

LINN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
CEDAR RAPIDS, LINN COUNTY, IOWA
TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 2025 10:00 A.M.

The Board met in session at the Linn County Jean Oxley Public Service Center. Present: Chairperson Rogers, Vice Chairperson Meisheid and Supervisor Running-Marquardt. Board members voting "AYE" unless otherwise noted.

Chairperson Rogers called the meeting to order.

Chairperson Rogers announced that the public hearing that is on today's agenda was published for 11:00 a.m., therefore, the Board will recess after they conduct their other business and reconvene at 11:00 a.m. He welcomed anyone present to speak under Public Comment at this time.

Dustin Hammersland, Center Point, stated that his family is requesting the right-of-way vacation. They recently purchased the parcels north and south of the road. He noted that the neighbors are in support.

Motion by Meisheid, seconded by Rogers to approve claims dated 1/17/25 for payroll deduction checks #71016693 - #71016701 in the amount of \$13,357.70, ACH in the amount of \$60,296.34, an EFT wire in the amount of \$25,140.33 and a Ceridian ER Funds Trust Wire in the amount of \$2,197,109.12, for a total of \$2,295,903.49.

Stephanie Lientz, Planning & Development, presented Linn County's annual recertification in the Community Rating System (National Flood Rating). Linn County is a Class 7 which translates to a 15% discount. The Board will approve on Wednesday.

Darrin Gage, Dir. of Policy & Admin., presented the eleven city library contracts for the Board's approval.

Motion by Rogers, seconded by Meisheid to approve the following Fiscal Year 2025 rural library appropriations, approve and authorize the Chair to sign individual contracts for library services, and authorize the release of payment to individual libraries upon receipt of their respective contracts: Cedar Rapids - \$79,161.50; Center Point - \$73,908.93; Central City - \$23,981.40; Coggon - \$13,706; Ely - \$30,827.03; Fairfax - \$25,634.45; Hiawatha - \$78,349.66; Lisbon - \$23,344.43; Marion - \$75,513.54; Mt. Vernon - \$31,921.86 and Springville - \$28,651.20.

Motion by Rogers, seconded by Meisheid to approve payroll authorizations (detail is available upon request).

The Board recessed at 10:10 a.m. and reconvened at 11:00 a.m.

Motion by Rogers, seconded by Meisheid to open a public hearing to determine whether Linn County will vacate right-of-way along a portion of the SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 19, T. 85N., R. 07W. of the 5th P.M., Linn County, Iowa described as follows: All of Cummings Ford Road located in said Section 19. Said vacated area equal to 84,795 sf or 1.95 acres.

Proof of publication was presented. There were no oral or written objections.

Curtis Logan, Asst. Co. Eng., stated that the neighbors are in favor as is the County Engineer.

Motion by Rogers, seconded by Meisheid to close public hearing.

Adjournment at 11:01 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

TODD E. TAYLOR, Linn County Auditor
By: Rebecca Shoop, Deputy Auditor

APPROVED BY:

BEN ROGERS, Chairperson
Board of Supervisors