

REGULAR SESSION

JULY 01, 2024

The Union County Board of Supervisors met in Regular Session on Monday July 01, 2024. The meeting was called to order at 9:00AM with the following members present, Dennis Hopkins, Dennis Brown, and Rick Friday.

AGENDA: Motion by Friday and seconded by Brown to approve the agenda. All voting aye, motion carried.

MINUTES: Motion by Brown and seconded by Friday to approve the minutes for June 24th, 2024. All voting aye, motion carried.

OPEN FORUM: No one spoke in open forum.

SECONDARY ROADS: Union County Roads Superintendent, Al Hysell, presented and discussed the weekly Maintenance Activity Report. Union County Engineer, Christian Boehmer and a representative from the Afton Development Committee, Retta Ripperger, discussed and presented a resolution to lower the speed limit on Old Hwy 34. **RESOLUTION #1 FYR 24/25 – ESTABLISH SPEED RESTRICTIONS OLD HIGHWAY 34:** Motion by Friday and seconded by Brown to approve Resolution #1 FYR 24/25 – Establish Speed Restrictions Old Highway 34 as follows: WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors is empowered under authority of Sections 321.255 and 321.285 of the Code of Iowa, to determine upon the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation, that the speed limit of any secondary road is greater than is reasonable and proper under the conditions existing, and may determine and declare a reasonable and proper speed limit, and WHEREAS, such an investigation has been requested and has been completed by the Union County Engineer, and WHEREAS, Old Hwy 34 is not classified as a collector and has relatively low traffic volumes, now. THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE UNION COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS that the speed limit be established, and appropriate signs be erected at the locations as follows (all within the Southeast Quarter of Section 7, T72N, R29W, Southwest Quarter of Section 8, T72N, R29W, and North Half of Section 17, T72N, R29W): Old Hwy 34 From Hwy 34 to Calvary Road. All of the above sections of roadway shall be posted as 35 miles per hour. Roll call vote: Friday aye, Brown aye, Hopkins aye, motion carried.

BIBLE READING REQUEST: Motion by Brown and seconded by Friday to approve the Bible Reading Request which is connected with the 99 Counties Bible Reading Marathon, as requested by Penny Carson. All voting aye, motion carried.

RESOLUTION #2 FYR 24/25 – FISCAL YEAR SALARIES: Motion by Friday and seconded by Brown to approve the Resolution #2 FYR 24/25 – Fiscal Year Salaries as follows:

SUPERVISORS

Dennis Brown	\$30,913.63
Rick Friday	\$30,913.63
Dennis Hopkins	\$30,913.63

BUILDINGS/GROUNDS

Shawn Lauer	\$52,397.06
James Bristow-PT	\$20.90 /hr
Chad Woods-PT	\$20.90 /hr

AUDITOR

Sandy Hysell	\$73,790.11
Budget Director	\$3,447.50
Mindi Eslinger	\$62,721.59
Michelle West	\$56,818.38
Bonnie Scroggie	\$53,128.87
PEO-Chairs	\$12.00 /hr
PEO-Workers	\$11.00 /hr

SECONDARY ROADS

Christian Boehmer	\$135,850.00
Albert Hysell	\$79,102.79
Teresa Arkfeld	\$23.44 /hr
Dillon Bailey	\$23.47 /hr
Trevor Barnett	\$24.94 /hr
Tom Day	\$27.72 /hr
Mason Fry	\$27.72 /hr
Jason Hayes	\$27.72 /hr
Dustin Hepp	\$24.74 /hr
Jason James	\$24.64 /hr
Tony Keeler	\$21.51 /hr
Todd Kinkade	\$27.72 /hr
Kruse Kirscher	\$30.79 /hr
David Lamb	\$30.79 /hr

TREASURER

Kelly Busch	\$73,790.11
Stacey Graham	\$62,721.59
Christine Bristow	\$56,818.38
Kayla Brown	\$56,818.38

ATTORNEY

Shane O'Toole	\$121,733.51
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Teri Siddens	\$65,922.70	Stacy Loy	\$27.72 /hr
Alan Wilson-PT Salary	\$40,000.00	Waylon Marvin	\$27.72 /hr
		Roger McIntire	\$27.72 /hr
		Kevin McVay	\$27.72 /hr
SHERIFF		Mitchell Morris	\$27.72 /hr
Mark Shepherd	\$102,014.97	Chad Needham	\$32.17 /hr
Christopher Knouse	\$86,712.72	Kolten Phelps	\$27.72 /hr
Jennifer Wheeler	\$27.38 /hr	John Reed	\$27.72 /hr
Josh Christensen	\$27.23 /hr	Scott Schultz	\$30.90 /hr
Eric Denton	\$24.89 /hr		
Austin Eblen	\$24.89 /hr	ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH	
Noah Fargo	\$30.70 /hr	Amanda Husband-PT	\$22.07 /hr
Mason Gossman	\$24.89 /hr		
Dillon Hightshoe	\$31.27 /hr	EMERGENCY MGMT	
Ryan Maitlen	\$31.65 /hr	Jo Duckworth	\$64,539.87
Dan McNeill	\$35.91 /hr		
Dorie Shiltz	\$29.89 /hr	SANITARY LANDFILL	
Kory Weide	\$30.70 /hr	Janeen Frey	\$72,800.00
Dillon Weis	\$24.89 /hr	Dennis Brown - PT	\$13.58 /hr
		Di Boone - PT	\$13.58 /hr
RECORDER		ASSESSOR	
Katie Carlton	\$73,790.11	Mindy Schaefer	\$72,888.29
Shelene Kelley	\$62,721.59	Joni Cook	\$61,160.24
Judy Hopkins-PT	\$19.00 /hr		
VETERAN AFFAIRS		SCI-911	
Gary Gelhaye	\$20.00 /hr	Diane Sefrit	\$50,768.00
Tom Hawks - PT	\$10.00 /hr		
COUNTY CONSERVATION			
Doug Jones	\$73,790.11		
Michael Hilger	\$61,245.78		
Aaron McCutchan	\$61,245.78		
Tom King	\$53,128.87		

Roll call vote: Friday aye, Brown aye, Hopkins aye, motion carried.

VETERAN'S AFFAIRS REAPPOINTMENT: Motion by Friday and seconded by Brown to reappoint Gary Riley and John Parkins for another 3-year term. All voting aye, motion carried.

HANDWRITTEN CLAIMS: Moton by Brown and seconded by Friday to approve the following Handwritten Claims: SISCO for \$96,180.40 and VISA/ISSB for \$255.35. All voting aye, motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 11:00AM.

BY: _____
DENNIS HOPKINS, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST: _____
SANDY HYSELL, AUDITOR