



Jones County Solid Waste Management Commission

13859 Edinburgh Road

Scotch Grove, Iowa

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July 7, 2026 Meeting Minutes*

The regular meeting of the Jones County Solid Waste Management Commission was held Tuesday, July 7, 2026 at the Jones County Transfer Station. Commission members present in-person include Russ Benke, Onslow; John Schlarmann, Jones County; Jeff Swisher, Jones County; Dave Goedken, Monticello; David Dircks, Olin; and Quinn Phelan, Monticello. Daniel Van Fossen, Morley, attended virtually. Members were not present from Anamosa, Oxford Junction, Martelle, and Wyoming. Others present include Andy Jamison, director; Ray Hendley, operator; Tami Michaud, scale operator; and Alicia Presto, ECICOG.

The meeting was called to order at 5 PM by Benke.

There were no visitors present to provide public comment at the meeting.

Motion was made by Swisher to approve the June 2, 2026 meeting minutes. Motion was seconded by Schlarmann. The vote was unanimous, motion carried.

Motion was made by Swisher to approve expenditures and the financial report. Motion was seconded by Dircks. The vote was unanimous, motion carried.

Presto provided information about the annual solid waste assessment and services provided by ECICOG.

The Commission discussed the waste management software transition. No action was taken at the meeting.

The Commission discussed the On-call Operator wage for fiscal year 2027. A motion was made by Schlarmann to increase the pay rate for Dave Haugsted from \$19 to \$20 per hour. The motion was seconded by Goedken. The vote was unanimous, motion carried.

The Commission considered Resolution 2026-1 establishing a start-up cash fund and clarifying the absence of a petty cash fund. A motion was made by Swisher to approve Resolution 2026-1 with a start-up cash fund amount of \$500. The motion was seconded by Goedken. A roll call vote was held: Schlarmann, aye; Swisher, aye; Goedken, aye; Dircks, aye; Phelan, aye; and Van Fossen, aye. The vote was unanimous, motion carried.

The Commission discussed mowing at the site. No action was taken at the meeting.

The Commission discussed purchasing a pickup truck for staff to use on-site and for off-site travel. No action was taken at the meeting.

The Commission considered tire recycling rates from Liberty Tire and Midwest Tire. A motion was made by Schlarmann to accept Midwest Tire's price of \$290/ton for pickup and recycling of mixed tires including car, truck, and tractor tires, with the exception of tires on the rim at \$15/tire. The price is guaranteed for two years. The motion was seconded by Swisher. All ayes, the motion carried.

The Commission discussed the future purchase of a refuse hauling trailer. No action was taken at this meeting.

The Commission discussed staff wages for fiscal year 2027. A motion was made by Swisher to approve the following pay rates for FY2027 starting July 1, 2026:

Andy Jamison, Director/Operations Manager \$29.50 per hour
Ray Hendley, Full-time Operator \$22.00 per hour
Tami Michaud, Part-time Scale Operator \$18.00 per hour
David Haugsted, On-call Operator \$20.00 per hour
Russ Benke, Solid Waste Commission Chairperson \$230.00 per month

The motion was seconded by Schlarmann. The vote was unanimous, motion carried.

The Commission discussed approving hiring Tami Michaud for the Part-time Scale Operator position. A motion was made by Swisher to hire Tami Michaud for the Part-time Scale Operator position effective June 26, 2026. Motion was seconded by Goedken. The vote was unanimous, motion carried.

Motion was made by Swisher to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned at 6:35 PM.

*Minutes to be officially approved at the next regular meeting.

Director: Andy Jamison

JONES COUNTY SOLID WASTE COMMISSION ACCOUNTS PAYABLE LISTING

Fund	Purpose	additional information	EP	Service	Vendor
4120	Service	LF srv 5/2-6/3	X	302.48	Alliant Energy
4120	Service	LF srv 6/3-7/2		389.64	Alliant Energy
4120	Service	LF SWC 5/6 min		94.86	Anamosa Journal Eureka
4120	Service	LF SWC 6/3 min		96.44	Anamosa Journal Eureka
4120	Supplies	LF Hyd fld(4),Floor dry (6)		335.90	Arnold Motor Supply
4120	Service	LF FY24 audit 110.7 hrs		11,049.30	Auditor of State
4120	Service	LF srv July		101.95	Center Junction Telephone
4120	Service	LF repair 7/1		348.59	Chappell Machine
4120	Service	LF srv July		11.83	Clearlive
4120	Service	LF overhead door repair 5/28		14,109.90	D D & C
4120	Service	LF Recycling May		857.50	Dittmer Recycling
4120	Service	LF Recycling June		484.50	Dittmer Recycling
4120	Service	LF FY26 Assessment		19,432.00	ECICOG
4120	Service	LF load tickets (8,250) 6/30		1,643.39	Express Printing
4120	Service	LF scale rep load cells 6/18-19		4,004.70	Hawkeye State Scale
4120	Service	LF tr station permit,insp,report		2,510.00	HLW Engineering Group
4120	Service	LF FY26 W/C ins		4,017.00	IMWCA
4120	Supplies	LF impact,def,tp,keys,water,slvnt		399.81	John Deere Financial
4120	Service	LF tire recycling 6/13		3,134.10	Liberty Tire
4120	Service	LF trlr staging fee June,Elec Disp		1,152.70	Midwest Computer Brokers
4120	Service	LF haul lds June,subcntrtr lds,rep tarp		30,767.56	Midwest Injection
4120	Service	LF Help wanted ad 5/7		110.50	Monticello Express
4120	Service	LF SWC min 5/6, 6/3		142.90	Monticello Express
4120	Service	LF SW Disposal June		26,356.82	MWI
4120	Service	LF skidloader repair 6/17		1,488.29	Roeder Brothers
4120	QuickBooks Subscript	Quickbooks 6/18-7/18		35.00	US Bank
4120	Service	LF Recycling Apr, May		3,260.00	Wapsi Waste Srv
4120	Service	LF Recycling 6/6		360.00	Weikert Iron & Metal
Sub-total		4120-Operating Fund		126,997.66	

4121	Service	LF srv April		1,677.25	Cedar Rapids Municipal Utilities
4121	Service	LF General consult,fin assrnc doc		3,028.00	HLW Engineering Group
4121	Service	LF Leachate pump 5/2-30		4,200.00	Select Service
4121	Service	LF Leachate pump 6/3-24		2,100.00	Select Service
Sub-total		4121-Landfill Closure/Post Closure		11,005.25	
Total				138,002.91	

Meeting
Check date(s)

July 8, 2025
June 17, 2025
July 15, 2025

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