

September 22, 2026 9:00 a.m.

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

Moved by Zirkelbach seconded by Schlarmann approve the minutes of the September 15, 2026 meeting. All aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Hall seconded by Swisher to approve claims #2609-0156 through #2609-0335. All aye. Motion carried.

The Auditor met with the Board on the various motions as noted below and reminded the Board of the Public Safety Facility Open House on September 28, 2026 from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM.

Moved by Schlarmann seconded by Hall to approve a Class C Retail Alcohol License, with Outdoor Service privileges, for Three Generations LLC, doing business as The Hillside Sports Bar and Grill, 21592 US Hwy 151 Business, Monticello, to be effective October 1, 2026 and a Class C Retail Alcohol License, with Catering and Outdoor Service privileges, for Hale Tap Inc., doing business as Hale Tap, 5522 Sanford St., Hale, to be effective October 19, 2026. All aye. Motion carried. [2026-111, 2026-112]

Supervisor Swisher introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption, seconded by Supervisor Schlarmann. On roll call vote: Schlarmann aye, Hall aye, Swisher aye, Zirkelbach aye, Oswald 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 and one parcel with an unknown owner in the amounts shown below, and any applicable interest and cost, and make appropriate notations on the tax list for the parcels listed below:

		Briefly described as:
CLYMD 0806100018	\$454.00 (2025 CT)	06 85 01 PARCEL 2014-25 IN NW ¼ & W ½ NE EXC PARCEL 2015-82
HALMD 1502200008	\$176.00 (2025 CT)	02 83 02 PT OF S ½ SE NE
HALMD 1502400005	\$488.00 (2025 CT)	02 83 02 PT OF NE SE
OLNCO 1413176019	\$8.00 (2025 CT)	SMITHS ADD N 5' O.L 6 EXC PARCEL 97-82

Supervisor Schlarmann introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption, seconded by Supervisor Zirkelbach. On roll call vote: Zirkelbach aye, Hall aye, Swisher aye, Oswald aye, Schlarmann 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 Anamosa Community School District

the 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:
CASAN 0536100014	\$86.00 (2025 CT)	36 85 04 PARCEL 2026-15 IN S1/2 NW
FAVAN 0902426022	\$854.00 (2025 CT)	02 84 04 COM AT A PT 811'W OF A PT 30 RDS N OF NE COR SE SE TH N 238' W 526' S 238' E 526' TO...
FAVAN 0902426021	\$32.00 (2025 CT)	02 84 04 SURVEYED TR 20X 392.8 BK I PG 105

Moved by Zirkelbach seconded by Hall to hire Katherine Sprau, effective September 9, 2026, working 18 hours/week, at \$17.80 per hour. All aye. Motion carried.

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

The Engineer met with the Board for approval of a funding agreement for a paving project on Ridge Road E28, a grant agreement for the purchase of a forestry mower, an addition of a service pit with the Secondary Road shop addition project, and for a potential paving project on forest chapel road.

Moved by Hall seconded by Swisher to approve a funding agreement with the Iowa Department of Transportation to use up to \$500,000 Highway Safety Improvement Program funds of for project number HSIP-SWAP-CO53(95)—FJ-53, a PCC Pavement – Grade and New on Ridge Road E28. All aye. Motion carried. [2026-113]

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

Resolution to Approve an Agreement for a LRTF Grant

Whereas the Jones County Secondary Road Department (hereinafter referred to as Recipient) is responsible for the Integrated Roadside Vegetation Management program for Jones County, Iowa; and

Whereas the Recipient applied to the Iowa Department of Transportation for funding through the Living Roadway Trust Fund (LRTF), pursuant to Iowa Code section 314; and

Whereas the Recipient has been awarded a Living Roadway Trust Fund grant for a Forestry Mower up to the amount of \$15,000.00; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Jones County Board of Supervisors approve the project development agreement 90-53-LR27-208. [2026-114]

Moved by Swisher seconded by Zirkelbach to approve the purchase of a mechanical service pit for the secondary road shop addition in the amount of \$44,000 plus freight from Evolving Workshop Technologies (EWT) America. All aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Zirkelbach seconded by Swisher to participate in a cost share paving project with River City Paving on Forest Chapel Road from the south driveway of 10225 Forest Chapel

Road, Anamosa to Hwy 151 with the county being responsible for the material cost only. All aye
Motion carried.

Moved by Schlarmann seconded by Swisher to adjourn the meeting at 10:00 a.m. All aye.
Motion carried.

Attest: Whitney Hein, Auditor

Joe Oswald, Chairman