Courthouse
Emmetsburg, Iowa
July 28, 2026, 8:00 a.m.

The Palo Alto County Board of Supervisors met in regular session. Members present: Linus Solberg, Chair; Keith Wirtz, Ron Graettinger, Roger Faulstick. Absent: Craig Merrill.

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

Linus Solberg, Chair, called the meeting to order and lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Graettinger, 2nd by Faulstick to approve the agenda for July 28, 2026, with addition of septic grant application. Motion Carried.

Motion by Faulstick, 2nd by Wirtz to approve the minutes for July 21, 2026. Motion Carried.

Motion by Graettinger, 2nd by Wirtz to approve $5,000 to Gregory Egland for completion of septic grant. Motion Carried.

Jodi Jergens, County Assessor, met with the Board to present the homestead and military applications for 2026.

Motion by Graettinger, 2nd by Wirtz to approve the 2026 homestead and military applications. Motion carried.

Committee Reports: Roger—ISAC IT assessment.

No one was present for public comment.

Motion by Wirtz, 2nd by Faulstick to approve the updated Policy for Disclosure of Security Related Information effective July 28, 2026. Motion Carried.

Motion by Faulstick, 2nd by Graettinger to approve the county claims and drainage claims for July 28, 2026. Motion Carried.

General Basic Fund

Amazon Capital Services	Stationery/Forms/Gen Ofc	557.56
Axon Enterprise, Inc.	Safety Items	5000.00
Canon	Office & Data Processing	245.64
Cerro Gordo Co Sheriff	Legal/Ct-Related Ser/Tran	32.84
Copper Cottage	System Building&Sustainab	3925.00
Del's Garden Center	Permanent Landscaping	424.00
E.M.U.	utilities	969.47
Emmetsburg Publishing Co.	Stationery/Forms/Gen Ofc	222.56
Farm & Home Publishers	Official Pub & Legal Noti	577.00
GALLS, LLC	Wearing Apparel & Uniform	32.74
Henry-Olson Funeral Homes	Funeral Services	2200.00
Hinders,Updegraff&FranklinPLC	Consultants	1032.50
IA Lakes Electric Coop	Electric Light & Power	892.00
Iowa Lakes Regional Water	Water & Sewer	534.80
IA Law Enforcement Academy	Education/Training/Hotel	375.00
IA State Assn of Counties	Education/Training/Hotel	550.00
Intoximeters Inc	Legal/Ct-Related Ser/Tran	135.00
K & W Electric, Inc.	Electrical Supp.& Parts	309.35
KRISTAT AUTO PARTS LLC	Minor Equip & Hand Tools	16.41
Loffler Companies - 131511	Office & Data Processing	216.53
MEDIACOM LLC	Telecommunications Serv.-	266.94
MidAmerican Energy	electricity	3747.04
Midwestern Mechanical, INC	System Building&Sustainab	525.00
Northwest Communications	Telecommunications Serv.-	249.90

