

MINUTES OF THE ALLAMAKEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2023

Board members present: Byrnes, Keatley, and Reiser. All members voting "AYE" unless noted.

Meeting called to order by Auditor Beyer, followed by Pledge of Allegiance. Beyer asked for a motion to appoint 2023 Chairperson and Chairperson Pro-Tem.

23.001-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to appoint Dan Byrnes as Chairperson of Board of Supervisors for 2023. Motion carried.

23.002-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to appoint Mark Reiser as Chairperson Pro Tem for 2023. Motion carried.

Chairperson Byrnes took over as Chair for the remainder of the meeting.

23.003-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to approve today's agenda and minutes from December 27, 2022 meeting. Motion carried.

The following people were present at various times throughout the meeting in person or via Zoom: Joseph Moses – Standard newspaper, Denise Beyer – Auditor and Clerk to Supervisors, Jenny O'Neill, Mary Keatley, Val Reinke, Michael Coyle, Darin Svenson, Amy Bresnahan, Mike Hohenbrink, Clark Mellick, Corey Snitker, Jane Regan, Brian Ridenour.

Public Comment: Michael Coyle gave update on change from city to county hospital and asked for Attorney Gericke to check in with the hospital attorney. Val Reinke commented on recent and upcoming community events.

23.004-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley for Board of Supervisors to meet on Mondays at 9:30 a.m. in 2023 with the first 10 minutes for Public Comment time. Motion carried.

Supervisors reviewed the list of Board/Commission appointments.

23.005-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to appoint Board of Supervisors as members to boards/commissions/committees as follows –

Dan Byrnes – Chairperson; Allamakee County E911 Board; Allamakee County Revolving Loan Fund; Allamakee County Board of Health; Allamakee County Substance Abuse Board; Iowa Workforce Development Chief Elected Officials Board; Northeast Iowa Community Action Executive Board; Northeast Iowa Community Action Transit Board; Northeast Iowa Area Agency on Aging; Regional Upper Explorerland Revolving Loan Fund; Upper Explorerland Regional Housing Authority Board; **Alternate for** the following: Emergency Management Commission; Northeast Iowa Juvenile Detention Board; T-21 DOT Policy Board; and County Social Services Board of Directors;

Mark Reiser – Chairperson Pro-Tem; Courthouse; Allamakee County Farm; Allamakee County Conservation Board; 28E Board; DECAT Empowerment; Northeast Iowa Behavioral Health Board; Northeast Iowa Response Group; T-21 Advisory Board; Northeast Iowa Regional Housing Trust Fund; **Alternate for** – Emergency Management Commission; and Board of Directors of Judicial District Department of Corrections;

Dennis Keatley – Northeast Iowa Juvenile Detention Board; County Social Services Board of Directors; Resource, Conservation & Development Board (RC&D); Board of Directors of Judicial District Department of Corrections; Allamakee County Economic Development Executive Board; T-21 DOT Policy Board; Emergency Management Commission; Upper Explorerland Regional

Planning Commission; Upper Explorerland Regional Planning Commission Executive Board;
Alternate for - Northeast Iowa Regional Housing Trust Fund.

All Board members represented on the following Boards/Commissions/Committees – Allamakee County Conference Board, Allamakee County Economic Development, Roadside Management, Allamakee County Planning & Zoning Board, Allamakee County Solid Waste; Allamakee County Historical Society. Motion carried.

23.006-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to approve claim due dates/pay dates and payroll dates for 2023. Motion carried.

23.007-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to name the Postville Herald and Waukon Standard as official newspapers of Allamakee County for 2023. Motion carried.

