

**KEOKUK COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS
JANUARY 5, 2026**

The Keokuk County Board of Supervisors met in regular session, Monday, January 5, 2026, in the Board Room of the Courthouse. Present were Michael C. Hadley, Daryl Wood, Kevin Weber and Christy Bates, County Auditor.

Weber moved, Wood seconded to approve the agenda as submitted. All ayes and motion carried. Also present was Casey Jarmes, News-Review.

Wood moved, Weber seconded to approve the minutes of December 29, 2025 as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Met with Casey Clarahan, Assistant to the Engineer, regarding the Keokuk County Highway Department. Crews are currently cutting brush and working on projects inside the building.

Weber moved, Wood seconded approval of resolution naming county employees to issue and sign special permits for vehicles of excessive size and weight for the county as submitted. All ayes and motion carried. Named are Andrew McGuire, Casey Clarahan and Ruth Manchester.

Wood moved, Weber seconded approval of resolution naming county employees to temporary closing of roadways as submitted. All ayes and motion carried. Named are Andrew McGuire and Casey Clarahan.

Weber moved, Wood seconded approval of January 5, 2026 claims listing as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

CLAIM DATE: January 5, 2026

AGRILAND FS	5,297.88	LENOVO (UNITES STATES)	1,455.56
AHLERS & COONEY	800.00	LINN CO AUDITOR	503.66
ALL AM PEST CONTROL	45.00	LISCO/LTDS	133.00
ALLIANT ENERGY	8,605.83	LUJAN, KATIE	4,594.40
ALTORFER MACHINERY	8,002.07	MAHASKA CO ENVIRON	3,975.00
AMAZON CAPITAL SERV	1,872.79	MAHASKA COMM GROUP	94.99
ARNOLD MOTOR SUPPLY	2,055.59	MAIL SERVICES	467.72
ASCENDANCE TRUCK MIDWEST	420.17	MANCHESTER, RUTH I	30.00
ATWOOD ELECTRIC	553.41	MARTINS FLAG CO	3,237.98
BAILEY OFFICE	1,102.77	MESSERSCHMITT, LAVADA	115.96
BOND, RICHARD	36.53	MID-AMERICA PUB CO	294.84
BROADWAY SERVICE CTR	21.00	MID-AMERICAN RESEARCH	587.63
CALHOUN-BURNS & ASSOC	3,083.00	MMIT	245.60
CENTRAL IA DIST	361.00	MOSE LEVY CO	1,055.76
CENTRAL IA DETENTION	457.25	MUSCO CORP	361.05
CLUBB, BONNIE	226.20	NBS/WAHLTEK-PYMT PROC CTR	1,760.03
CLUBB, BONNIE (MEI)	300.00	NETSMART TECH	1,959.10
COMPLETE CARE OF IA	200.00	SADLER POWER TRAIN	630.41
CONT RESEARCH CORP	562.25	SANITY SOLUTIONS	47.81
COPELAND AUTO/TOWING	62.15	SCHMIDT, BARB	129.00
CUNNINGHAM	2,218.77	SCHROEDER FR/ALIGN	602.00
DAKOTA SUPPLY GROUP	6,394.00	SELLERS, MICHAEL	495.50
DENNY, TROY	250.53	SHETTLER MEDIA	100.00
DESIGN HOUSE PLUS	851.00	SIGOURNEY LUMBER	150.19
ELLIOTT OIL CO	8.06	SIGOURNEY TREECARE	400.00
FARMERS COOP	598.73	SIGOURNEY, CITY OF	907.22
FARMERS COOP ASSOC	490.00	SINCLAIR TRACTOR	38.42
FORCE AMERICA	219.93	SMITH, TOMMY	36.30
GALLS LLC	100.00	T I P REC	178.00
GREENLEYS CORP	45.00	TEAMALERT	566.40

H & M FARM & HOME	1,465.58	TRIKE INC	600.00
HICKENBOTTOM INC	520.83	TRUCK CENTER	5,211.92
I M W C A	3,260.00	TUSING, STEPHANIE	195.52
IDALS	30.00	ULINE	1,138.16
INTERSTATE ALL BATTERY	79.02	VAN DIEST SUPPLY CO	5,595.00
IA BRIDGE & CULVERT	66,634.73	VISA (SEC RD)	1,814.68
IA COUNTY REC ASSOC	250.00	VISA (IT)	13.54
IA STATE MED EXAM	4,181.00	WASHINGTON CO SHERIFF	37.00
ISAC GROUP UNEMPLOY FUND	699.56	WEBB, JESSICA	600.00
J.J. NIGHTING CO	15.60	WELLINGTON TOOL SALES	485.50
JASPER CO SHERIFF	49.00	WHITEHURST, JERRY	37.67
JEFFERSON CO SHERIFF	32.00	WINDSTREAM	415.55
KEOKUK CO HEALTH CTR	231.00	WOOD, DARYL K	270.00
KEOKUK CO HWY DEPT	96.32		
KRIS ENGINEERING	13,078.84	TOTAL	\$177,432.46

Weber moved, Wood seconded approval of resolution regarding Keokuk County Employee Handbook, Section IV: Maternity leave amendment to include provisions to address parental leave for an employee who is a non-birthing parent or legal guardian, ensuring consistent application of benefits across departments as submitted, effective January 5, 2026. All ayes and motion carried.

Various Board and Committee reports were not held due to no scheduled meetings last week attributable to the New Year holiday.

Discussion of old/new business and public comment was not held due to no additional topics to discuss.

Keokuk County Board of Supervisors, performing as the County Compensation Board, will conduct an annual review and compare compensation for the offices of County Attorney, Auditor, Recorder, Sheriff, Supervisors and Treasurer pursuant to Iowa Code 331.907 and SF22442 to be held with elected officials and department heads regarding FY2027 compensation and possible approval thereof was held. Present were: Hite – IT, Clarahan - Secondary Roads, Reighard & Kephart – Conservation, Sanders – Assessor/GIS, Goldman – Recorder and Hinnah – Sheriff. The Iowa Code sections and ISAC salary survey comparison were used regarding preparation for this meeting. Hadley opened the meeting for discussion. No comments were made by those present. Due to legislative restraints, Board consensus was in favor of a 3% increase, noting said increase will take the bulk of the new growth. Hadley moved, Wood seconded approval of a 3% salary increase across the board for FY2027. All ayes and motion carried.

On vote and motion Hadley adjourned the meeting at 9:35 a.m.

The above and foregoing information is a summary of the minutes taken at the above indicated meeting. The full and complete set of minutes is available at the Keokuk County Auditor’s Office and www.keokukcounty.iowa.gov.

Approved _____

Disapproved _____

Michael C. Hadley

Daryl Wood

Kevin Weber