PAJICTUCKPOINTING LLC	Buildings	5240.00
Palo Alto Co Comm Health Ser	Board of Health	315.24
Palo Alto County Treasurer	Planning/Mngmnt Consultan	24.34
Parallel Ag	Minor Equip & Hand Tools	129.91
Plymouth County Sheriff	Legal/Ct-Related Ser/Tran	41.00
Professional Office Services	Postage & Mailing	426.15
Quill Corporation	Equipment	81.98
Solutions Inc, Harris Local Go	services	294.75
Spencer Office Supplies JCL So	Stationery/Forms/Gen Ofc	924.21
Swanson Hardware	Minor Equip & Hand Tools	56.24
VISA	Fuels	1537.33
Visual Edge IT Veit LLC	Office Equip & Furniture	815.86
Webster County Sheriff	Legal/Ct-Related Ser/Tran	18.00
Windstream	phone	3487.51
Wolfe Ridge MFG	Operating/Construction Eq	4412.00
General Supplemental Fund		
E.M.U.	utilities	94.51
MidAmerican Energy	electricity	43.90
Jail Special Revenue Fund		
MEDIACOM LLC	Protection/Security Serv.	263.10
Rural Services Basic Fund		
Bomgaars	Sanitation & Disposal Ser	594.90
Dakota Fluid Power Branch 10	Equipment	1712.27
Palo Alto Co Sec Road	Fuels	895.98
River Valley Telecommunication	Telecommunications Serv.-	108.30
Special Revenue-SheriffReserve		
Axon Enterprise, Inc.	Education/Training/Hotel	503.99
Secondary Road Fund		
Alliant Energy	Engineering Services	179.74
Amazon Capital Services	Engineering Services	1399.21
Ascentek, Inc	Engineering Services	2595.29
Bauer Plumbing & Heating Inc.	Engineering Services	230.00
BLACKSTRAP, INC.	Engineering Services	4473.42
Bomgaars	Engineering Services	784.98
Carroll Construction Supply Ac	Engineering Services	412.31
Cintas	Engineering Services	123.24
Dynamic IoT Data	Engineering Services	11763.50
E.M.U.	Engineering Services	245.70
Erpelding Exc. Enterprise	Engineering Services	44640.08
City of Fort Dodge	Engineering Services	2970.00
Graettinger Hardware	Engineering Services	141.84
Hubbell Truck & Ag Services	Engineering Services	247.00
IA Dept of Transportation	Engineering Services	436.95
IA Lakes Electric Coop	Engineering Services	449.56
ICEOO Treasurer % Ginnie Heron	Engineering Services	550.00
Jack's OK Tire	Engineering Services	1439.85
K.C. Nielsen Ltd	Engineering Services	58.80
KRISTAT AUTO PARTS LLC	Engineering Services	1697.68
Larry Lair Excavating, Inc	Engineering Services	186.08
Lawson Products Inc	Engineering Services	437.12
Martin Marietta Agg	Engineering Services	534.81
MEDIACOM LLC	Engineering Services	59.28
MidAmerican Energy	Engineering Services	227.17
Midstates Equipment	Engineering Services	1253.15
New Century FS	Engineering Services	26120.05
Northern Safety Co., Inc.	Engineering Services	467.05
NUSS TRUCK & EQUIPMENT	Engineering Services	3796.52

Palo Alto Co Auditor	Engineering Services	33.38
Palo Alto Co Health System	Engineering Services	311.00
Palo Alto County Treasurer	Engineering Services	250.00
Picrays Welding & Fab.	Engineering Services	133.48
SERVPRO OF SPENCER & LAKES	Engineering Services	450.00
Trick-Tools.Com Div of Van San	Engineering Services	290.37
Unity Point -ST Lukes	Engineering Services	84.00
Visual Edge IT Veit LLC	Engineering Services	745.57
Wessels Oil Co Inc	Engineering Services	1329.52
City of West Bend	Engineering Services	108.76
Ziegler Inc	Engineering Services	149.88
Emergency Mgmnt Agency		
Emmetsburg Ford	Parts	80.41
E911 Surcharge Fund		
Ayrshire Farmers Mut Telephone	Engineering Services	158.99
Century Link	Engineering Services	67.90
Northwest Communications	Engineering Services	158.99
Solutions Inc, Harris Local Go	services	695.44
Windstream	phone	80.44
WINDSTREAM IA Comm Inc	phone	161.51

Drainage Claims

Bolton & Menk, Inc.	DD Jt 1 Main 141-IDALS	4470.00
Bolton & Menk, Inc.	DD Jt 22-IDALS	4018.75
Bolton & Menk, Inc.	DD 61 Br B&B1- IDALS	2302.50
Bolton & Menk, Inc.	DD 83 Main-IDALS	2527.50
Bolton & Menk, Inc.	DD 923 Lat L-IDALS	767.50
Bolton & Menk, Inc.	DD 95 Main-IDALS	1140.00
KENT MALM	DD 50 Main-Inspection	40.00
Myer Tile & Backhoe, LLC	DD 50 Main-Repair	5282.50

Motion by Graettinger, 2nd by Faulstick to adjourn. Motion Carried.

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Linus Solberg, Chairman Carmen Moser, Auditor