

The Union County Board of Supervisors met in Regular Session on Monday, April 23, 2018. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM with the following members present: Ron Riley and Dale Cline. Dennis Brown was absent. Also present from the Creston Community School Government Class: Faith Wilson, Angel Stow, Macy Andreasen and Danielle Castillo and from High Lakes Class: Sally Shires.

AGENDA: Motion by Cline and seconded by Riley to approve the Agenda. All voting aye, motion carried.

MINUTES: Motion by Cline and seconded by Riley to approve the minutes from April 16, 2018. All voting aye, motion carried.

OPEN FORUM: Tim Ostroski went over an Audit Finding on the Federal pass through Grant from SICOG on the County Annual Audit Report.

WEED COMMISSIONER: Motion by Cline and seconded by Riley to approve the following Official Public Notice on Destruction of Noxious Weeds as presented by Gary Blazek, Union County Weed Commissioner: **DESTRUCTION OF NOXIOUS WEEDS & FINES ASSESSED TO ALL PROPERTY OWNERS: BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Union County, Iowa THAT PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS of Chapter 317.13 and 317.14 1995 and 317.25 2001 Code of Iowa, it is hereby ordered: THAT EACH OWNER AND EACH PERSON** in the possession or control of any land in Union County shall cut, burn or otherwise destroy all noxious weeds thereon, as defined in this Chapter, at such times in each year and in such manner as shall prevent said weeds from blooming or coming to maturity, and shall keep said land free from such growth of any other weeds as shall render the streets or highways adjoining said land unsafe for public travel. Noxious weeds shall be cut or otherwise destroyed on or before the following dates and **as often thereafter as is necessary** to prevent seed production.

May 15, 2018: Musk Thistle, Perennial Pepper Grass.

June 2, 2018: Leafy Spurge, Sour Dock, Smooth Dock, Sheep Sorrel, Wild Sunflowers, Poison Hemlock.

June 20, 2018: Canadian Thistle, Russian Knapweed, Buckhorn, Wild Mustard and Tall Thistle.

July 1, 2018: Field Bindweed, Horse Nettle, Perennial Sow Thistle, Quack Grass, Butterprint, Puncture Vine, Cocklebur, Bull Thistle and Shattercane.

July 16, 2018: Multi-flora Rose and Teasel.

THAT IF THE OWNERS OR PERSON in possession or control of any land in Union County fail to comply with the foregoing orders, the Weed Commissioner shall cause this to be done and the expense of said work, including costs of serving notice and other costs, if any, to be assessed against the real estate upon which the noxious weeds are destroyed. Anyone wishing **NOT** to have noxious weeds sprayed in any given area, he or she shall sign an agreement at the County Weed Commissioner's Office and shall furnish their own signs to be posted on each side of the area designated and shall be responsible to destroy such weeds, all season. **PENALTY** For failure to comply by the date prescribed in an order pursuant to Chapter 317, up to ten **(10)** days, for destruction of weeds, the Weed Commissioner may have the weeds destroyed and the costs assessed back to the owner or may impose a penalty of \$10.00 per day for each day the owner of the land fails to comply. All voting aye, motion carried.

TOURISM: Ellen Gerharz, Tourism Board, updated the board on Union County Tourism.

AUDITOR'S QUARTERLY REPORT: Motion by Cline and seconded by Riley to accept the Auditor's Quarterly Report. All voting aye, motion carried.

ENGINEER: Zach Gunsolley, Union County Engineer, presented and discussed the weekly maintenance activity report. **Motor Grader Purchase:** Motion by Cline and seconded by Riley to purchase a 2018 CAT 12M3 Motor Grader with a 6yr/7500hr warranty from Ziegler for a net price of \$181,783.00 (trade in of 2001 140H for \$43,000.00 and 2004 140H for \$55,500.00). All voting aye, motion carried. **Grading Agreement:** Motion by Cline and seconded by Riley to approve a grading agreement between Union County and Double T Farm LLC (Ken Windham) for ditching along with dozing the fence line with tree and brush removal on 197th Street in Section 22 of Jones Township. All voting aye, motion carried.

CLAIMS: Motion by Cline and seconded by Riley to approve Claim #133861 - Claim #133962 as follows:

