to set public hearing in relation to service level reduction on 233rd Lane Section 7 Cass Township on April 2, 2024 at 9:05 a.m. by Johnson second by Armstrong. 4 ayes.

Motion to approve notice of public hearing in relation to service level reduction on 233rd Lane Section 7 Cass Township by Armstrong second by Smith. 4 ayes.

Motion to approve salary increases at 48% of the Comp Board's Recommendation of 7.25% for all elected officials, except the Board of Supervisors, by Johnson second by Armstrong. 4 ayes.

Motion by Smith to approve the Board of Supervisors salary increase at 3.5%, which is 48% of the comp board recommendation second by Armstrong. Motion carried: Ayes: 3 Nays: 1 (Johnson).

Motion by Armstrong second by Smith to approve Resolution 24-21: Salary Resolution for Elected Officials. Motion carried on a roll call vote: Armstrong: Aye, Smith: Aye, Johnson: Aye, Kuster: Aye, Dickson: Absent.

The board provided updates on each of their recent and upcoming meetings.

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, the Board adjourned at 9:58 a.m. until its regularly scheduled meeting on Thursday, March 21, 2024. Motion by Johnson second by Smith. All ayes.

J.D. Kuster, Chair
Guthrie County Board of Supervisors

Attest: Dani Fink
Guthrie County Auditor