

KEOKUK COUNTY BOARD MINUTES
AUGUST 10, 2026

The Keokuk County Board of Supervisors met in regular session, Monday, August 10, 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.

Wood moved, Weber seconded to approve the minutes of August 3, 2026 as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Met with Engineer McGuire regarding the Keokuk County Highway Department. McGuire stated he is currently negotiating with Altorfer on a 150 AWD motorgrader with premium warranty and snow wing that excels in horsepower and traction.

Hadley moved, Weber seconded approval of 2027 County Five-Year Program resolution 0.1 to modify Pigeon Road PCC overlay funding levels, Project Number HDP-C054 (126)-6B-54 and adjust funding level of BRS-CHBP-CO54(125)-GB-54 bridge 402255 replacement as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Hadley moved, Wood seconded approval of re-appointment of Vince Homan to the Keokuk County Civil Service Commission for a two-year appointment as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Weber moved, Wood seconded approval of full allocation of interfund operating transfer resolution from Local Option Sales Tax (LOST) Fund (\$200,000) to Secondary Road Fund as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Wood moved, Weber seconded approval of resolution regarding establishment of Opioid Taskforce, appointment of members and responsibilities thereof as submitted. All ayes and motion carried. Members are Allie Helmuth, Public Health Director; Richard Fortney, Emergency Management Director; Darin Hite, IT Director; Deke Wood, Board of Supervisor; Angie Schott, Sheriff's Office; Christy Bates, Auditor. These individuals have authority to manage the planning and fiscal allocation of opioid remediation strategies pursuant to National Opioid Abatement Trust Agreement.

Various Board and Committee reports were held. Wood participated in conference calls regarding closure of the Pathfinders Learning Center in Bloomfield, IA. Neither Hadley nor Weber had scheduled meetings last week.

Discussion of old/new business and public comment was held. The Board of Supervisors meeting next week will be held on Tuesday, August 18, 2026 due to lack of member quorum on Monday the 17th. Board consensus was to send an email to all department heads reminding all purchases or contracts in the amount of \$5,000 or over are to be discussed with them prior to the purchase and the IT Director is to be involved in all technology purchases.

On vote and motion Hadley adjourned the meeting at 9:45 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