

November 20, 2018

Tuesday, November 20, 2018 the Jasper County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at 9:30 a.m. Supervisors Brock, Carpenter and Cupples present and accounted for; Chairman Cupples presiding.

Buildings and Grounds Director Adam Sparks explained to the Supervisors that the County had received a backhoe that the Sheriff had confiscated when it was used in the commission of a crime. The backhoe needs about \$3,608.56 of repairs to bring it to good condition where the County can use it.

Motion by Brock and seconded by Carpenter to approve the expenditure of \$3,608.56 to bring the backhoe up to good condition.

YEA: CARPENTER, BROCK, CUPPLES

Sparks also explained to the Supervisors that he was in need of some help in his department but felt that a half time person would do. He explained that conservation could also use some help as well. A discussion was had about sharing an employee between the two departments.

Auditor Dennis Parrott presented the final results of the 2018 Post Election Audit to the Supervisors and praised Election Director Mulgrew and staff for running a superb election.

Motion by Brock and seconded by Carpenter to accept the 2018 Post Election Audit.

YEA: CARPENTER, CUPPLES, BROCK

A discussion was had by the Supervisors about making wash out repairs at the County farm. Joe Brock is to bring information to the Board next week concerning the cost to have the work done.

Motion by Carpenter and seconded by Brock to give the Office of the State Archaeologist permission to do an archaeological survey at the location of the former County Care Facility grounds with the stipulation that any and all findings will belong to Jasper County.

YEA: CUPPLES, CARPENTER, BROCK

Motion by Brock and seconded by Carpenter to cancel the public hearing for a budget amendment scheduled for 11/27/2018.

YEA: CARPENTER, CUPPLES, BROCK

Motion by Carpenter and seconded by Brock to approve Board of Supervisors minutes for 11/13/2018.

YEA: BROCK, CUPPLES, CARPENTER

Motion by Brock and seconded by Carpenter to amend the Board's agenda to include an appointment to the Zoning Board of Adjustment.

YEA: CARPENTER, BROCK, CUPPLES

Motion by Brock and seconded by Carpenter to re-appoint Tim Dunsbergen to the Zoning Board of Adjustment term to end 06/30/2023.

YEA: CARPENTER, BROCK, CUPPLES

Motion by Brock and seconded by Carpenter to enter into closed session in accordance with Iowa Code Section 21.5 (C) “ To discuss strategy with legal counsel in matters that are presently in litigation or where litigation is imminent.”

YEA: CARPENTER, BROCK CUPPLES

The Board re-entered open session.

Motion by Carpenter and seconded by Brock to adjourn the November 20, 2018 meeting of the Jasper County Board of Supervisors.

YEA: BROCK, CUPPLES, CARPENTER

Dennis K. Parrott, Auditor

Doug Cupples, Chairman