

The Union County Board of Supervisors met in Regular Session on Wednesday, November 13, 2019. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM with the following members present: Ron Riley, Rick Friday and Dennis Brown.

AGENDA: Motion by Friday and seconded by Riley to approve the Agenda. All voting aye, motion carried.

MINUTES: Motion by Riley and seconded by Friday to approve the Minutes from November 4, 2019. All voting aye, motion carried.

OPEN FORUM: John Kawa, Creston Park and Rec Board Member, expressed concerns on the complaint on the Mayoral Race in Creston. He felt that voters in Creston have spoken on who they want for their Mayor.

ENGINEER: Zach Gunsolley, Union County Engineer, presented and discussed the weekly maintenance activity report. **Utility Permit:** Motion by Friday and seconded by Riley to approve the Utility Permit from Windstream for placing a new 12 pair copper cable along Cherry Street Road to replace a section that is washed out, 240th and washout area will be bored, cable will be plowed 18' from center line. All voting aye, motion carried.

SET PUBLIC HEARING – ORDINANCE #50 SNOW REMOVAL: Motion by Friday and seconded by Riley to set a public hearing at 10:00am on December 2, 2019 for Ordinance #50-Snow Removal update. Roll call vote: Friday aye, Riley aye, Brown aye, motion carried.

SPECIAL PROSECUTOR RESOLUTION: Motion by Riley and seconded by Friday to approve Resolution #13 to Appoint a Special Prosecutor as follows: NOW on this 13th day of November, 2019, the matter of the Union County Attorney's Application for Appointment of a Special Prosecutor comes before the Union County Board of Supervisors. WHEREAS, the Union County Auditor and the Union County Attorney have received a complaint regarding campaign conduct associated with the 2019 Mayor Election for the City of Creston held November 5, 2019, and; WHEREAS, the Union County Auditor has independently reviewed the matter with the Office of Secretary of State and the Union County Attorney has independently reviewed the matter with the Office of the Attorney General and; WHEREAS, based upon the preliminary assessment, it has been determined that all allegations contain specific details regarding allegations of violations of Chapter 39A and/or Chapter 49 of the Code of Iowa which potentially threaten the integrity of the election process and therefore warrant formal investigation, and; WHEREAS, the allegations involve the alleged commission of a serious misdemeanor offense, and; WHEREAS, the Office of the Attorney General has recommended that a Special Prosecutor that does not reside in Creston and/or Union County be appointed to prosecute the alleged violation(s). BE AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that, effective November 13, 2019, Clinton L. Spurrier, Mount Ayr, Iowa, be and is hereby appointed Special Prosecutor in and for Union County for Purposes of investigating and prosecuting any/all violations associated with the November 2019 Mayoral Election for the City of Creston. Said appointment shall continue until any/all such cases are completed. Roll call vote: Riley aye, Friday aye, Brown aye, motion carried.

1st TIER CANVASS CITY/SCHOOL ELECTION 2019: Motion by Friday and seconded by Riley to approve the 1st Tier 2019 City/School Election Canvass as follows:

CITY OF AFTON – MAYOR:

Michelle Burger Received Sixty-Six (66) Votes
Scattering Received Ten (10) Votes

We therefore declare: Michelle Burger to be duly elected for the office of City of Afton – Mayor.

CITY OF AFTON – CITY COUNCIL AT-LARGE:

Mary F Hill Received Fifty-Three (53) Votes
Steve Kinyon Received Seventy-One (71) Votes
David Alan Cunningham Received Fifty-Seven (57) Votes
Scattering Received Three (3) Votes

We therefore declare: Mary F Hill, Steve Kinyon and David Alan Cunningham to be duly elected for office of City of Afton - Council At-Large.

CITY OF THAYER – MAYOR:

Jennifer Mitchell Received Six (6) Votes.
Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

We there for declare: Jennifer Mitchell to be duly elected for the office of City of Thayer – Mayor.

CITY OF THAYER – CITY COUNCIL AT-LARGE:

Skip Mitchell Received Seven (7) Votes.
Deana Welcher Received Seven (7) Votes.
Britanee Ward-Case Received Seven (7) Votes.
Karen Mitchell Received Seven (7) Votes.
Les Vanderpluym Received Seven (7) Votes.
Scattering Received Seven (7) Votes.

