

**KEOKUK COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS**  
**OCTOBER 26, 2020**

The Keokuk County Board of Supervisors met in regular session, Monday, October 26, 2020 in the Board Room of the Courthouse. Present were: Michael Berg, Michael C. Hadley, Daryl Wood and Christy Bates, County Auditor.

Berg moved, Wood seconded to approve the agenda. All ayes and motion carried.

Wood moved, Berg seconded to approve the minutes of October 19, 2020 as submitted. All ayes and motion carried. Dave Welch stopped in to thank the Supervisors for their efforts on behalf of Keokuk County. The Supervisors reciprocated by thanking Dave for his community service.

Met with Engineer McGuire regarding the Keokuk County Highway Department as follows: a Safety Day will be held on November 13, 2020 at the new shop; the east lean-to at the old shop has been cleaned out and is now available for county vehicle parking; equipment has been removed from the west lot (Board consensus noted possibility of selling the west lot due to nonuse) and Secondary Roads is to fix the waste & recycling drive. The bridge inspection results were as follows: 121 bridges are on the 2-year cycle, 48 are on the 4-year cycle and 7 are on the yearly cycle and monitored closely.

Wood moved, Berg seconded to acknowledge the Personnel Report for the hire of Hoyt Gentry, RN, part-time, Public Health Department effective October 24, 2020 at an hourly rate of \$26.27 as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Berg moved, Wood seconded approval of the interfund operating transfer in the amount of \$18,977.50 from Local Option Sales Tax Fund to Debt Service Fund for GO Bond interest payment as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Wood moved, Berg seconded approval of EMC National Life Company renewal rates for employee life insurance as submitted. All ayes and motion carried.

Various board and committee reports were held. Wood attended a 1015 Transit meeting. Berg participated in an Early Childhood meeting. Hadley attended a Semco meeting and participated in a County Engineer Service Agency meeting.

Discussion of old/new business and public comment was held. Over 2000 absentee ballots have been requested. Berg informed an inquiry was made to possibly purchase a tree or two in memory of a loved one upon Board approval. The tree quote provided by Rob Wonderlich was reviewed.

On vote and motion Hadley adjourned the meeting at 9:26 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.keokukcountyia.com](http://www.keokukcountyia.com).