

Tuesday, December 15, 2020 the Jasper County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at 9:30 a.m. Supervisors Talsma, Cupples and Carpenter present and accounted for; Chairman Talsma presiding.

Motion by Cupples and seconded by Carpenter to open a public hearing on the rezoning of the Joseph Paul property, described as Parcel G of parcel B East ½ NW ¼ Except Parcel H, Section 22, Township 81, Range 21, of the 5th P.M., Jasper County, Iowa, from “RR” to “A”.

YEA: CARPENTER, CUPPLES, TALSMA

Some discussion was had to consider a conditional permit. Joseph Paul acknowledged that, with the number of animals that he had, he was in violation the zoning ordinance no matter the outcome of the request to rezone. Larry Ladd disputed, point by point, Paul’s accusations directed at Ladd. The two sides were to work on terms that could make up the conditional permit.

Motion by Carpenter and seconded by Cupples to close the public hearing.

YEA: CUPPLES, CARPENTER, TALSMA

Motion by Carpenter and seconded by Cupples to table the decision on the rezoning request until next week’s Board of Supervisors meeting.

YEA: CUPPLES, CARPENTER, TALSMA

Motion by Cupples and seconded by Carpenter to approve lease agreement between Jasper County and HIRTA Public Transit for office space at the Jasper County Community Center.

YEA: CARPENTER, CUPPLES, TALSMA

Motion by Cupples and seconded by Carpenter to approve a pass-through grant agreement between Jasper County and the City of Newton for a Historic Resource Development Grant for 2021 to repair domed ceiling in the Courthouse.

YEA: CARPENTER, CUPPLES, TALSMA

Motion by Carpenter and seconded by Cupples to approve the Recorder’s Monthly Report for the period beginning November 1, 2020 and ending November 30, 2020.

YEA: CUPPLES, CARPENTER, TALSMA

Motion by Cupples and seconded by Carpenter to approve Board of Supervisors minutes for 12/08/2020.

YEA: CARPENTER, CUPPLES, TALSMA

Motion by Cupples and seconded by Carpenter to approve the appointment of Gary Lentzkow to the Newton Benefited Fire District, replacing John Selbher, term to expire June 30, 2023.

YEA: CARPENTER, CUPPLES, TALSMA

Motion by Cupples and seconded by Carpenter to adjourn the Tuesday, December 15, 2020 meeting of the Jasper County Board of Supervisors.

YEA: CARPENTER, CUPPLES, TALSMA

Dennis K. Parrott, Auditor

Brandon Talsma, Chairman