

March 31, 2026

The Board of Supervisors met at 9:00 o'clock A.M. with Craig Dozark, chair presiding. Members present were Schultz, Muhlbauer, Dozark, Heiden, and Rosburg.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read, corrected and approved.

The Board recognized the hiring of Richard Rasmussen – Seasonal P/T Grade Crew Employee, Mitchell Schwartz – Seasonal P/T Ditch Crew/West Employee, Barry Jurgensen – Seasonal P/T Motor Grader Operator, Kay Blunk – Regular P/T Engineer's Office Employee, Vernis Nihsen – Seasonal P/T Roadside Employee, Charlie Gotto – Seasonal P/T Roadside Employee, William Blunk – Seasonal P/T Bridge Crew Laborer, and Damon Ehlers – Seasonal P/T Truck Driver/Gravel Haul in the Engineer's Department.

At 10:00 o'clock A.M., a motion was made by Schultz, seconded by Heiden to open the public hearing for the reclassification of 230<sup>th</sup> St. between H Ave and G Ave from an Area Service Road "B" to an Area Service Road "A". There were no written or oral objections. At 10:02 o'clock A.M. a motion was made by Rosburg, seconded by Muhlbauer to close the hearing.

Motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Heiden, seconded by Schultz to approve the following resolution:

Crawford County Resolution #2026-15  
Reclassifying certain Secondary Road from Area Service "B" Road to Area Service "A" Road.

WHEREAS, Crawford County desires to reclassify a certain road on the secondary road system in the county to provide for an increased level of maintenance; and

WHEREAS, Crawford County, after consultation with the Crawford County Engineer, has the authority to reclassify certain roads within the County as Area Service "A" roads pursuant to Iowa Code Section 309.57; and

WHEREAS, the Crawford County Board of Supervisors, after consulting with the Crawford County Engineer, desire to reclassify a certain road in Crawford County from Area Service "B" Road to Area Service "A" Road to provide for an increased level of maintenance to best utilize maintenance funds, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Notice of Public Hearing duly published according to the Iowa Code, Public Hearing as held on March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2026 at 10:00 A.M. in the Board of Supervisors room at the Crawford County Courthouse, Denison, Iowa, to hear support and/or objections from the public on road so designated.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY that this County does hereby Reclassify the road described as Area Service "A" road.

GOODRICH TOWNSHIP T-84N R-39W

1. 230<sup>th</sup> St. between H Ave. and G Ave. Said road generally lying along the West Line of Sec. 5-84-39 established by Road Petition No. 128.

Voting Aye: Schultz, Muhlbauer, Dozark, Heiden, and Rosburg. Motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Muhlbauer, seconded by Rosburg to approve the proclamation for April 2026 as Child Abuse Prevention Month in Crawford County.

Motion passed unanimously.

Kurt Miller, Hoffman Agency, presented the Board with the 2025 values of Machinery Insurance. A motion was made by Schultz, seconded by Heiden to approve Machinery Valuations Insurance.

Motion passed unanimously.

Kurt Miller, Hoffman Agency, discussed with the Board, Insurance deductibles. No action was taken - keep the deductibles where they are currently.

Zach Rasmussen gave the Board an EMA update.

Zach Rasmussen discussed with the Board, the EMS Task Force, presenting names for EMSAC. No action taken at this time.

A motion was made by Schultz, seconded by Heiden approved the tax abatement for 2815 Hwy 59, Denison, Jason Rasmussen, new home.

Motion passed unanimously.

Martha Sibble, Assistant County Attorney, discussed with the Board the All-Rise Conference and reimbursement of funds. No action was taken at this time.

A motion was made by Muhlbauer, seconded by Heiden to approve the following resolution:

Resolution #2026-16

A RESOLUTION DISSOLVING THE CRAWFORD COUNTY COMPENSATION BOARD

WHEREAS, the Iowa General Assembly has enacted legislation, including Iowa Code section 331.905(7), authorizing county boards of supervisors to dissolve the county compensation boards and assume the responsibility of setting salaries for elected county officials; and

WHEREAS, the Crawford County Board of Supervisors has determined it is in the county’s best interest to dissolve the compensation board.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Crawford County Board of Supervisors as follows:

Dissolving the Crawford County Compensation Board: Pursuant to Iowa Code section 331.905(7), the Crawford County Compensation Board is hereby dissolved.

Assumption of Duties: Pursuant to Iowa Code sections 331.905(7) and 331.907, the Crawford County Board of Supervisors shall perform all duties otherwise assigned to the county compensation board.

Implementation: This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Prior resolutions: This resolution supersedes any prior resolutions inconsistent with this resolution.

Duration: This resolution shall remain in effect for each subsequent fiscal year unless repealed or amended by the Crawford County Board of Supervisors or otherwise required by law.

Voting Aye: Schultz, Muhlbauer, Dozark, Heiden, and Rosburg. Motion passed unanimously.

On motion duly seconded the Board adjourned at 11:37 o’clock A.M.

Agendas for the next meeting are posted and available at the Courthouse on Friday at 4:30 o’clock P.M. preceding the next meeting.

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County Auditor

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Chairperson

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At 5:30 o’clock P.M., as advertised, Craig Dozark, chair presiding, opened the Public Hearing regarding the Proposed Property Tax. There was one written statement. 4 citizens attended in person. There were questions asked about levy rates, revenue for the county/economic growth, and future of Smithfield. At 6:24 o’clock P.M. a motion was made by Heiden, seconded by Rosburg to close the hearing. Motion passed unanimously. On motion duly seconded the Board adjourned at 6:24 o’clock P.M.

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