23.008-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to approve resolution to set mileage rate for 2023 at \$0.50/mile. Roll call: Reiser-aye; Byrnes-aye; Keatley-aye. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION 23.008
SETTING 2023 MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT RATE
FOR ALLAMAKEE COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Allamakee County Supervisors approve reimbursement for mileage for use of a personal vehicle for work-related travel; and

WHEREAS, the Allamakee County Employee Handbook adopted on May 16, 2016 states in Section 5.2.3 Automobiles:

A. The amount of the reimbursement for use of a private vehicle on County business shall be established on an annual basis by a resolution adopted by the Allamakee County Board of Supervisors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Allamakee County, Iowa, that the **2023** mileage reimbursement rate be set at 50 (fifty) cents per mile.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 3rd day of January 2023.

ALLAMAKEE COUNTY BOARD
OF SUPERVISORS

Chairman

Attest:

Denise Beyer
Allamakee County Auditor

23.009-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to approve 2023 bounties for coyotes at \$5.00 each and gophers at \$0.50 (fifty cents) a pair for front feet, and feet must be in clear bags with no more than 10 pair per bag. Motion carried.

23.010-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to appoint Corey Snitker as alternate voter for Board of Supervisors on NE Iowa Response Group. Motion carried.

23.011-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to appoint Laurie Moody as Allamakee County's 2023 Weed Commissioner. Motion carried.

23.012-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to approve paying the following: Precinct Election Officials \$15 per training for election trainings; regular PEOs \$175 per day for all elections and precinct Chairpersons \$215 per day for all elections; alternates \$15/training and \$50 on-call pay if they are not called to work; Health Care Facility team \$10/hour; Absentee Board members \$10/hour and Absentee Chairperson \$11/hour with minimum pay of 2 hours for all Absentee Board; plus mileage for all positions. Motion carried.

23.013-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to adopt the Construction Evaluation Resolution/Master Matrix for February 1, 2023 to January 31, 2024 for Allamakee County. Roll call: Reiser-aye; Byrnes-aye; Keatley-aye. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #23.013
CONSTRUCTION EVALUATION RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Iowa Code section 459.304(3) sets out the procedure if a board of supervisors wishes to adopt a “construction evaluation resolution” relating to the construction of a confinement feeding operation structure; and

WHEREAS, only counties that have adopted a construction evaluation resolution can submit to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) an adopted recommendation to approve or disapprove a construction permit application regarding a proposed confinement feeding operation structure; and

WHEREAS, only counties that have adopted a construction evaluation resolution and submitted an adopted recommendation may contest the DNR’s decision regarding a specific application; and

WHEREAS, by adopting a construction evaluation resolution the board of supervisors agrees to evaluate every construction permit application for a proposed confinement feeding operation structure received by the board of supervisors between February 1, 2023 and January 31, 2024 and submit an adopted recommendation regarding that application to the DNR; and

WHEREAS, the board of supervisors must conduct an evaluation of every construction permit application using the master matrix created in Iowa Code section 459.305, but the board’s recommendation to the DNR may be based on the final score on the master matrix or may be based on reasons other than the final score on the master matrix;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF ALLAMAKEE COUNTY that the Board of Supervisors hereby adopts this construction evaluation resolution pursuant to Iowa Code section 459.304(3).

Chair, Board of Supervisors

Date:_____

ATTEST:

County Auditor

Date:_____

23.014-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to approve resolution authorizing Engineer to execute the Certification of Final Completion of Work for all Farm-to-Market and federal or state aid construction projects. Roll Call: Reiser-aye; Byrnes-aye; Keatley-aye. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION 23.014

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Allamakee County, Iowa, that Brian T. Ridenour, the County Engineer of Allamakee County, Iowa, be and is hereby designated, authorized and empowered on behalf of the Board of Supervisors of said County to execute the certification of completion of work and final acceptance thereof in accordance with plans and specifications in connection with all Farm-to-Market and federal or state aid construction projects in this county.

Dated at Waukon, Iowa, this 3rd day of January, 2023.