We therefore declare: Skip Mitchell, Deana Welcher, Britanee Ward-Case, Karen Mitchell and Les Vanderpluym to be duly elected for the office of City of Thayer – City Council At-Large.

CITY OF ARISPE – MAYOR:

Dennis Wimmer Received Fifteen (15) Votes.
Ernie Abell Received Two (2) Votes.
Edward Fry Received One (1) Votes.
Denny Miller Received One (1) Votes.
Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

We therefore declare: Dennis Wimmer to be duly elected for the office of City of Arispe – Mayor.

CITY OF ARISPE – CITY COUNCIL AT-LARGE:

Darcy Johnson Received Ten (10) Votes.
Sandy Fry Received Twelve (12) Votes.
Diane Smith Received Three (3) Votes.
Robin Vogel Received One (1) Votes.
Mason Fry Received Two (2) Votes.
Deb Abell Received One (1) Votes.
Kathy Parham Received Three (3) Votes.
Illegible Received One (1) Votes.
Ed Fry Received One (1) Votes.
Roxanne Mick Received One (1) Votes.
Denise Johnson Received One (1) Votes.
Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

We therefore declare: Darcy Johnson and Sandy Fry to be duly elected for the office of City of Arispe – City Council At-Large.

CITY OF SHANNON CITY – MAYOR:

Terry Gilbert Received Five (5) Votes.
Wes Gilbert Received One (1) Votes.

CITY OF SHANNON CITY – CITY COUNCIL AT-LARGE 4-YEAR:

Randy Lilly Received Six (6) Votes.
Dale Cook Received Three (3) Votes.

CITY OF SHANNON CITY – CITY COUNCIL AT-LARGE 2-YEAR:

Glen Hoyt Received Five (5) Votes.
Robert Arnold Received Two (2) Votes.
Clay Arnold Received Six (6) Votes.
Wes Gilbert Received Two (2) Votes.
Dale Cook Received Two (2) Votes.

CITY OF CRESTON – MAYOR:

Jim Stalker Received Three Hundred and Sixty-Five (365) Votes.
Jack Willis Received One Hundred and Seven (107) Votes.
Steven Wintermute Received Four Hundred and Eighty-Four (484) Votes.
Gabe Carroll Received Six Hundred and Two (602) Votes.
Scattering Received Twenty-Nine (29) Votes.

We therefore declare: Gabe Carroll to be duly elected for the office of City of Creston – Mayor.

CITY OF CRESTON – CITY COUNCIL AT-LARGE:

Ron Higgins Received One Thousand and Seventy-Six (1,076) Votes.
MaKenzi Vonk Received Four Hundred and Fifty-Six (456) Votes.
Scattering Received Fourteen (14) Votes.

We therefore declare: Ron Higgins to be duly elected for the office of City of Creston – City Council At-Large.

CITY OF CRESTON – CITY COUNCIL WARD 2:

Richard P Madison Jr Received Three Hundred and Twenty-Nine (329) Votes.
Scattering Received Thirteen (13) Votes.

We therefore declare: Richard P Madison Jr to be duly elected for the office of City of Creston – City Council Ward 2.

CITY OF CRESTON – CITY COUNCIL WARD 4:

Brendalee Lyell-Keate Received One Hundred and Fifty-Seven (157) Votes.

Scattering Received Three (3) Votes.

We therefore declare: Brendalee Lyell-Keate to be duly elected for the office of City of Creston – City Council Ward 4.

CITY OF CRESTON – PARK AND RECREATION:

John Kawa Received One Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty-Eight (1,428) Votes.

Scattering Received Twenty-Five (25) Votes.

We therefore declare: John Kawa to be duly elected for the office of City of Creston – Park and Recreation.

CITY OF CROMWELL – MAYOR:

Duane Adamson Received Twenty-Seven (27) Votes.

Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

We therefore declare: Duane Adamson to be duly elected for the office of City of Cromwell – Mayor.

CITY OF CROMWELL – CITY COUNCIL AT-LARGE:

Eric Millslagle Received Twenty-Seven (27) Votes.

