

The Cedar County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at 1:30 p.m. November 13, 2024 with the following members present: Bixler, Barnhart, Gaul, Kaufmann, and Chairperson Bell. Members of the public were also present.

The Board viewed correspondence from various agencies.

The Board acknowledged receipt of the following correspondence from:  
Cedar County Clerk for fees collected for the month of October 2024.  
Brian Stoneking, Solid Waste Operator Notice of Retirement effective 11/7/2024.  
Cole Stineman, Correctional Officer Notice of Voluntary Resignation effective 11/20/2024.

Manure Management Annual Updates submitted by:  
RAD Farms #66944 for a site at 1835 180<sup>th</sup> Street, Lowden.  
Lance Schiele #59812 for a site at 2301 Delta Avenue, West Branch.

It was noted the following Handwritten Disbursement was issued on 11/01/2024 to the Cedar County Treasurer for Benefits, Inc. for an electronic deposit: #440447 for \$795.07-self funded medical claims.

It was noted the following Handwritten Disbursement was issued on 11/08/2024 to the Cedar County Treasurer for Benefits, Inc. for an electronic deposit: #440590 for \$2,258.09-self funded medical claims.

Moved by Sup. Gaul seconded by Sup. Bixler to approve the agenda.  
Ayes: All  
Absent: Kaufmann

Chairperson Bell addressed the public for comments. There were none.

Moved by Sup. Barnhart seconded by Sup. Bixler to approve the Board Minutes of October 29, 2024.  
Ayes: All  
Absent: Kaufmann  
Abstain: Bell, Bixler  
Motion did not pass due to lack of majority.

Moved by Sup. Barnhart seconded by Sup. Gaul to approve Payroll Disbursements #199365-199506 for the period ending 10/26/24 and to be paid on 11/1/24.  
Ayes: All  
Absent: Kaufmann

Moved by Sup. Bixler seconded by Sup. Gaul to approve Claim Disbursements #440448 - #440589 paid on 11/7/2024.  
Ayes: All  
Absent: Kaufmann

The Board reported on Outreach/Committee Meetings they attended.

Moved by Sup. Barnhart seconded by Sup. Bixler to approve the Resolution for Establishment of Stop Signs on Eureka Avenue.

RESOLUTION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF STOP SIGNS

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Section 321.255 and 321.236 (1e) (6) of the 2024 Code of Iowa, the Board of Supervisors and County Engineer are empowered to designate the location and erection of stop signs,

AND WHEREAS, the County Board and County Engineer may designate certain roads as through roads with the erection of stop and/or yield signs at specified locations furnishing access

thereto or designation of any intersection as a stop or yield intersection and erect like signs at one or more locations of access to such intersections,

AND WHEREAS, the County Engineer conducted an engineering study of the intersection,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of Cedar County on this 13<sup>th</sup>, day of November, 2024, recognize as official the location of stop signs at the intersection described below:

STOP signs at the intersection near the southeast corner of Section 22, T79N, R4W designated as the intersection of 320<sup>th</sup> Street and Eureka Avenue, causing eastbound and westbound (320<sup>th</sup> Street) traffic to stop.

Ayes: All

Absent: Kaufmann

Moved by Sup. Gaul seconded by Sup. Bixler to approve Resolution on a bridge embargo on Spicer Avenue.

### RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: The Board of Supervisors is empowered under authority of Sections 321.236 Sub. (8), 321.471 to 321.473 to prohibit the operation of vehicles or impose limitations as to the weight thereof on designated highways or highway structures under their jurisdiction, and

WHEREAS: the Cedar County Engineer has caused to be completed the Structure Inventory and Appraisal of certain Bridge Inspection Standards and has determined (or it has been determined) that they are inadequate for two-lane legal loads at allowable operating stress.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Cedar County Board of Supervisors that vehicle and load limits be established and that signs be erected advising of the permissible maximum weights thereof on the bridge listed.

Local Bridge on Spicer Avenue in Section 30, T82N, R1W of Massillon Township be limited as follows:

10 Tons

Passed and approved this 13<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024.

Ayes: All

Absent: Kaufmann

Moved by Sup. Gaul seconded by Sup. Barnhart to approve a utility permit for South Slope on Solon Road and the \$100 fee applies.

