

**BOARD MINUTES
FEBRUARY 8, 2021**

The Keokuk County Board of Supervisors met in regular session, Monday, February 8, 2021 in the Board Room of the Courthouse. Present were: Michael C. Hadley, Fred Snakenberg, Daryl Wood and Christy Bates, County Auditor.

8:30 a.m.-Meeting was called to order. Motion was made by Deke Wood to approve the agenda. Fred Snakenberg seconded the motion. All ayes and motion carried.

8:35 a.m.-Review and approval of minutes of previous board meeting was held. Motion was made by Fred Snakenberg to approve the minutes of February 1, 2021 as submitted. Deke Wood seconded the motion. All ayes and motion carried.

8:45 a.m.-Met with Andy McGuire, Engineer regarding the Keokuk County Highway Department. Andy informed crews worked on snow removal Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday and came in early this morning.

9:05 a.m.-Public hearing regarding status of funding for the Keokuk County Emergency Public Health Program Project was held. Christy Bates stated no oral or written objections were received. Motion was made by Deke Wood to close said public hearing. Fred Snakenberg seconded the motion. All ayes and the public hearing closed at 9:07 a.m.

9:08 a.m.-Decision regarding status of funding for the Keokuk County Emergency Public Health Program Project was held. Motion was made by Fred Snakenberg to approve CDBG funding assistance in the amount of \$18,478 to address public health safety pertaining to the coronavirus pandemic as submitted. Deke Wood seconded the motion. All ayes and motion carried.

9:10 a.m.-Setting of public hearing time, date & place for proposed maximum property tax levy was held. Motion was made by Deke Wood to set said public hearing for Monday, February 22, 2021 at 9:30 a.m., Board Room, First Floor, Courthouse. Fred Snakenberg seconded the motion. All ayes and motion carried.

9:15 a.m.-Various board and committee reports were held. Deke Wood attended a Pathfinders meeting and informed Mick Berg was formally approved as a citizen member. Fred Snakenberg participated in an Iowa Workforce Development meeting by phone. Mike Hadley attended an Iowa County Engineer Service Agency in Des Moines last week.

9:30 a.m.-Discussion of old/new business and public comment was held. Tweaking of the Keokuk County FY22 budget and summarized legislative session bills regarding (SF 77), a bill abolishing the county compensation board and (SF 108), a bill requiring the compensation board to factor in economic situations and provide documentation to the board of supervisors to demonstrate how they reached the recommended compensation schedule were discussed. Christy Bates reminded the Courthouse is closed next Monday, February 15th for President's Day.

There being no further business, motion to adjourn was made by Mike Hadley. All ayes and the meeting adjourned at 10:18 a.m.

The Keokuk County Board of Supervisors adjourned to meet February 16, 2021.

Michael C. Hadley, Chairman
Board of Supervisors

Daryl Wood

Fred Snakenberg

Christy Bates