

The Cedar County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at 8:30 a.m. December 9, 2025 with the following members present: Bixler, Barnhart, Gaul, Kaufmann, and Chairperson Bell. Minutes reported by Deputy Auditor Hamdorf. Members of the public were also present.

The Board viewed correspondence from various agencies.

The Board acknowledged receipt of the following correspondence from:
Jonathan Olseen, Correctional Officer Notice of Voluntary Resignation effective 11/15/2025.
Conservation Director Dauber regarding Kyle Bentley, Seasonal last working day effective 11/25/2025.

It was noted the following Handwritten Disbursement was issued on 12/5/2025 to the Cedar County Treasurer for Benefits, Inc. for an electronic deposit: #444420 for \$10,194.98-self funded medical claims.

Moved by Sup. Barnhart seconded by Sup. Gaul to approve the agenda.
Ayes: All

Chairperson Bell addressed the public for comments. Conservation Director Dauber introduced the new Conservation Director Andy Petersen.

Moved by Sup. Kaufmann seconded by Sup. Bixler to approve the Board Minutes of December 2, 2025.
Ayes: All
Abstain: Bixler

Moved by Sup. Bixler seconded by Sup. Kaufmann to approve Claim Disbursements #444318 - #444419 paid on 12/4/2025.
Ayes: All

The Board reported on Outreach/Committee Meetings they attended.

At 8:45 EMS Director Dinsch met with the Board to review the following job descriptions— Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Director/Chief, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Operations Supervisor/Captain, Lead Paramedic/Lieutenant, Paramedic, Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (AEMT), Emergency Medical Technician (EMT), Emergency Medical Responder (EMR), Billing Clerk/Administrative Assistant and Physician Medical Director. Dinsch informed the Board these are just the job descriptions and not the pay grade. Dinsch also noted these are every possible job description, but we will not fill every position.

Moved by Sup. Bixler seconded by Sup. Kaufmann to approve the job descriptions listed above.
Ayes: All

Kent Stuart and Marcy McBride, Cedar County Soil & Water Conservation District met with the Board for a FY26/27 funding request. Stuart explained that they want to employ a technical assistant with NACD Grant 80%, IDALS 10% and a 10% match of \$4,510 asked of Cedar County. Discussion was held with no decision made.

Holly McPherson, ECIA representing Cedar County Economic Development Commission (C.C.E.D.C.O.) met with the Board for a FY26/27 funding request. Current County funding for C.C.E.D.C.O. is \$75,634. Discussion was held. No decision was made.

Allison Tippe, Domestic Violence Intervention Program (D.V.I.P.) met with the Board for a FY26/27 funding request. Tippe updated the Board regarding individuals served within Cedar County. Current County funding for the D.V.I.P is \$10,750. Tippe is requesting a 17% increase of \$1,750 in funding. No decision was made.

Sherli Childers, Director of River Bend Transit, met with the Board for a FY26/27 funding request. Childers distributed River Bend Transit FY26/27 budget request. Childers updated the Board on Cedar County transportation service including service trends, funding, cost trends and

changes. Current County funding for River Bend Transit is \$16,965.00. River Bend Transit is not requesting an increase in funding. No decision was made.

At 10:30 a public hearing for review/consideration/action on the following petition: Yvonne Gregory Estate (Owner) and Matthew and Heather Mainprize, 1315 Remington Ct., North Liberty, IA (Buyer)- Requesting a change in zoning from A-1 Agricultural District to R-1 Suburban Residential for the purpose of allowing construction of a single-family dwelling on property located in the NW ¼, SE ¼, Section 7, T-79N, R-2W, in Rochester Township. Said petition is to rezone 2 acres m/l of a 14.25 acre lot. There were no written or verbal complaints on file. Environmental & Zoning Director LaRue, Matt Mainprize and Engineer Fangman were in attendance.

Moved by Sup. Kaufmann seconded by Sup. Bixler to approve the petition and waive the seconded hearing.


Ayes: All

Moved by Sup. Bixler seconded by Sup. Barnhart to adjourn at 10:41 a.m., to December 16, 2025.

Ayes: All



Nicki Welch, Auditor



Jon Bell, Chairperson