## Scott County Board of Supervisors August 14, 2025 5:00 p.m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment with Bribriesco, Dickson, Maxwell, Paustian and Beck present. The Board recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Moved by Bribriesco, seconded by Paustian a motion approving the minutes of the July 29, 2025 Committee of the Whole and the July 31, 2025 Board Meeting. All Ayes.

Michelle Javornik of Davenport, Retired Bettendorf Deputy Public Works Director, spoke in opposition of outsourcing custodial services.

Moved by Bribriesco, seconded by Paustian that the following eleven consent agenda items be approved. All Ayes.

A motion to approve the letters to Bettendorf and Walcott regarding their URA Plan amendments.

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the quote for one (1) 2027 Life Line Ambulance, with power load system and cot for MEDIC EMS of Scott County is hereby approved and awarded to Klocke's Emergency Vehicles, Sterling, IL, in the amount of \$363,390. 2) Asset being replaced is #5803 (M13). 3) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (163-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) The Scott County Board of Supervisors is empowered under authority of Iowa Code Sections 321.236 Sub. (8), 321.255 and 321.471 to 321.473 to prohibit the operation of vehicles or impose limitations as to weight thereof on designated highways or highway structures under their jurisdiction. 2) The County Engineer has completed or has caused to be completed the Structure Inventory and Appraisal of certain Scott County Bridges, in accordance with the National Bridge Inspection Standards, and has determined that the status of certain bridges should change. 3) The County Engineer has determined that the following Scott County Bridges are inadequate for two-lane legal loads at allowable operating stress:

County Bridge Number	FHWA Numbe	r Feature Crossed	Location	Load Limit
3C Liberty	303010	Rock Creek	80-01-03	28,48,40
6 Hickory Grove	302500	Hickory Creek	79-02-06	28,48,40
6E Hickory Grove	302480	Mud Creek	79-02-06	28,48,40
9B Hickory Grove	302510	Hickory Creek	79-02-09	28,48,40
9C Hickory Grove	302521	Hickory Creek	79-02-09	One Lane
10 Cleona	302370	Mud Creek	79-01-10	28,48,40
10E Liberty	303081 Tri	ibutary to Walnut Cree	ek 80-01-10	18,30,30
12 Winfield	303451 Tribu	tary to Wapsipinicon I	River 80-03-12	28,40,40
15 Cleona	302410 Tr	ibutary to Mud Creek	79-01-15	28,40,40
15A Hickory Grove	302550	Hickory Creek	79-02-15	28,48,40
22F Liberty	303160	Walnut Creek	80-01-22 One La	ane&26,38,38
28K Princeton	303730	Lost Creek	80-05-28	26,48,40
29D Allens Grove	303331	Mud Creek	80-02-29	28,48,40

29E Cleona	N/A	Big Elkhorn Creek	79-01-29	Closed
32C Winfield	303561	Tributary to Mud Creek	80-03-32	28,40,40
32H Princeton	303760	Lost Creek	80-05-32	28,48,40
33 Allens Grove	303371	Tributary to Mud Creek 8	30-02-33 One	Lane&14,22,22
34I Liberty	303180	Tributary to Mud Creek	80-01-34	13,19,20

4) That vehicle and load limits are established and that signs be erected advising of the maximum permissible weights on the bridges listed. 5) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (164-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the quote for Syntech's Fuel Master Live fuel management system software upgrade for the Secondary Roads Department is approved and hereby awarded to Central Petroleum Equipment Company, Blue Grass, IA, for a total cost of \$42,190.75. 2) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (165-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) The hiring of Jonathon Walker for the position of Detention Youth Counselor with the YJRC Department starting at entry level rate. 2) The hiring of Blade Peterson for the position of Elections Clerk PT with the Auditor's Office starting at entry level rate. 3) The hiring of Kyana Richards for the position of Multi-Service Clerk in the Treasurer's Office starting at entry level rate. (166-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the Board hereby approves the purchase of ZOLL Data Systems, MDT API, and GPS/AVL License, for the amount of \$12,787.20. 2) That the Board hereby approves the annual MDT API and GPS/AVL API maintenance costs of \$2,841.60. 3) That the Director of MEDIC EMS of Scott County is hereby authorized to proceed with the purchase on behalf of the Board. 4) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (167-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the Board approves the security agreement with Eastern lowa Community College for one (1) year. 2) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (168-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED THAT: 1) the Scott County Board of Supervisors, effective immediately, hereby designates the following persons as County Voting Representatives for ISAC: Iowa State Association of County Supervisors: **Jean** 

Dickson, John Maxwell, Ken Beck, Maria Bribriesco, Ross Paustian

lowa State Sheriffs' and Deputies' Association: Tim Lane

lowa County Attorneys Association, Inc.: Kelly G. Cunningham

Iowa State Association of County Auditors: Kerri Tompkins

Iowa State County Treasurers Association: Tony Knobbe

Iowa County Recorders Association, Inc.: Rita Vargas

Iowa County Engineers Association: **Angela Kersten** Iowa Community Services Association: **Lori Elam** 