Robert D Hepp Received Twenty-Six (26) Votes.

Curt D Angell Received Twenty-Seven (27) Votes.

Amy L Angell Received Twenty-Seven (27) Votes.

Roger Millslagle Received Twenty-Seven (27) Votes.

Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

We therefore declare: Eric Millslagle, Robert D Hepp, Curt D Angell, Amy L Angell and Roger Millslagle to be duly elected for the office of City of Cromwell – City Council At-Large.

CITY OF LORIMOR – CITY COUNCIL AT-LARGE:

Stacy Tucker Received Forty-Four (44) Votes.

Tim O'Neil Received Twenty-Six (26) Votes

David Landers Received Three (3) Votes.

Sam Berch Received Twenty-Five (25) Votes.

Scattering Received Four (4) Votes.

We therefore declare: Stacy Tucker and Tim O'Neil to be duly elected for the office of City of Lorimor – City Council At-Large.

EAST UNION SCHOOL DIRECTOR DISTRICT 1:

Shannon Harper Received Sixty-Three (63) Votes.

Scattering Received Two (2) Votes.

We therefore declare: Shannon Harper to be duly elected for the office of East Union School Director District 1.

EAST UNION SCHOOL DIRECTOR DISTRICT 3:

Ben Clear Received Thirty-Three (33) Votes.

Scott Valencia Received Four (4) Votes.

We therefore declare: Ben Clear to be duly elected for the office of East Union School Director District 3.

EAST UNION SCHOOL DIRECTOR DISTRICT 4:

Sam McKnight Received Thirty (30) Votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

We therefore declare: Sam McKnight to be duly elected for the office of East Union School Director District 4.

CRESTON SCHOOL DIRECTOR AT-LARGE:

Don Gee Received Eight Hundred and Fifty-Two (852) Votes.

Bradley W James Received One Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty (1,320) Votes.

Scattering Received Twenty-Nine (29) Votes.

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE DIRECTOR TO FILL A VACANCY DISTRICT 1:

Jane Ernst Received Sixty-Four (64) Votes.

Scattering Received Two (2) Votes.

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE DIRECTOR DISTRICT 2:

Fred Shearer Received Zero (0) Votes.

Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE DIRECTOR DISTRICT 8:

John Cass Received One Thousand Three Hundred and Thirty (1,330) Votes.

Scattering Received Eight (8) Votes.

MURRAY SCHOOL DIRECTOR AT-LARGE:

Tara Page Received Zero (0) Votes.
Staci Heaberlin Received Zero (0) Votes.
Dennis Jeter Received Zero (0) Votes.
Andrew G Eckels Received Zero (0) Votes.
Sarah Dinham Received Zero (0) Votes.
Angela Miller-Flaherty Received Zero (0) Votes.

ORIENT-MACKSBURG SCHOOL DIRECTOR DISTRICT 2:
Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

ORIENT-MACKSBURG SCHOOL DIRECTOR DISTRICT 3:

Eldon Ray Received Zero (0) Votes.
Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

ORIENT-MACKSBURG SCHOOL DIRECTOR DISTRICT 4:

Jana Scott Received Zero (0) Votes.
Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

LENOX SCHOOL DIRECTOR AT-LARGE:

Noelle Parrish Received Zero (0) Votes.
Monty Douglas Received One (1) Votes.
Jake Tripp Received One (1) Votes.
Seth Evans Received Zero (0) Votes.
Scattering Received Zero (0) Votes.

CITY OF CRESTON – PUBLIC MEASURE UH (POOL):

Yes Received Seven Hundred and Fifty-Eight (758) Votes.
No Received Eight Hundred and Forty-Five (845) Votes.

We therefore declare: Public Measure UH (Pool) did not pass, didn't receive 60% of the Vote.

CITY OF CRESTON – PUBLIC MEASURE UI (LAKE):

Yes Received Nine Hundred and Five (905) Votes.
No Received Six Hundred and Ninety-Seven (697) Votes.

We therefore declare: Public Measure UI (Lake) did not pass, didn't receive 60% of the Vote.