Board of Supervisors, Allamakee County, Iowa

Dan Byrnes, Chairperson

Dennis Keatley, Board Member

Mark Reiser, Board Member

ATTEST: Denise Beyer, County Auditor

Board appointments were discussed and applications reviewed, except for Upper Explorerland Regional Planning Commission apps – there is a question on how many to appoint. There was only one Conservation Board application, but one Supervisor said someone else is interested and was unaware there was a term expiring. Auditor Beyer explained it has been in the newspaper twice – Dec 7 and 14. No action taken on Conservation Board–Supervisors will talk to County Attorney; nor on UERPC – Auditor Beyer will confirm number of appointments needed. 23.015-Motion Reiser to appoint Jan Ellingson to Board of Health and Gene Averhoff to Board of Adjustments. Motion carried.

23.016-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to approve liquor license renewal for Wings. Motion carried.

23.017-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to accept and place on file the Manure Management Plan update for Saffron LLC. Motion carried.

Jane Regan explained the County’s Work Comp dividend eligibility and calculation. Amount of dividend paid this year is \$34,477. Jane encourages pre-employment physicals so we know the baseline of employee’s loss so the County knows the baseline the employee has to get back to under the Work Comp policy. Engineer Ridenour asked whether any conflict of interest would be perceived if the County uses doctors from the county-owned hospital/clinic for pre-employment physicals - someone will look into this. Regan also mentioned that Veterans Memorial Hospital has their own work comp insurance and their experience mod does not affect or become combined with the county work comp insurance in any way.

Auditor Beyer presented 2022 valuations to Supervisors and compared to 2021 valuations.

Department Head updates: Treasurer Jenny O’Neill reminds people with a CDL instruction permit they need to meet the drive test deadline to avoid the new EDTL training requirements.

Emergency Manager Corey Snitker gave a weather update. Engineer Ridenour gave department and hiring updates. Sheriff Mellick gave department updates, including the late Deputy John Grampovnik getting inducted into the National Law Enforcement Officer's Memorial in Washington D.C. Auditor Beyer has a special election on March 7 for City of Postville hotel-motel tax and budget meetings start next week.

23.018-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to adjourn. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Dan Byrnes, Chairperson

Denise Beyer, Auditor

MINUTES OF THE ALLAMAKEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MONDAY, JANUARY 9, 2023

Board members present: Byrnes, Keatley, and Reiser. All members voting "AYE" unless noted.

Meeting called to order by Byrnes followed by Pledge of Allegiance.

23.019-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to approve today's agenda and minutes from January 3, 2023 meeting. Motion carried.

The following people were present at various times throughout the meeting in person or via Zoom: Joseph Moses – Standard newspaper, Denise Beyer – Auditor and Clerk to Supervisors, Jack Knight, Teresa Severson, Dick Sullivan, Val Reinke, Stephanie Runkle, Jean Ann and William Kern, Heath Hartwigh, Amy Bresnahan, Deana Hageman, Chet and Julia Hollar, Carson Egglund, Ben Krouse-Gagne, Gabby Bizal, Colinne McCann, Kathy Schwartzhoff, Rick Jones, Richard Wild, Todd Wild, Ken Reiser, Duane Leppert, Keith Bresnahan, Laurie Moody, Tony Gericke, Jill Kistler, Brian Ridenour, Clark Mellick, Chris Fee, Mandy O'Neill, Jim Pladsen, Maynard Johnson, Shawn Ramler – Martin Equipment; Jared Buckska – Ziegler Cat.

Public Comment: Jack Knight commented on CRP applications and preserving cropland. Ann Burckart asked Supervisors about GIS budget meeting and notified them of January 25 meeting at 1:00pm for Assessor's Conference Board. Val Reinke updated on upcoming meetings/events.

Kathy Schwartzhoff from Youth Mentoring and Helping Services presented statistics and activities regarding Youth Mentoring in Allamakee County and Northeast Iowa. Colinne McCann read the proclamation and asked Supervisors to make proclamation.

23.020-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to proclaim January 2023 as National Mentoring Month in Allamakee County. Motion carried.

Carson Egglund presented the FY24 funding request for Helping Services and thanked Supervisors for their past and future support.

