

KEOKUK COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS
APRIL 24, 2023

The Keokuk County Board of Supervisors met in regular session, Monday, April 24, 2023 in the Board Room of the Courthouse. Present were: Michael C. Hadley, Fred Snakenberg, Daryl Wood and Christy Bates, County Auditor.

Wood moved, Snakenberg seconded to approve the agenda. All ayes and motion carried. Also present were Casey James, News-Review and Micha Van Mersbergen.

Snakenberg moved, Wood seconded to approve the minutes of April 17, 2023 as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Met with Engineer McGuire regarding Keokuk County Highway Department. Gravel road conditions were discussed, as well as a complaint from a Meadowbrook resident.

Wood moved, Snakenberg seconded approval of motor grader proposal from Altorfer/CAT for the purchase of two (2) new Caterpillar 150 Motor Graders in the amount of \$865,000, that includes hydraulic snow wings and equipment protection plans for each machine as submitted. All ayes and motion carried. McGuire's recommendation is to auction the two old motor graders instead of trading them in due to a better return by selling outright. Estimated delivery will be in the fourth quarter of year 2024, therefore, payment will be in fiscal year 2025.

Snakenberg moved, Wood seconded approval of the second reading of Ordinance No. 52 relating to the prohibition of parking along County Route G29, also know as 170th Street, from State Highway 21 west to the west end of the bridge crossing coal creek and to waive the third reading. All ayes and motion carried. County Attorney Thompson will follow through the process by ensuring the approved ordinance is published in the News-Review.

Wood moved, Snakenberg seconded approval of three-year contract with Cost Advisory Services to provide professional consulting services in the amount not to exceed \$4,450 annually for services rendered as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Snakenberg moved, Wood seconded approval of Keokuk County Courthouse Security and Emergency Action Plan as updated, condensed and approved by the HIPAA/Security Committee on April 19, 2023. All ayes and motion carried.

Various Board and Committee reports was held. Wood attended a HIPAA/Security meeting. Snakenberg attended Early Childhood and SADC meetings. Hadley attended Semco and Sieda meetings last week.

Discussion of old/new business and public comment was held. Micha Van Mersbergen was present to encourage oversight of the Dusty Wind proposed project and shared his opinion of this being a poor way for land to be utilized.

On vote and motion Hadley adjourned the meeting at 9:40 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

Fred Snakenberg