Vendor Name	Total Payments	Vendor Name	Total Payments
A-1 WINDOW SERVICE	\$132.00	MARION COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH	\$214.22
ACCESS SYSTEMS	\$1,187.41	MATURA ACTION CORPORATION	\$262.09
ACCESS SYSTEMS LEASING	\$1,169.37	MEDIACOM	\$719.68
ADAMS COUNTY SHERIFF	\$1,520.00	MIDWEST CARD & ID SOLUTIONS	\$11,291.38
AGRILAND FS INC	\$19,670.34	MILLER MD, LONNY D	\$150.00
AGRIVISION GROUP LLC	\$1,153.64	MMIT, BANLEACO	\$116.40
AKIN BUILDING CENTER	\$130.05	OFFICE MACHINES COMPANY INC	\$775.33
ALLIANT ENERGY	\$879.04	PAKOR, INC	\$224.75
ARAMARK	\$120.40	PARK PLACE SUNSHINE HOMES	\$948.60
AUDITOR OF STATE	\$39,973.67	PARTNERSHIP FOR PROGRESS	\$7,564.00
BAUER BUILT TIRE	\$418.04	PIEL, RICK	\$15.84
BM SALES	\$151.00	PITNEY BOWES INC	\$254.97
BODEN, PAUL	\$10.48	PJ GREUFE & ASSOCIATES LLC	\$1,500.00
BOMGAARS	\$109.73	PROVOST, KEVIN	\$127.37
CARROLL POLICE DEPARTMENT	\$200.00	PURSUIT OF INDEPENDENCE, INC	\$6,811.88
CENTRAL IOWA DETENTION CTR	\$1,518.00	RED OAK WELDING SUPPLIES	\$40.80
CENTURY LINK	\$229.86	RINGGOLD COUNTY CHILD CARE	\$435.00
CHAT MOBILITY	\$73.63	RINGGOLD COUNTY PUBLIC	\$3,571.18
CHOICE INC	\$1,812.32	SCHILDBERG CONSTRUCTION INC	\$60,541.82
CINTAS FIRST AID & SAFETY	\$101.11	SICKELS, VICKI	\$4,051.14
CITY OF LORIMOR	\$28.00	SIRWA/ SOUTHERN IOWA RURAL	\$352.35
COUNTRY CARE CENTER CORP.	\$1,144.50	SLC POOL CONSULTANTS	\$280.00
CRESTON MUNICIPAL UTILITIES	\$348.58	SOUTHERN HILLS REGIONAL MH	\$232,022.26
CULLIGAN	\$52.70	SOUTHERN IA RESOURCE	\$927.46
DECATUR COUNTY PUBLIC	\$163.68	SOUTHERN IOWA TROLLEY	\$2,953.31
DES MOINES STAMP MFG	\$111.70	SOUTHWEST IOWA PLANNING	\$41.25
DISCOVERY KIDS PRESCHOOL	\$884.00	STERLING HOTEL & SUITES	\$66.65
DRAKE ELECTRIC & MFG	\$1,038.84	SUPERIOR LAMP INC	\$282.36
DUCKWORTH, JO ANNE	\$84.94	T&S INDUSTRIES INC	\$13.35
ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING	\$82.45	TAYLOR COUNTY AG EXTENSION	\$5,271.31
EMC ELECTRICAL MATERIALS	\$101.95	TAYLOR COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH	\$289.50
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT SYSTEMS	\$93,599.63	TERMINAL SUPPLY CO	\$32.06
ENVIRONMENTAL SYSTEMS	\$400.00	TREASURER STATE OF IOWA	\$1,255.00
FELD FIRE	\$475.00	TRINITY LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL	\$1,280.00
FULL SOURCE	\$112.84	UNION COUNTY AUDITOR	\$1,449.00
GATR TRUCK CENTER	\$119.42	UNION COUNTY SHERIFF	\$3,952.44
GREATAMERICA FINANCIAL	\$135.87	UNION COUNTY TREASURER	\$756.00
GREATER REGIONAL MEDICAL	\$2,567.67	UNITED FARMERS COOPERATIVE	\$81.72
HANSEN, BRUCE	\$294.40	VERIZON WIRELESS	\$440.11
HAWKS, THOMAS	\$171.58	VISA CARD SERVICE	\$2,681.80
HEARTLAND TIRE & AUTO	\$75.90	WATSON AND RYAN PLC	\$1,869.20
HOUSBY MACK INC	\$405.79	WAUBONSIE MENTAL HEALTH	\$3,600.00
HUSBAND, AMANDA	\$485.02	WHITE, MICKEY	\$334.00
HY-VEE INC	\$3,516.00	WILSON, HANSON & ASSOCIATES	\$489.21
IOWA SECRETARY OF STATE	\$134.58	WINDSTREAM	\$62.99
ISACA TREASURER	\$325.00	WOLFE, MICHAEL	\$73.60
JENNIE EDMUNDSON HOSPITAL	\$4,713.00	YOUTH & SHELTER SERVICES	\$186.60
JERICO SERVICES INC	\$13,189.00	YOUTH EMERGENCY SERV &	\$1,772.70
JIM'S SANITATION AND TRUCK	\$275.00	TOTAL	\$560,628.08
LEAF	\$131.07		
MAILANDER LAW OFFICES	\$418.20		
MAINSTAY SYSTEMS INC	\$2,049.00		

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:00pm.

ATTEST: _____
SANDY HYSELL, AUDITOR

BY: _____
RONALD J RILEY, CHAIRMAN BOARD OF SUPERVISOR