CITY OF CRESTON – PUBLIC MEASURE UJ (LIBRARY):

Yes Received Eight Hundred and Four (804) Votes.
No Received Eight Hundred and Nine (809) Votes.

We therefore declare: Public Measure UJ (Library) did not pass, didn't receive 60% of the Vote.

Roll call vote: Friday aye, Riley aye, Brown aye, motion carried.

CLAIMS: Motion by Friday and seconded by Riley to approve Claims# 138884- Claims# 139033 for a total of \$5,442,617.40 as follows:

Vendor Name	Total Payments	Vendor Name	Total Payments
ACCESS TECHNOLOGIES INC	\$4,874.66	IOWA COUNTY ATTORNEYS	\$75.00
ADAMS COUNTY SHERIFFS OFFICE	\$2,946.01	IOWA DEPARTMENT OF AG	\$1,522.68
AGRILAND FS INC	\$19,366.36	IOWA DIVISION OF LABOR	\$775.00
AGRIVISION GROUP LLC	\$36.72	IEHA	\$80.00
AKIN BUILDING CENTER	\$1,316.34	IMWCA	\$4,675.00
ALLEN, JAMES	\$500.00	IOWA PRISON INDUSTRIES	\$796.20
ALLIANT ENERGY	\$5,020.02	IISAC	\$390.00
AVENU INSIGHTS	\$1,150.00	ISACA TREASURER	\$100.00
BARKER LEMAR & ASSOCIATES INC	\$1,241.25	JIMS SANITATION AND TRUCK	\$390.00
BEAM, KATHY	\$47.14	JOYFUL SPARKS PRESCHOOL	\$270.00
BERNIE LOWE & ASSOCIATES INC	\$896.00	JUNIOR DILLENBURG FARM	\$500.00
BIG BOYZ TOYZ INC	\$26.00	KSIB	\$45.00
BLACKSTRAP INC	\$3,373.56	LIBERTY TIRE SERVICES LLC	\$1,953.13
BM SALES	\$650.00	M & M MOTORS	\$442.00
BOMGAARS	\$387.28	MAINSTAY SYSTEMS INC	\$453.00
BOOTH LAW FIRM	\$233.85	MASTERCARD/ISSB	\$2,889.74
BUCK, MICHAEL D DDS PC	\$96.00	MATURA ACTION CORP	\$1,268.03
BYERS LOCK SHOP	\$111.00	MCNEILL, DAVID	\$100.00
CALHOUN-BURNS & ASSOC INC	\$2,888.80	METAL CULVERTS INC	\$21,868.50
CAREY LYNAM	\$3,142.80	METRO WASTE AUTHORITY	\$34,130.95
CENTRAL TRAILER SERVICE LTD	\$400.58	MIDWEST CARD & ID SOLUTIONS	\$420.53
CENTURY LINK	\$114.93	MILLER, CODY	\$20.00
CHAT MOBILITY	\$238.24	MIXDORF, RHONDA	\$20.00
CHECKETTS LAW PLC	\$207.90	MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS CREDIT	\$5,107,883.00
CINTAS FIRST AID & SAFETY	\$16.53	MURPHY TRACTOR	\$101.45
CITY DIRECTORY INC-CDI	\$890.00	NAPA	\$33.45
CITY LAUNDERING COMPANY	\$193.46	NEW HORIZONS-FAMILY	\$5,780.50
CITY OF AFTON	\$65.19	NEW LORIMORIAN	\$90.00

