

Courthouse
Emmetsburg, Iowa
July 19, 2022, 8:00 a.m.

The Palo Alto County Board of Supervisors met in regular session. Members present: Keith Wirtz, Chair; Ronald Graettinger, Roger Faulstick, Craig Merrill, Linus Solberg. Present: DelRay Bredehoeft, Jan Bredehoeft, Rob Allen, County Conservation, Ray Grandstaff, Jim Neighbors, Sharon Neighbors, Carla Larson

Unless otherwise indicated, all of the motions offered at this meeting were carried with the following vote: Ayes: Graettinger, Faulstick, Merrill, Wirtz, Solberg. Nays: None. Abstentions: None.

Motion by Graettinger, 2nd by Solberg to approve the agenda for July 19, 2022. Motion Carried.

Motion by Merrill, 2nd by Graettinger to approve the minutes for July 12, 2022. Motion Carried.

Lois Naig, Assessor, met with the Board to present the homestead, military & disabled veterans applications. Motion by Solberg, 2nd by Faulstick to approve the homestead, military & disable veterans applications for 2022. Motion Carried.

Rob Allen, Conservation Director, met with the Board. Rob requested to appoint Jeff Reichert to the Conservation Board. Motion by Faulstick, 2nd by Merrill to appoint Jeff Reichert to the Conservation Board to fill the unexpired term till December 2025. Ayes: Faulstick, Merrill, Graettinger, Wirtz Nays: Solberg Motion Carried.

Aletha King, Solid Waste, met with the Board to report on the scale inspection at the Transfer Station.

The following were present for public comment: Carla Larson, DelRay Bredehoeft and Jim Neighbors

John Hansen, Midwest Construction Consultants, met with the Board to give a update on the progress of construction of the Public Safety Building and replacement of the parking lot. Motion by Solberg, seconded by Faulstick to approve the July pay application.

John King, Deputy Sheriff, met with the Board.

Motion by Solberg 2nd by Graettinger to approve hiring Doug Drost as part time sheriff deputy at \$31.32 per hour effective July 22, 2022. Motion Carried.

Motion by Merrill, 2nd by Graettinger to approve the septic grant application for Rosemary Lind. Motion Carried.

Committee Reports: Faulstick-Insurance; Solberg-Recycling and Drainage; Wirtz Raccoon Watershed

Motion by Faulstick seconded by Graettinger to adjourn. Motion Carried.

Keith Wirtz, Chairman

Jordan Morey, Auditor Clerk