County Conservation Directors Association of Iowa: Roger Kean Iowa Environmental Health Association, Inc.: Parker Prochaska

Iowa Counties Public Health Association: Amy Thoreson

County Zoning Officials of Iowa: Greg Schaapveld

Iowa Counties Information Technology Organization: **Matt Hirst**Iowa Association of County Commissioners and Veterans Service Officers, Inc.: **Benjamin Enlow** (169-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) The Scott County Board of Supervisors approves for payment all warrants numbered 341620 through 341928 as submitted and prepared for payment by the County Auditor, in the total amount of \$1,077,768.67. 2) The Scott County Board of Supervisors approves for payment all EFT payments as submitted and prepared for payment by the County Auditor, in the total amount of \$2,755.36. 3) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (170-2025)

A motion to approve the Class C Retail Alcohol License for Valley Inn, 24575 Valley Drive, Pleasant Valley.

A motion to approve the Class B Retail Alcohol License for Kwik Star #1071, 13888 – 118<sup>th</sup> Ave, Davenport.

Moved by Dickson, seconded by Beck that the following resolution (171-2025) be approved. All Ayes.

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the Scott County Youth Justice and Rehabilitation Center will enter into a contract with Muscatine County to provide one (1) guaranteed juvenile detention bed per day at a rate of \$285 per day. 2) This resolution shall take effect on August 14, 2025.

Moved by Dickson, seconded by Beck that the following resolution (172-2025) be approved. Roll Call: Four Ayes with Bribriesco voting Nay.

Supervisor Bribriesco spoke on the quickness of the contract and that she believes well paid county employees would perform better than contractors.

Supervisor Maxwell spoke on the pros of hiring out and cons of constant short staffing. He also reviewed the decision is not made lightly.

Supervisor Beck spoke on Custodial services being one of the most difficult services to hire.

Supervisor Dickson spoke on the difficulties of recruitment and retention. She also reviewed the decision is not taken lightly.

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the five-year contract for custodial services with FBG Facility Services is hereby approved in the amount of \$2,771,708.31. 2) That payment for services will be made on a monthly basis. 3) That the Director of Facility & Support Services is authorized to sign the contract. 4) This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Moved by Beck, seconded by Dickson that the following resolution (173-2025) be approved. All Ayes.

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the Jail contract with Community Health Care, Inc., for mental health services is hereby approved as presented. 2) That Board Chair John Maxwell is hereby authorized to sign said contract. 3) This resolution shall take effect immediately.

County Administrator Mahesh Sharma spoke on a program and funding for lead abatement; a grant possibility of \$4,000,000 or \$1,000,000 per year for four years is available with a ten percent match. Davenport promised \$40,000, Live Lead Free promised \$20,000, that leaves a request of \$40,000 from Scott County if Supervisors would be interested. He also reviewed continued work on the space study and soliciting quotes for the third floor of the courthouse. He also spoke on an article on the MEDIC transition and an upcoming ISAC Conference. He also conducted a Department Head meeting, spoke at the new Employee orientation and attended the Jail Volunteer reception. He attended a QC Chamber annual meeting that included a presentation by Lisa Shimkat from the U.S. Small Business Administration. He presented updates on projects at YJRC, the Courthouse and Jail, and spoke on the future of the roof at the Warehouse. He reviewed that Secondary Roads projects are progressing, the FSS pool fleet van will be on the next agenda with more information, property tax mailings went out, and gave an update on the Community Services Debit Card program. He then presented a video created by Community Health Consultant Mariah Benson catching highlights of participation in Corporate Games. He reviewed 15 departments and a total of 110 employees participated; the county placed 5<sup>th</sup> out of 13 teams in Division one.

Supervisor Beck spoke on the disability region and a 28E agreement coming to the Board next cycle. He also reviewed meetings with the Waste Commission, Ports of Eastern Iowa, Bettendorf Intergovernmental, RIADA needs a new chairperson, and the Jail Volunteer Reception.

Supervisor Dickson spoke on Bettendorf Intergovernmental and the Jail Volunteer Reception.

Supervisor Paustian spoke on the Lower Cedar Water shed and a tour of a new swale.

Supervisor Bribriesco spoke on CASI and the closing of Jane's Place.

Supervisor Maxwell spoke on Roadside Vegetative Management, reviewing the FSS van on the next cycle and Bettendorf Intergovernmental.

Moved by Bribriesco, seconded by Paustian at 5:50 p.m. a motion to adjourn. All Ayes.

John Maxwell,	Chair of the Board
Scott County E	Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: Kerri Tompkins Scott County Auditor

A video recording of the meeting is available on the Scott County website at: https://www.scottcountyiowa.gov/board/board-meetings.