Ayes: All

Absent: Kaufmann

Moved by Sup. Barnhart seconded by Sup. Bixler to approve a utility permit for Alliant Energy on 190<sup>th</sup> Street and waive the \$100 fee.

Ayes: All

Engineer Fangman provided project updates.

At 2:00 p.m., the Cedar County Board of Supervisors convened as a Canvass Board to canvass votes cast in the General Election held on November 5, 2024. Present were Supervisors Barnhart, Bell, Bixler, Gaul and Kaufmann. Auditor Wiese and members of the public were present. Thereupon results from the several precincts were opened and examined with the results duly entered in the Official Canvass Book and attested to by the Board and the Cedar County Auditor.

Declared duly elected in Cedar County were:

Board of Supervisors-----Bruce Barnhart  
Board of Supervisors-----Jon Bell  
Board of Supervisors-----Jeff Kaufmann  
County Auditor-----Nicolette Welch  
County Sheriff-----Warren M. Wethington

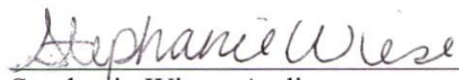
Cass Township Trustee-----Steve Agne  
Cass Township Trustee-----Carolyn Gritton  
Center Township Trustee-----Robert D. Langley  
Center Township Trustee-----John A. Schott  
Dayton Township Trustee-----Kris Plueger  
Dayton Township Trustee-----Karen Bachman  
Fairfield Township Trustee-----Kevin L. Wright  
Fairfield Township Trustee-----Gary Deerberg  
Farmington Township Trustee-----Robert L. Timmsen  
Farmington Township Trustee-----Rob Bohnsack  
Farmington Township Clerk to fill vacancy-----Greg Shuger  
Fremont Township Trustee-----Rodney Von Muenster  
Fremont Township Trustee-----Mathew Tony Wagner  
Gower Township Trustee-----Barry Anderson  
Gower Township Trustee-----Dick Maske  
Inland Township Trustee-----Dave Von Muenster  
Inland Township Trustee-----Jerod Timmerman  
Iowa Township Trustee-----Cory Simpson  
Iowa Township Trustee-----Bryan Regennitter  
Linn Township Trustee-----Dan Driscoll  
Linn Township Trustee-----John Broulik  
Massillon Township Trustee-----Yvonne Bright  
Massillon Township Trustee-----Chris W. Scheer  
Massillon Township Trustee to fill vacancy-----Penny Vacek  
Massillon Township Clerk to fill vacancy-----Brenda Hansen  
Pioneer Township Trustee-----Joel Brown  
Pioneer Township Trustee-----R. Jay Hartman  
Red Oak Township Trustee-----Michael Moes  
Red Oak Township Trustee-----Allan Haynes  
Rochester Township Trustee-----Terry LeDoux  
Rochester Township Trustee-----Josh Crist  
Springdale Township Trustee-----Jeff Owen  
Springdale Township Trustee-----Richard Paulsen  
Springfield Township Trustee-----Pam Hartwig  
Springfield Township Trustee-----Julie Schroeder  
Sugar Creek Township Trustee-----Roger Sessler  
Sugar Creek Township Trustee-----Kory Urmie

Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioner-Randy Pedersen  
Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioner-Alan Weets  
Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioner-Rob Glick  
Agricultural Extension Council Member-----Michael T. Boyle  
Agricultural Extension Council Member-----Devin Schroeder  
Agricultural Extension Council Member-----Greta Bierman  
Agricultural Extension Council Member-----Brian Boedeker  
Agricultural Extension Council Member to fill vacancy-Jeffrey Lafrenz

Moved by Sup. Bixler seconded by Sup. Barnhart to authorize Chairperson Bell to sign a letter thanking Rep. Miller-Meeks for helping achieve the grant to replace the Rochester bridge.  
Ayes: All

Moved by Sup. Kaufmann seconded by Sup. Bixler to set January 7, 2025 as the date to discuss Elected Officials salary for FY25/26.  
Ayes: All

Moved by Sup. Barnhart seconded by Sup. Gaul to adjourn at 4:10 p.m., to November 19, 2024.  
Ayes: All

  
Stephanie Wiese, Auditor

  
Jon Bell, Chairperson