

BOARD PROCEEDINGS
October 20, 2015
REGULAR OCTOBER SESSION

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment. Present were: Don McGregor, Chairman, Don Besch, Jack Plathe, Roger Tjarks and Pam Wymore.

Public Discussion was held.

Motion by Wymore and 2nd by Tjarks to approve the agenda, the minutes of the previous meeting dated October 13, 2015 and the claims which include the Conservation Claims. Motion carried.

Advanced Drainage	Supp	1471.87	1
Al's Repair	Srvs	96.00	1
Algona Glass	Srvs	86.50	1
Algona Livestock	Srvs	400.00	1
Algona Machine & Sply	Supp	29.50	1
AMU	Srvs	7371.53	8
Algona Plumb & Htg	Srvs	93.40	1
Alg Pub Co	Notices	1540.58	4
Algona Recycling Inc	Srvs	455.00	1
Alliant Energy	Srvs	4614.30	2
American Concrete	Sup	3482.50	1
S Anderson	Exp	444.67	1
Appletime	Exp	477.38	1
AUS Des Moines MC Lockbox	Srvs	28.00	1
AT & T	Phone	40.71	1
B & W Control Spec	Supp	92.50	1
Bancroft Reg.	Notices	402.11	1
K Benschoter	Exp	400.27	2
Bisso Wireless, LLC	Srvs	129.95	1
Bitz Small Engines	Parts	21.10	1
BMC Aggregates	Rock	677.77	1
Bob Boland Ford	Srvs	44.55	1
Bomgaars	Supp	263.62	3
Boyer Trucks SF, Inc	Parts	96.06	1
Brians Welding	Srvs	66.60	2
Brown Supp Co	Supp	978.39	1
Brown's Shoe Fit Co	Supp	57.30	4
Bugs N Stuff	Srvs	222.00	2
Card Services	Exp	3419.56	3
Cardinal Lawn & Sports	Supp	400.00	1
Carpenter Uniform Co	Supp	233.88	1
Carroll Construction Supply	Sup	215.85	1
P Casey	Exp	138.00	1
Central IA Dist	Supp	2242.65	4
Centurylink	Phone	1355.39	3
Cintas	Supp	72.54	1
City of Algona	Exp	9592.60	1
City of Ledyard	Utilities	93.00	1
City of Swea City	Exp	47.01	1
Barnes Group	Supplies	946.00	1
Hicktory Tech	Phone	99.38	1
Cooks Scrap Iron & Metal	Supp	36.00	1
Credit Bureau	Exp	108.00	1
Dave D Lane	Exp	478.83	1
E Davis	Exp	20.00	1
Deitering Bros	Sup	224.99	1
Diamond Mowers	Parts	244.15	1
Doston, G, C, L,S Attys at Law	Srvs	180.00	1
Ed Roehr Safety	Srvs	175.95	1
Ed's Srvs	Fuel	136.79	1
Elec Systems & Software	Supp	6229.98	3
Electronic Specialties	Srvs	117.80	2
Fairmont Fire Systems	Srvs	250.00	1
Farm & Home Pub	Supp	12.96	1
Farmers Coop Elev	Fuel	64.76	1
Fast Oil	Srvs	94.53	1

Fenton Coop Telephone	Srvs	251.53	2
Galls	Supp	99.30	2
Hancor, Inc.	Sup	3456.60	1
Harrison Truck Centers	Parts	152.07	1
Heartland Power Cooperative	Ser	52.00	1
B Heetland	Exp	65.14	1
L Hefty	Exp	20.00	1
J Helmers	Exp	13.36	1
Hy-Vee	Supp	80.13	2
IAN Treasurer	Exp	108.00	1
IMWCA	Work Comp	16595.00	2
Interstate Battery	Supp	11.80	1
Ia Comm Assurance Pool	Ins	787.25	1
Ia Dept of Natural Resources	Dues	99.00	1
IA Lakes EC	Elec	1172.15	2
IA Lakes EC	Serv	173.21	1
Iowa Lakes Regional Water	Utilities	68.50	1
IA Law Enforcement	Supp	349.00	1
IOS	Supp	466.40	6
IA One Call	Srvs	12.60	1
IA Prison Ind	Signs	379.50	1
IA Transit	Supp	182.88	1
ISAC	Fee	523.60	1
ISAC	Reg	455.00	2
Jacks OK Tire Srv	Srvs	1015.05	2
Jan. Closet	Supp	141.62	1
JMV Graphix	Supp	338.75	2
John Deere Financial	Parts	359.04	1
K & H	Fuel	1253.44	2
Kemco Tires	Srvs	673.54	2
N Knecht	Exp	12.50	1
KRHC	Srvs	75.00	1
KC Sec Road	Fuel	3790.94	4
KC Sheriff	Srvs	82.30	3
Lone Rock Coop Tel	Phone	653.78	1
Loofts on 9	Fuel	105.79	1
Lubrication Technologies, Inc.	Ser	110.00	1
C Ludwig	Exp	148.35	1
Mangold Environm Testing	Srvs	22.00	1
Martin Marietta Agg	Rock	8722.07	1
MaxYield Coop	Fuel	46.50	1
Merryman Bridge Cons	Cons	9047.84	1
Midland Power Coop	Utilities	727.24	3
Midwest Building Mat	Exp	146.74	1
Midwest Card and ID	Supp	239.50	1
Midwest Electronic Recov	Exp	1386.40	1
Mike Looft TW	Fuel	3344.19	1
Motor Inn/Alg	Rep.	427.84	2
Motorola Solutions Inc	Supp	45689.10	1
S Muller	Exp	8.29	1
NACO	Exp	450.00	1
NAPA	Parts	5.48	1
NG 911	Exp	297.25	1
NIA Lumber&Design	Exp	89.94	2
NW Comm	Service	782.84	1
Notary Law Ins	Exp	18.50	1
D Penton	Exp	88.18	1
Pet Kingdom	Exp	62.47	1
Pete Howe Indust.	Exp	3610.00	1
Petroblend	Exp	172.25	1
J Pfeffer	Exp	20.00	1
J Plathe	Exp	81.65	1
Polk Co Sheriff	Srvs	19.60	1
Prairie Energy Coop	Lights	25.75	1
Prairie Ridge	Exp	877.09	1
ProBuild	Supp	1607.38	3
J Radmaker	Exp	27.11	1
Ramada Northwest Inn & Suties	Exp	61.60	1
S Rasmussen	Exp	324.00	1