Deana Hageman with RSVP, Retired and Senior Volunteer Program, thanked Supervisors for their past support, explained the program and presented the FY24 funding request.

County Treasurer Jenny O'Neill presented the Semi-Annual Treasurer report for approval.

23.021-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to approve the Semi-Annual Treasurer's report. Motion carried.

23.022-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to accept and place on file quarterly report for Recorder. Motion carried.

23.023-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to appoint Jeannie Carrol to Conservation Board and Fern Rissman to the Upper Explorerland Regional Planning Commission. Motion carried.

Stephanie Runkle presented the subdivision plat for Richard A Bennett Trust that was tabled 3 weeks ago. Byrnes read a petition with several signatures regarding concern with loss of farmland to residential parcels and asking Supervisors to stop approval of farmland to residential developments; Byrnes also read a letter from Dick Sullivan regarding the development of land according to the current ordinances and subdivisions. Attorney Gericke spoke to Iowa Code related to this issue and stated that historically when the processes have been followed then the plats have been approved, but Supervisors are not required to approve them. Those present were given an opportunity to share comments in favor or against this plat being approved. Topics

discussed against the approval included concerns about the amount of farmland being developed as housing subdivisions and how it could affect land values for future generations if realtors/ investors/developers lead prices too high and farmers cannot afford to compete with those higher prices; visibility at entrance to these properties; reference to the Comprehensive Plan statements specific to preserving farmland; losing prime crop ground in this area of the county; businesses in town related to farming and the long term effect on them if we keep taking farmland.

Comments in favor of the plat included that everything required for this plat has been done according to current ordinance to get this approved and if rules and regulations are going to be changed at this point that is not a good way to do things; Engineer and E-911 have reviewed the property and approved safe access for emergency vehicles; Jack Knight and Jim Pladsen stated the due diligence process has been followed, public comments heard by P&Z Board and it complies with the ordinance, which are the things they base their decision on; Knight stated preservation of farmland just came to a head with this particular application; Comprehensive Plan covers both preserving farmland and housing needs in the county; personal property rights and this plat has gone through all the steps and procedures in effect at this time.

P&Z is in process of addressing any changes needed to the Zoning Ordinance. Jim Pladsen invited anyone interested to the next P&Z meeting. Knight asked Attorney Gericke how much latitude the P&Z Commission has in regard to the Comprehensive Plan in making decisions.

23.024-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to approve the resolution of acceptance of final subdivision plat for Richard A. Bennett Trust. Roll call: Reiser-nay; Byrnes-aye; and Keatley-aye. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #23.024

RESOLUTION OF ACCEPTANCE OF FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT of Richard A Bennett Trust

WHEREAS, Richard A Bennett Trust, owner(s) as of the January 9, 2023 has submitted the attached Final Plat and supporting documents representing:

PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER (NW1/4-SE1/4) AND PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER; ALL IN SECTION 3, TOWNSHIP 99 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST OF THE FIFTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ALLAMAKEE COUNTY, IOWA.; and

WHEREAS, the Subdivision to be created is located within Allamakee County, Iowa; and

WHEREAS, the owners have now requested that Allamakee County certify its approval of the final Plat of the Subdivision pursuant to Chapter 354 of the Code of Iowa and pursuant to the County's subdivision requirements found in Chapter 7 of its Ordinances.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Allamakee County Board of Supervisors at a regular meeting assembled on January 9, 2023:

That the final subdivision plat submitted by Richard A Bennett Trust, Allamakee County, Iowa, and described as: (See above) is found to be in conformity with Allamakee County's Comprehensive Plan, having given consideration to its possible burden on public improvements and to the balance of interest between the proprietor, future purchasers and the public interest, and is approved and accepted by the Board of Supervisors in and for Allamakee County, Iowa.

The final Subdivision Plat and attachments are in conformance with the subdivision platting requirements, of the Code of Iowa and the Subdivision Ordinances of Allamakee County, Iowa,

with the exception of waiving the requirement of a Performance Bond for improvements and installations.

