

The Iowa County Board of Supervisors met March 10, 2017. Chairman Garringer called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m. Garringer, Huedepohl, Pope, and Heitshusen were present. Gahring, absent.

Motion by Pope, seconded by Huedepohl to **approve the agenda**. All aye, motion carried.

Motion by Heitshusen, seconded by Huedepohl to **approve the minutes** from March 3, 2017. All aye, motion carried.

Chair Note: Board received Manure Management Plans from Triple C and The Garden. Board approved handwritten claims paid with warrant numbers 50576 - 50577 and payroll paid with warrant numbers 50578 - 50733.

Motion by Pope, seconded by Huedepohl to **approve liquor license renewal for Amana General Store**, 4423 220th Street, Amana, Iowa 52203. All aye, motion carried.

Motion by Pope, seconded by Huedepohl to **approve liquor license renewal for Amana Colonies Outdoor Convention Facility**, 3890 C Street, Amana, Iowa 52203. All aye, motion carried.

Motion by Pope, seconded by Huedepohl to **approve liquor license renewal for Amana Colonies Outdoor Convention Facility**, 38 38th Avenue, Amana, Iowa 52203. All aye, motion carried.

Motion by Heitshusen, seconded by Pope to **approve and authorize Board Chairperson to sign list of Depository Institutions and Amounts as submitted by the Iowa County Treasurer**. All aye, motion carried.

Nick Amelon, County Engineer met with the board to discuss construction, road maintenance and other miscellaneous items in the secondary road department.

Motion by Pope, seconded by Huedepohl to **approve 90-Day Road Embargos**. All aye, motion carried.

RESOLUTION

90-DAY EMBARGO ON SPECIFIC ROADS RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Iowa County Board of Supervisors recognizes the severity of the past winter and its effects on certain roads during the period of thawing this spring. The weather conditions have caused certain secondary roads to be incapable of bearing the customary traffic thereon without undue damage.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors is empowered under authority of Section 321.236(8), 321.255 and 321.471 to 321.473 of the Code of Iowa to prohibit the operation of vehicles upon

Secondary Roads or to impose restrictions as to weight of vehicles to be operated upon said secondary roads, except farm tractors as defined in Section 321.1, Subsection 7, for a total period not to exceed ninety days in any one calendar year, whenever any said highway by reason of deterioration, rain, snow or other climatic conditions will be seriously damaged or destroyed unless the use of vehicles thereon is prohibited or the permissible weights thereof reduced.

WHEREAS, alternate routes are available to heavier vehicles and hardship exemptions may be obtained through the Secondary Road Department for necessary travel on the roadway; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Iowa County Board of Supervisors that the following weight restrictions are in effect for the period of 90 days from March 10, 2017, or until rescinded by the removal of signs by the proper authority, if conditions warrant an earlier date:

10 Ton Load Limit

Complete Listing of Roads to be embargoed:

Seal Coat Roads:

- 230th Street from H Avenue to G Avenue
- G Avenue from 230th Street to 260th Street
- Q Boulevard from Williamsburg City Limits to R Avenue
- 120th Street from Highway 151 to W Avenue

The Secondary Roads Department is hereby directed to have erected such signs as are necessary to advise the traveling public of these limits, in accordance with Section 321.472 of the Iowa Code. Exemptions from said restrictions include implements of husbandry as defined in section 321.1, implements of husbandry loaded on hauling units for transporting implements to location for repair; or emergency response vehicles and road maintenance equipment owned by or under lease to, or used in the performance of a contract with a state or local authority.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Engineer may grant permits of exemption upon a showing that there is a need to move to market farm produce of a type subject to rapid spoilage, or loss of value or to move any farm feeds or fuel for home hearing purposes.

Scot Wetjen, Building Maintenance met with the board to present monthly update and Energy Cost Analysis for Iowa County Transportation building.

Motion by Huedepohl, seconded by Pope to **approve & accept emailed bid from Jones Auto in the amount of \$250.00 for purchase of 2004 Chevrolet Venture,** VIN: 1GNDX03E64D117110. All aye, motion carried.

Motion by Heitshusen, seconded by Pope to **approve the title transfer of 2017 Dodge Grand Caravan,** VIN: 2C4RDGBG0HR626177, to ECICOG, this allows this vehicle to be included in the vehicle replacement cycle. All aye, motion carried.

No action taken regarding Pioneer Cemetery Commission vacancies.

No action taken regarding appointment of Condemnation Compensation Commission.

Motion by Heitshusen, seconded by Pope to **adjourn** at 10:30 a.m. All aye, motion carried.

Ray Garringer, Chairman

Jessica Stohlmann, Auditor

*****Minutes are unofficial until approved at next Board Meeting.***-**