CITY OF CRESTON	\$15,009.49	NOSEKABEL, LORI	\$423.84
CITY OF CRESTON	\$404.42	OFFICE MACHINES COMPANY	\$253.93
CLARKE COUNTY SHERIFF	\$80.00	OHALLORAN INTERNATIONAL	\$2,624.32
COTT SYSTEMS INC	\$1,500.00	OKEEFE ELEVATOR COMPANY	\$309.37
COUNTRY CARE CENTER CORP	\$1,922.00	PARTNERSHIP FOR PROGRESS-	\$3,844.00
CREST HAVEN CARE CENTER	\$1,859.00	PEARSON FAMILY FUNERAL	\$900.00
CRESTON PUBLISHING COMPANY	\$1,546.65	POKORNY BP & AUTOMOTIVE	\$180.88
DISCOVERY KIDS PRESCHOOL	\$779.00	POMPS TIRE SERVICE INC	\$3,428.00
EAST UNION EARLY CHILDHOOD	\$1,950.00	POWERS FUNERAL HOME	\$340.00
ECHO GROUP INC	\$1,062.55	PURDY, WILLIAM	\$138.18
EIGHME, FRANKLIN	\$2,192.79	RJS PLUMBING & HEATING INC	\$422.50
EKLUND, DALE	\$500.00	ROCKMOUNT/NASSAU	\$1,074.29
ENGLAND, MELINDA	\$96.86	RON'S PEST SOLUTIONS LLC	\$225.00
ESLINGER, JEFF	\$93.93	SCC NETWORKS	\$41.06
EXCEL MECHANICAL CO INC	\$572.00	SCHAEFER, MINDY	\$329.85
FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER	\$28.25	SCHILDBERG CONSTRUCTION	\$34,449.70
FARMERS ELECTRIC COOP	\$3,117.12	SICKELS, VICKI	\$3,750.00
FAST LANE MOTOR PARTS LLC	\$125.80	SIDDENS, TERI	\$25.00
FASTENAL COMPANY	\$39.50	SIRWA-SOUTHERN IOWA RURAL	\$35.78
FIRST COMMUNICATIONS LLC	\$39.95	SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY	\$10,107.22
FULL SOURCE	\$2,447.26	SPEER FINANCIAL INC	\$365.00
GARDEN & ASSOCIATES LTD	\$1,736.50	STEWART, DICK	\$150.00
GATR TRUCK CENTER	\$526.42	T&S INDUSTRIES INC	\$39.82
GOOBS REPAIR INC	\$4,220.00	TESTAMERICA LABORATORIES	\$377.50
GREATAMERICA FINANCIAL	\$182.04	TRT STUDIOS	\$530.00
GREATER REGIONAL MEDICAL	\$1,794.92	TRUE VALUE	\$54.89
GREATER REGIONAL MEDICAL CNTR	\$632.26	TYLER INSURANCE SERVICES	\$965.00
GREEN VALLEY PEST CONTROL	\$93.00	UNION COUNTY ENGINEER	\$432.90
GRH BUSINESS HEALTH &	\$40.00	UNION COUNTY LEC FUND	\$3,168.66
GRP & ASSOCIATES INC	\$199.50	UNITED FARMERS COOPERATIVE	\$46.50
GRX HOLDINGS LLC	\$6.41	US BANK EQUIPMENT FINANCE	\$60.47
HALLETT MATERIALS	\$744.71	VISA CARD SERVICE	\$1,943.17
HANSEN, BRUCE	\$50.00	VISA/ISSB IOWA STATE SAVINGS	\$1,746.90
HEARTLAND TIRE & AUTO	\$127.95	WALKER DO, DAN E	\$350.00
HENRICH'S, BILLIE JO	\$20.00	WASTE MANAGEMENT OF	\$1,252.38
HENRICH'S, JERRY	\$20.00	WAUBONSIE MENTAL HEALTH	\$9,059.24
HILL, WAYNE E	\$60.00	WEBSTER COUNTY SHERIFF	\$6.50
HIRSCH ELECTRIC INC	\$603.52	WILBOURNE, J BROOKE	\$200.00
HJC LLC	\$60,818.40	WILLETT FARMS TRUCKING INC	\$869.86
HOBBS, KEVIN	\$431.30	WILSON, HANSON & ASSOCIATES	\$5,279.46
HOUSBY MACK INC	\$504.46	WINDSTREAM	\$468.27
HYSELL, SANDY	\$70.07	WOLFE, MICHAEL	\$50.00
INNOVATIVE INDUSTRIES	\$5,837.64	ZELLMER, MARK	\$128.30
IOWA ASSOCIATION FOR THE EDUCATION	\$580.21	TOTAL	\$5,442,617.40

All voting aye, motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:50pm.

BY: _____
DENNIS J BROWN, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST: _____
SANDY HYSSELL, AUDITOR