

July 9, 2019

The Des Moines County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at the Court House in Burlington at 9 AM on Tuesday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019 with Chairman Tom Broeker, Vice-Chair Bob Beck and Member Jim Cary present.

Unless otherwise noted, all motions passed unanimously. The Pledge of Allegiance was conducted.

Meet with Department Heads: County Auditor Terri Johnson stated her office is busy. Assistant Land Use Administrator Jarred Lassiter reported there has been lots of activity and several inquiries about land use. CDS Director Ken Hyndman stated he will be attending SEIL Region meetings tomorrow and discussing new core services and access centers. He stated there is still no funding for regions but some for Medicaid for children's mental health issues. Conservation Director Chris Lee reported a busy July 4<sup>th</sup> weekend. He thanked the Sheriff's Office for their assistance. He reported around 300 people camped in the campgrounds over the holiday weekend with 184 of those at Big Hollow. Lee stated the Nature Center staff is taking six high school kids to Colorado to the South San Juan Wilderness Area for a hiking trip. This trip has been in the planning stages for a year with a requirement for a written plan to be submitted for the permit process to gain access into this area. Lee reported repairs have not been done on the flood damages trails. A large section of the trail is impassable and waiting to hear from FEMA about repairs. County Engineer Brian Carter reported the lane closure on old Hwy 34 where the railroad crosses should be done by this week. Carter reported the Sperry Road bridge project should start soon. Crews are working on a ditching project on Pleasant Grove Road ahead of the paving project. The second Bridgeport Road patch should be poured today. Crews are still working on FEMA projects and patching prior to RAGBRAI. Sheriff Mike Johnstone commented it was a quiet and safe July 4<sup>th</sup> holiday weekend, they provided boat checks, and everything went well. County Treasurer Janelle Nalley-Londquist stated her office is busy, especially in the Motor Vehicle Division. Public Health Administrator Christa Poggemiller reported her office is busy and they are still mosquito trapping. Two classes are being offered: Matter of Balance for those having problems with balance and a Diabetes Prevention Program. Others present: Maintenance Supervisor Rodney Bliesener, and IT Director Colin Gerst.

Class C Liquor License for HyVee Stark Wedding at Barn on the Ridge 7/25 was presented. Cary motioned to approve and seconded by Beck.

Cash on Hand Letters were presented for the following departments: Assessor, Auditor, Conservation, GIS, Public Health, Recorder, Secondary Roads and Sheriff. Beck motioned approve and seconded by Cary.

Reports received and filed in the Auditor's Office:  
Recorder's Report of Fees Collected, June 2019  
Auditor's Report of Fees Collected, June 2019  
Veterans Affairs, June 2019

Cary motioned to approve the July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019 meeting minutes and seconded by Beck.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:22 AM.

Following the meeting was a work session the Board of Supervisors and County Engineer took a road tour.

This Board meeting is recorded and kept on file for two years. The meeting minutes and audio are posted on the county's website [www.dmcounty.com](http://www.dmcounty.com)

Approved July 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019  
Tom Broeker, Chairman  
Attest: Terri Johnson, Auditor