The Chairperson of the Board of Supervisors is hereby authorized and directed to endorse the Board's recommendation of approval by certifying a copy of this Resolution for recording with said Plat and supporting documents in the Offices of the County Recorder and the County Auditor of Allamakee County, Iowa.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS January 9, 2023.

ATTEST:

Chairperson

County Auditor

Memorandum of Understanding was tabled until ready.

23.025-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to transfer \$8,473.94 from General Basic to Secondary Roads and \$97,680.54 from Rural Basic to Secondary Roads. Motion carried.

Engineer Ridenour asked permission to use county credit card.

23.026-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to approve use of county credit card by County Engineer for purchases of approximately \$100. Motion carried.

Shawn Ramler (Martin Eqpmt) and Jarod Bucksa (Ziegler) were present for quotes for a motor grader. Zeigler/Cat has projected 1-year delivery date and Martin/Deere about 7-8 months. Engineer Ridenour and equipment reps discussed price increases in quotes for motor graders compared to a year ago, and fuel usage. Ridenour recommends AWD, but would be happy with a tandem due to price increases.

23.027-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to approve quote for Cat 140AWD motor grader at \$287,400 after trade-in. Motion carried.

Engineer Ridenour asked BOS to set letting date for English Bench Site 9 watershed and reviewed the project history. The project was bid last summer, but was too high and rejected.

23.028-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to set February 6 at 10am as letting date for English Bench #9 Watershed Project. Motion carried.

Department Head updates: Sheriff Mellick gave department update. Engineer Ridenour gave update on the drying out of office after waterline froze at his office building. Reiser mentioned a question about a dry hydrant in Volney area. Auditor Beyer gave department update.

Board recessed for lunch and returned at 1:00p.m. for budget work sessions with department heads until approximately 4:00p.m.

23.029-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to adjourn. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Dan Byrnes, Chairperson

Denise Beyer, Auditor

MINUTES OF THE ALLAMAKEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 10, 2023

Board members present: Byrnes, Keatley, and Reiser. All members voting “AYE” unless noted.

Board and Auditor Beyer met from approximately 1 p.m. – 4 p.m. with department heads to discuss their budget proposals for FY24. No action taken.

Attest:

Dan Byrnes, Chairperson

Denise Beyer, Auditor

MINUTES OF THE ALLAMAKEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11, 2023

Board members present: Byrnes, Keatley, and Reiser. All members voting “AYE” unless noted.

Board and Auditor Beyer met from approximately 10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. with department heads to discuss their budget proposals for FY24. No action taken.

Attest:

Dan Byrnes, Chairperson

Denise Beyer, Auditor

MINUTES OF THE ALLAMAKEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2023

Board members present: Byrnes, Keatley, and Reiser. All members voting "AYE" unless noted.

Meeting called to order by Byrnes followed by Pledge of Allegiance.

23.030-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to approve today's agenda and minutes from January 9, 10 and 11, 2023 meeting. Motion carried.

The following people were present at various times throughout the meeting in person or via Zoom: Joseph Moses – Standard newspaper, Denise Beyer – Auditor and Clerk to Supervisors, Jack Knight, Val Reinke, Trisha Wilkins, Amy Bresnahan, Clark Mellick, Stephanie Runkle, Jim Janett, Ross Geerdes, Chris Fee, Andy Kelleher, Jordan Bacon, Brian Ridenour.

Public Comment: Val Reinke updated on ACCF grant application process opening and other upcoming events and meetings.

Trisha Wilkins, CEO of NE Iowa Community Action Corp, presented data and programs available through NEICAC. Wilkins explained that COVID funds have made it possible to provide more services/assistance to more people, but funds are beginning to return to pre-COVID funding levels. Wilkins also made a FY24 funding request.

Paul Berland, Executive Director of NE Iowa RC & D, thanked Supervisors for past contributions and explained the services and assistance RC&D offers. Berland made FY24 funding request.