R Reefer	Exp	20.00	1
Rental Zone, LLC	Srvs	2949.00	1
River Road Golf Club	Exp	2500.00	1
C Robinson	Exp	49.66	1
Ruhnke Bros	Srvs	251.25	1
Schindler Lawn Care	Srvs	540.00	1
SOS	Service	30.00	1
Sign Works	Supp	44.13	1
St Hygienic Lab	Supp	140.00	1
Stundahl's Cleaning	Srvs	255.00	1
Susan Frye & Assoc, Inc.	Srvs	700.00	1
SC Herald Press	Notices	402.11	1
Water Conn	Srvs	169.46	3
M Thilges	Exp	20.00	1
Thomson Reuters West	Supp	186.40	1
Titonka Burt Comm	Phone	725.66	2
Trans IA Equip	Equ	35988.00	1
Treasurer State of Iowa	Exp	1271.00	1
Trupke	Rep.	33.90	2
US Cellular	Srvs	541.77	3
St. Lukes Res.	Srvs	111.00	1
Vaccum Cleaning Center	Srvs	59.95	1
Verizon Wireless	Phone	160.04	1
W & H Coop Oil Co	Fuel	18536.60	1
J Wagner	Exp	66.00	1
Wallace Water Conditioning	Srvs	18.00	1
J Waller	Exp	1005.00	1
J Waltman	Exp	22.79	1
Waste Mgmt of WI-MN	Srvs	76158.16	5
Wellmark BCBS	Fees	143229.17	1
Winnebago Coop Telep	Srvs	170.78	1
WM Recycle America	Ser	1002.92	1
P Wymore	Exp	40.00	1
Ziegler	Exp	14547.36	1
Grand Total		466022.79	

Scott Curtis was present to give the monthly report for Kossuth Regional Health Center.

Motion by Plathe and 2nd by Besch to approve and sign the Proclamation for Domestic Violence Awareness for the month of October. Motion carried.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, home should be a place of warmth, unconditional love, tranquility & security, and for most of us, home and family can indeed be counted among our greatest blessings. Tragically, for many community members, these blessings are tarnished by violence and fear; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence is more than an occasional family dispute. It is a serious crime that affects people of all races, ethnicities, ages, mental or physical abilities, socioeconomic status, religious backgrounds and genders; and

WHEREAS, the crime of domestic violence violates an individual's privacy, dignity, security, and humanity due to the systematic use of physical, emotional, sexual, psychological and economic control or abuse; and

WHEREAS, over 264 adults & children have been killed in the state of Iowa as a result of domestic violence since 1995, and Crisis Intervention Service provided assistance to 46 victims of domestic violence in Kossuth County in 2014; and

WHEREAS, children who grow up in violent homes are abused and neglected at a higher rate than the national average and more than 4 million children in the United States are at risk for witnessing domestic violence each year; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence costs the nation over \$5 billion annually in medical expenses, law enforcement and court costs, shelters and foster care, sick leave, absenteeism and reduced worker productivity; and

WHEREAS, only a coordinated community effort will bring an end to this epidemic of crime and violence and we, as a community, must address the problem of domestic violence in our homes and neighborhoods every day of the year; and

WHEREAS, a coalition of organizations has emerged to directly confront this crisis. Law enforcement officials, victim service programs, health care providers, the faith community and other concerned citizens are helping in the effort to end domestic violence. We must recognize the compassion & dedication of these volunteers & professionals applaud their efforts and increase public understanding of this importance social problem.

NOW THEREFORE, I, -----, **Chairman of the Kossuth County Board of Supervisors** do hereby proclaim the month of October 2015 as **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH** and urge all citizens of **Kossuth County** to observe this month by becoming aware of the tragedy of domestic violence, supporting those who are working toward its end and participating in community efforts.

*Dated this **1st day of October, 2015.***

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Motion by Tjarks and 2nd by Besch to terminate the Mental Health Advocate employee effective October 20, 2015. Chairman McGregor called for a roll call vote: Wymore: yes, Tjarks: yes, Plathe: yes, Besch: yes, McGregor: yes. Motion carried.

The Board was provided copies of the September 2015 transfers that Amber Garman, Kossuth County Auditor made from General Basic to Secondary Road in the amount of \$67,287.18 and from Rural Basic to Secondary Road in the amount of \$643,435.17. The transfers were made on October 5, 2015.

Drainage was held followed by Discussion with Kossuth County Engineer.

Discussion with Kossuth County Auditor was held followed by Board Discussion and Committee Reports.

On motion adjournment was taken until October 27, 2015.

Attest:

Amber Garman
Kossuth County Auditor

Don McGregor, Chairman
Kossuth County Board of Supervisors