

MINUTES OF SIOUX COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MEETING HELD ON JULY 11, 2023

- 1) The Board of Supervisors (BOS) of Sioux County, Iowa, met pursuant to adjournment at 9 am with Chairman Jerry Muilenburg presiding. The members present were Muilenburg, Dan Altena, Craig Hoftzyer, John Degen, and Carl Vande Weerd.
- 2) Minutes of the meeting of 06-27-23, submitted. Motion by Degen supported by Hoftzyer. Approved unanimously.
- 3) Shane Walter, Director of Planning and Zoning, presents Ironwood Beef LLC proposed construction in Nassau Township. A public hearing begins and ends with no comments received. Motion by Hoftzyer supported by Degen. Approved unanimously.
- 4) Michelle Monsma, HR Director, presents corrected Salary Resolution 2023/2024 which is resolution 2023-08. Resolution is corrected due to an error and updated with new employees, promotions, and removal of terminated employees. Motion by Altena supported by Hoftzyer. Voice votes: Altena (yes), Vande Weerd (yes), Degen (yes) Hoftzyer (yes) & Muilenburg (yes).
- 5) Sfumato Pizza liquor license renewal through 07/31/24 presented. Motion by Vande Weerd supported by Degen. Approved unanimously.
- 6) Carl Vande Weerd, Supervisor, updates on construction progress. Treasurer office remodel remains on schedule. Roof replacement for same building is also on schedule. Fairgrounds property dirt work to begin soon. NCC will be doing this work. The rental house had a water leak and some repairs needed to be done. Letting of next phase of construction projects has not yet happened.
- 7) Claims report(s) submitted. Motion by Vande Weerd supported by Hoftzyer. Approved unanimously.
- 8) Committee Reports:
 - **Hoftzyer** – Heartland Summit and Sioux Rivers attended
 - **Degen** – Conservation – The land acquisition around Oak Grove is in place
 - **Altena** – Mid Sioux, Rides and NWIPD meetings attended
 - **Muilenburg** – No report
 - **Vande Weerd** – Conservation work being done near Winterfield Pit in Rock Valley
- 9) Joel Sikkema, Sioux County Engineer, requests approval to hire Antonio Mora. Motion by Altena supported by Degen. Approved unanimously. Also asks for approval to the certification of the Jay Avenue grading project. Motion by Vande Weerd supported by Hoftzyer to approve. Approved unanimously.
- 10) Sikkema also gives updates on the Rock River Bridge project, B40 & K42 concrete overlay, upcoming L14 & B56 asphalt resurfacing project, gravel road blading and cutting maintenance, Mars land purchase and new Western Star47X and 4700SF equipment purchases.
- 11) Tom Kunstle, Sioux County attorney, updates on collections for FY2023 and notes several criminal penalty changes effected by the Iowa legislature that begin 07/01/23. A general discussion is held regarding the letter of interest (LOI) presented to the BOS at the 06/27/23 meeting. Supervisor Vande Weerd will have a discussion with ISAC representative about this. No action taken.
- 12) Motion by Vande Weerd supported by Altena to adjourn the meeting. Approved unanimously. Adjournment at 10:40 am.

/s/ Jerry Muilenburg, Chairman
Sioux County Board of Supervisors

Attest: _____
/s/ Joe E Van Tol
Sioux County Auditor