Andy Kelleher presented round 2 façade program grant applications. After first round awards, there is \$7,163.88 left to award of the total \$50,000 the County committed to this program. The recommendation is to award Town Theater in Waukon \$5,000 and Bodensteiner LBD properties building in downtown Waukon \$2,163.88. Total to be spent by these 2 entities for these two projects would be almost \$50,000, including the award amounts.

23.031-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to approve the 2 façade grant program awards for Town Theater and Bodensteiner LBD Properties. Motion carried.

Kelleher made FY24 request of \$4,000 for Main Street Lansing.

Jordan Bacon proposed putting a dry hydrant in Volney – they have had two significant fires in the past year and it is difficult to keep up with water supply hauling it from town. Dry hydrant would help with this issue. Discussion included fire department involvement, county providing excavator, snow removal to keep it accessible, impact on recreation in the area, Engineer Ridenour provided fire district maps, Conservation Board has to give the final approval, and Conservation Board would need to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding agreement with the fire districts. Janett suggested a meeting with Monona Fire Department. Bacon will contact the Monona Fire Department to get on the next Conservation Board agenda.

Sheriff Mellick presented a Memorandum of Understanding for signature covering issues related to the hiring of Jarrod Olson who previously worked in Conservation Dpt. The MOU addresses seniority, FMLA benefits, sick leave carry over and years of service for vacation purposes.

23.032-Motion Reiser/Second Byrnes to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between Sheriff's Office, Teamsters Union #238 and Jarrod Olson. Motion carried.

23.033-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to accept and place on file quarterly reports for Planning & Zoning and Relief offices. Motion carried.

23.034-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to accept and place on file Manure Management Plan update for Scott Sanness. Motion carried.

23.035-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to approve and sign the 2022 Allamakee County Historical Preservation Commission Annual report. Motion carried.

23.036-Motion Reiser/Second Keatley to approve resolution to obligate \$40,000 of ARPA funds to Historical Society genealogy lab remodel. Roll call: Reiser-aye; Byrnes-aye; Keatley-aye. Motion carried.

Resolution 23.036

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE DISBURSEMENT OF FUNDS FOR THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2021, President Biden signed the 1.9 trillion-dollar American Rescue Plan Act and, **WHEREAS**, Allamakee County has applied for and has been estimated to receive funds for the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) totaling \$2,658,540; with first half amount of \$1,329,270 received in December 2021 and second half \$1,329,270 received in December 2022;

WHEREAS, based on the distribution guidelines from the US Department of Treasury, allowing up to \$10 million of ARPA funds to be used as Lost Revenue, and thus used for any item that would normally be budgeted for, the following projects have been approved for the use of said funds:

- Allamakee County Historical Society remodeling project on lower level at Vet’s Club building for genealogy lab - not to exceed **\$40,000**

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Allamakee County Board of Supervisors endorses the disbursement of American Rescue Plan Act Funds for the items listed and authorizes the Auditor to make these payments as they are presented.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 17th day of January, 2023.

Dan Byrnes, Chairman
Allamakee County Board of Supervisors

Mark Reiser, Supervisor

Dennis Keatley, Supervisor

Attest: _____
Denise Beyer, Allamakee County Auditor

Department Head updates: Sheriff Mellick gave update on snow expected later this week and on water project and generator at Safety Center. Engineer Ridenour commented on the areas his department can help with in relation to a generator. Mellick also gave department update. Ridenour gave department update and gearing up for the snow forecast on Wednesday night into Thursday, status of new hire approval and handout for updates regarding all-systems overweight permits for commercial and farm vehicles which Allamakee County is not part of. Auditor Beyer gave department update and discussed budget schedule.

Board moved into budget work sessions with department heads until approximately 12:30p.m.

23.037-Motion Keatley/Second Reiser to adjourn. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Dan Byrnes, Chairperson

Denise Beyer, Auditor