

West Union, Fayette County, Iowa
Thursday, January 2, 2020

The Board of Supervisors of Fayette County, Iowa, met on Thursday, January 2, 2020, at 9:00 o'clock a.m., at the Fayette County Supervisors' office.

The meeting was called to order by Lori Moellers, Fayette County Auditor.

The roll was called showing the following Supervisors present and absent:

Present: Janell Bradley, Jeanine Tellin and Marty Stanbrough

Absent: -None-

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to appoint Jeanine Tellin as the Chairperson of the Board for 2020. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Stanbrough and seconded by Tellin to appoint Janell Bradley as the Vice-Chairperson for 2020. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Stanbrough and seconded by Bradley to approve the current agenda. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to approve the minutes from the Monday, December 23rd, 2019 meeting. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Application for designation as official newspapers for Fayette County for 2020 were received from the Oelwein Register, a daily newspaper published in the City of Oelwein; the Fayette County Union, a weekly newspaper published in the City of West Union; and the Elgin Echo, a weekly newspaper published in the City of Elgin.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to approve that the Oelwein Register, The Fayette County Union and the Elgin Echo be designated as the official newspapers of Fayette County for 2020. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Stanbrough and seconded by Bradley to approve the following individuals be appointed to the Fayette County positions indicated;

Engineer	Joel Fantz
Sanitation & Zoning Administrator	Catherine Miller
Weed Commissioner	Blake Gamm
Community Services	Sheri Vierkant
Veterans Affairs	Randall Laughead
Relief Director	Northeast Iowa Community Action

On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough that the following appointments to various boards be made for 2020.

Jeanine Tellin, Vice Chair	Janell Bradley, Chair	Marty Stanbrough
<i>Fayette County Solid Waste Comm.</i>	<i>Fayette County Solid Waste Comm.</i>	<i>Fayette County Solid Waste Comm.</i>
<i>Dept. of Correctional Services, Alt.</i>	<i>Highway 150 Corridor Committee</i>	<i>Iowa Workforce Development (CEO Board)</i>
<i>NE Iowa Behavioral Health Bd.</i>	<i>Prairie View Advisory Board</i>	<i>Turkey River Recreation Corridor</i>
<i>Economic Development & Tourism Board</i>	<i>NE Iowa Comm. Foundation</i>	<i>Emergency Management (EMA) Board</i>
<i>BDF Empowerment Board</i>	<i>Heartland Insurance, Alt. Trustee</i>	<i>Upper Explorerland Regional Plan. Comm.</i>
<i>NE Iowa Juvenile Detention Board</i>	<i>RC & D Board of Directors</i>	<i>MHI Advisory Board</i>
<i>Heartland Risk Insurance Pool Trustee</i>	<i>River Bluffs Scenic Byways Board</i>	<i>E911 Board</i>
<i>Upper Explorerland Policy Bd. Alt.</i>	<i>RLF-IRP Loan Review Board (UERPC)</i>	<i>NE Iowa Housing Trust Fund Board</i>
<i>Fayette County Board of Health</i>	<i>Scenic Byways of Iowa Foundation</i>	<i>NE Iowa Community Action Board</i>
<i>CSS (County Social Services)</i>	<i>Upper Explorerland Trans. Policy Bd.</i>	<i>Dept. of Correction Services</i>
	<i>Turkey River Recreation Corridor Alt.</i>	

On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to appoint Pat Hunsberger, to the Fayette County Board of Health for three-year terms ending December 31, 2022. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Stanbrough and seconded by Bradley to appoint Wendy Munger to the Fayette County Conservation Board to fill a vacancy with term ending December 31, 2020. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to appoint Benjamin Jensen to the Fayette County Conservation Board for a 5-year term ending December 31, 2024. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to appoint David Sondrol to the Fayette County Civil Service Commission for a 6 year term ending December 31, 2025. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Stanbrough and seconded by Bradley to appoint Niles Boehmler, Jerry Schott and Jaime Hackley to the Fayette County Cemetery Commission for a 3 year term ending December 31, 2022. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to reappoint the same members to the Fayette County Compensation Commission for Eminent Domain Proceedings. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to appoint Dr. Anthony Leo as the Fayette County Medical Examiner for a 2 year term ending December 31, 2021. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Tellin to appoint Marty Stanbrough to the Upper Explorerland Regional Planning Commission for a 3 year term ending December 31, 2022. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to appoint Joe Schmitz to the Oran Sanitation District for a 3 year term ending December 31, 2022. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to appoint Rod Marlatt to the Turkey River Watershed Authority for a one year term ending December 31, 2020. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

The Board met with Blake Gamm for a review of the Roadside Report and also a discussion regarding staff changes.

The Board met with Stan Moellers from Vanguard for an update regarding the Assessor's Office.

The Board had a discussion regarding setting fees per turbine for the ZC Application Building Permit.

Motion was made by Bradley and seconded by Stanbrough to set the fees per turbine at \$500.00. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

Motion was made by Stanbrough and seconded by Bradley to set the date for the 1st Reading of a Proposed Ordinance #42 an ordinance updating the current Wind Ordinance for Monday, January 20, 2020 at 9:15 a.m. On roll call, all voted aye, none nay, and the motion was carried.

The Board met with Rod Marlatt, Conservation, for a brief update.

Effective December 30, 2019, Jeremy Ruckdashel of West Union, Iowa has been hired for the full time position of Mechanic I in the Road Department. His starting wage and benefits as per the collective bargaining agreement (first six months at 90% of \$21.23, plus \$0.80 or \$19.91 per hour).

The Board adjourned.

Upon request, this information could be made available in large print, and/or computer disk.

Lori Moellers
County Auditor

Jeanine Tellin
Chair of the Board