

January 31, 2022

The Bremer County Board of Supervisors met in session on Monday, January 31, 2022 in the Courthouse, Waverly, Iowa, at 9:00 a.m. Hildebrandt, Neil, Kammeyer present. Kassandra Johansen, Finance Director, also present. Unless otherwise noted all actions were approved unanimously. Some Resolutions and Ordinances herein are summary descriptions, full text is available for viewing M – F 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM in the Bremer County Auditor’s office and online at: https://www.bremercounty.iowa.gov/government/resolutions_and_ordinances.php

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Hildebrandt. Kammeyer moved/Neil second to approve the agenda.

Public comment: Joe Teetzen spoke of concern for the federal compliance mandate Waverly Hospital and the like are facing by not being able to bill Medicare & Medicaid for services if their workers are not vaccinated.

Danny Buls entered.

Board met with Kassandra Johansen, Finance Director, for a FY23 Budget work session. Discussion was held amongst the board and with Buls on funding for the fair, use of LOSST funds and American Rescue Plan Act funds.

Neil moved/Kammeyer second to approve the 1/24/22 minutes.

Kammeyer moved/Neil second to approve claims to Weld Co. Sheriff, \$11.50 for a subpoena deposit & Winbrook Inc., \$525 for N95 masks and authorize Auditor to issue checks.

Neil moved/Kammeyer second to approve step increase payroll changes effective 1/30/22 for Jailers Deannlyn Leistikow & Eldina Musedinovic, from \$21.99/hr. to \$22.92/hr., and Hunter Saul, Dispatcher, from \$21.40/hr. to \$22.68/hr.

Board/Committee updates: Neil attended Northeast Iowa Community Action board meeting and a zoom meeting with the county’s financial consultant; Hildebrandt attended Mental Health & Disability Services of the East Central Region board meeting; Kammeyer attended Workforce Development board meeting.

Board met with Landon Moore, Engineer, for a weekly Secondary Roads department update.

Board continued FY23 budget work session. Neil moved/Kammeyer second to set 9:00 a.m. 2/22/22 for a Public Hearing on FY23 budget maximum property tax dollars for general county services and rural county services.

Neil moved/Kammeyer second to set 11:00 a.m. on 2/7/22 for a public hearing on proposed Plan 1 Bremer County Supervisor Redistricting boundaries drawn by the Iowa Legislative Services Agency pursuant to Iowa Code section 331.210A.

Board discussed Local Option Sales and Services Tax ballot language.

Board discussed Emergency Medical Services as an essential service and making appointments to the Emergency Medical Services System Advisory Council.

Kammeyer moved/Neil second to adjourn at 11:25 a.m.

The above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes and proceedings of a regular session of the January 31, 2022 meeting of the Bremer County Board of Supervisors.

Dewey Hildebrandt, Chairman

Attest: _____
Shelley Wolf, Auditor