

- The Board of Supervisors (BOS) of Sioux County, IA, met at 9:30 AM with chairperson Jerry Muilenburg presiding. The members present were Muilenburg, Craig Hoftzyer, John Degen, Dan Altena & Carl Vande Weerd.
- Agenda for the 04/01/25 meeting submitted. Motion to approve by Altena supported by Hoftzyer. Unanimous.
- Minutes for the 03/25/25 meeting presented. Motion to approve by Vande Weerd supported by Hoftzyer. Unanimous.
- Resolution 2025-16 Maximum Property Tax Dollars presented. Motion to approve by Degen supported by Vande Weerd. Voice votes. Vande Weerd (Yes), Altena (Yes), Muilenburg (Yes), Degen (Yes) and Hoftzyer (Yes).
- Thomas Kunstle, County Attorney, discusses property transfer process of gifting of approximately 28 acres of county owned property (part of old Sioux Center Airport property) from Sioux County to the Sioux County Ag Expo. The notice and resolution for this process are forthcoming in the April 8 and April 22, 2025, BOS meetings. Kunstle also discusses Resolution 2025-17 Restricting Public Access in Courthouse. This resolution restricts the public from certain areas of the courthouse primarily related to the courtroom and surrounding area. Motion to approve by Vande Weerd supported by Altena. Voice votes. Vande Weerd (Yes), Altena (Yes), Muilenburg (Yes), Degen (Yes) and Hoftzyer (Yes).
- Jamie Van Voorst, County Sheriff, presents amended Tri-County Combined Emergency Response Team (CERT) Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Agreement and Memorandum of Understanding for signature. This agreement is already in place. The amendment adds the Sioux Center Police Department as a participant. Motion to approve by Altena supported by Hoftzyer. Unanimous.
- Supervisor Vande Weerd discusses pricing for a new counter, updated furniture and flooring in the Records office.
- Committee Reports:
 - o Hoftzyer – Boyden Community Club and Sioux County Ag Expo meetings attended.
 - o Degen – Sioux County Conservation meeting attended.
 - o Altena – Mid Sioux, Northwest Iowa Planning and Development (NWIPD) and Regional Transit Authority (RIDES) meetings attended. RIDES funding may get problematic due to some Medicaid funding cuts.
 - o Vande Weerd – Aging seminar attended in Rock Valley.
 - o Muilenburg – no report.
- Joel Sikkema, County Engineer, discusses Highway 18 concrete replacement project (this is a Department of Transportation (DOT) project). The expectation is that this road will close 04/14/25. The DOT will be doing patching in a few locations on county roads to prepare for detour traffic. Discusses recent sale of some Secondary Roads outdated equipment for around \$28k (via Zomer Auctions) and notes they have sold around \$190k worth of equipment in the past few years. Also discussed planned purchases of Motor Grader for Sioux Center shop and Track Loader for Rock Valley shop. Both are budgeted and part of a planned equipment replacement schedule. General discussions regarding ditch cleanups, creek cleanups and the related correspondence needed with the Corp of Engineers, K64 resurfacing and the related shoulder settling and the Ireton Road Crew job opening and the related value of the floater/sign technician position recently created.
- Supervisor Vande Weerd mentions the need for the right of first refusal in the gifting of the 28 acres to the Sioux County Ag Expo. The right of first refusal would give Sioux County the right to retain ownership of that property if the Sioux County Ag Expo would no longer want or need the property.
- Sheriff Van Voorst gives an update on the timeline of the new deputy hiring and notes that he has been nominated and accepted as a member of the Crime Victim Assistance Board for the Iowa Attorney General's office.
- Motion to adjourn by Vande Weerd supported by Hoftzyer. Unanimous. Adjourned at approximately 10:25 AM.

Attest: _____

/s/ Jerry Muilenburg, Chairman, Sioux County Board of Supervisors_____
/s/ Joe E Van Tol, Sioux County Auditor