

The Iowa County Board of Supervisors met on November 21, 2025. Heitshusen, Chairman called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Members present are Heitshusen, Montross, Maas, Meyer, and Degen via phone.

Motion by Montross, seconded by Maas to **approve** the agenda. All aye, motion carried.

Motion by Maas, seconded by Montross to **approve** the minutes from November 14, 2025. All aye, motion carried.

Motion by Montross, seconded by Degen to **approve the minutes** from November 18, 2025. Montross, Degen, and Heitshusen – aye. Maas and Meyer abstained. Motion carried.

Chair Notes: The board approved handwritten claims paid with warrant numbers 43003-43141 and 43307-43310. Board approved payroll paid with warrant numbers 43142-43306.

Nick Amelon, County Engineer, met with the board and discussed Construction, Road Maintenance, office miscellaneous, and consideration of purchasing land for sale in Marengo.

Motion by Maas, seconded by Montross to **go into closed session under Iowa Code Section 21.5 (j) at 9:30 a.m. to discuss the possibility of purchasing property.** Roll Call Vote: Heitshusen – yes, Maas – yes, Montross – yes, Degen – yes, and Meyer – yes. Motion Carried.

The board came out of closed session at 9:38 a.m. Those present for closed session were Heitshusen, Degen – via phone, Montross, Maas, Meyer, Nick Amelon, County Engineer, and Kristen Miller, Clerk. No one entered or left the room during the closed session.

Motion by Maas, second by Montross **to allow the Engineer to make an offer on the parcel** as discussed in closed session. All aye, motion carried.

Adam Rabe, Ambulance Director, met with the board to update them on the ambulance department.

The board recessed from 9:51 a.m. until 10:00 a.m.

Becky Fry, Transportation Director, met with the board to update them on the transportation department.

Motion by Maas, seconded by Montross to **approve the FY 25 Cost Allocation Plan.** All aye, motion carried.

Haley Nichols, Statewide Interoperability Coordinator, Fran Cueva, Motorola Solutions, and Todd Ritchie, Motorola Solutions met with the board to discuss Radio System Options.

Motion by Montross, seconded by Meyer to go with the Raycom Refresh Radio System. Meyer, Montross, Degen, and Heitshusen – aye. Maas – Nay. Motion carried.

Motion by Montross, seconded by Maas to **adjourn** at 11:10 p.m. All aye, motion carried.

Kevin Heitshusen, Chairperson

Brandy Enochson, Auditor

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