The Jones County Board of Supervisors met in regular session. Present Supervisors Hall, Oswald, Swisher, and Zirkelbach. Absent Supervisor Schlarmann.

Moved by Zirkelbach seconded by Hall to approve the minutes of the April 29, 2025 meeting. All aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Swisher seconded by Zirkelbach to approve claims #2505-0001 through #2505-0110. All aye. Motion carried.

The Treasurer met with the Board to present the Quarterly Investment Reports.

Moved by Zirkelbach seconded by Swisher to approve the Quarterly Investment Report for the quarter ending March 31, 2025. All aye. Motion carried. [2025-075]

The Land Use Administrator met with the Board to hold a public hearing for a nuisance located at 17205 E23 County Home Rd., Monticello and for the second consideration of the proposed Data Center and Cryptocurrency Ordinance.

Moved by Zirkelbach Seconded by Hall to approve the second consideration of Jones County, Iowa Ordinance 2025-02, an ordinance amending CHAPTER 3, JONES COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE of TITLE VI – PROPERTY & LAND USE. On roll call vote: Zirkelbach aye, Hall aye, Swisher aye, Oswald aye, whereupon the Chairman declared the second consideration approved.

Moved by Swisher seconded by Zirkelbach to open a public hearing at 9:16 a.m. for a violation of the Jones County nuisance ordinance located at 17205 E23 County Home Rd, Monticello. On roll call vote: Zirkelbach aye, Hall aye, Swisher aye, Oswald aye. Motion carried.

The Land Use Administrator gave an update on the property including multiple vehicles and provided pictures. The property owner was present and gave an update to the Board and requested a week to clean up the property.

Moved by Swisher seconded by Hall to close the public hearing at 9:25 a.m. All aye. Motion carried.

The Auditor met with the Board to set a public hearing date for the proposed Public Safety facility, to abate property taxes on land acquired by Jones County and to give an update on the Courthouse bathroom remodel project.

Moved by Zirkelbach seconded by Hall to set a public hearing on May 20, 2025 at 9:00 a.m. to receive comment on the Public Safety Facility project that consists of a new building for use by Jones County to store public safety vehicles in. There is an add alternate to include an area for personnel training, additional restrooms and a room for general storage and the location of the project is as follows: Located on Davidson Blvd., Anamosa, IA 52205, more specifically described as Anamosa Commercial Park 2nd Addition Outlet A and Lot 15 (parcels 2010-68 and 2010-69). All aye. Motion carried.

Supervisor Hall introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption, seconded by Supervisor Swisher. On roll call vote: Hall aye, Zirkelbach aye, Oswald aye, Swisher aye, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution passed and adopted.

TAX ABATEMENT RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED that the Jones County Treasurer shall, pursuant to Section 445.63 of the Code of the Iowa, abate property taxes on property acquired by Jones County in the amount shown below, and any applicable interest and cost, and make appropriate notations on the tax list for the parcels listed below:

Briefly described as:

ANACO 0536352010 \$366.18 (2023 CT)

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PARK 2nd ADD LOT 17

The Board members gave brief updates on past and future committee meetings.

Moved by Swisher seconded by Zirkelbach to adjourn the meeting at 9:32 a.m. All aye. Motion carried.

Attest: Whitney Hein, Auditor Joe Oswald, Vice-Chairman