

Board of Supervisors Minutes
March 21, 2022

The Tama County Board of Supervisors met at 9:30 a.m. March 21, 2022. Present: 1st District Supervisor, Larry Vest; 2nd District Supervisor, Bill Faircloth and 3rd District Supervisor, Dan Anderson.

Motion by Vest, seconded by Faircloth to approve the minutes of the March 14th regular meeting. All voted aye. Motion carried

The Board met with Lyle Brehm, Tama County Engineer, to get a road projects report.

Motion by Faircloth, seconded by Vest to approve the liquor license for Fox Ridge Winery, Traer. All voted aye. Motion carried.

The Board acknowledged that they have received the resignation of Deb Kupka, County Recorder, effective July 29, 2022. She is retiring. Her term expires December 31, 2022.

The Board met with Michelle Yuska, County Treasurer. She asked the Board to consider adding WCF Financial Bank, Toledo, to the depositories the County uses. The interest rates are a little higher than some of the other depositories right now. Motion by Faircloth, seconded by Vest to approve adding WCF Financial Bank to the depositories the County uses. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Ms. Yuska also presented the Board with her resignation effective April 8, 2022. She has accepted employment elsewhere. The Board acknowledged that they have received the resignation of Michelle Yuska, County Treasurer, effective April 8, 2022. Her term expires December 31, 2022. She let the Board know that the Treasurer's office will be closed on April 5th so her staff can attend training for driver's license, motor vehicle and tax. She also visited with the Board about possible upcoming legislative changes that may be happening as a result of those proposals.

At 10:15 the Board held a public hearing to receive comments on the proposed county budget for Fiscal Year 2022-2023. There were no public comments. Chairman Anderson closed the public hearing at 10:16 am. Motion by Faircloth, seconded by Vest to approve the total amount of property taxes levied of \$10,125,615 for the 2021-2022 fiscal year budget and to approve the following resolution:

RESOLUTION 3-21-2022A

The Board of Supervisors of Tama County hereby approves and adopts the 2021-2022 fiscal year budget making the total property taxes levied \$10,168,219. This is using close to the same tax levy rates there that were levied last year. The Board further notes that the budget was published in official newspapers for Tama County and orders the budget to be certified and filed with/by the Tama County Auditor, as required by law.

Roll Call Vote: Vest, aye. Faircloth, aye. Anderson, aye. Resolution adopted this 21st day of March, 2022. Dan Anderson, Chairman, Board of Supervisors. Laura Kopsa, County Auditor.

Motion by Faircloth, seconded by Vest to approve the following resolution:

RESOLUTION 3-21-2022B

WHEREAS, the Tama County Compensation Board meets annually to recommend a compensation schedule for elected officials for the fiscal year immediately following, in accordance with Iowa Code Chapters 331.905 and 331.907, and
 WHEREAS, the Tama County Compensation Board met on December 6, 2021, and made the following salary recommendations for the following elected officials for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2022:

<u>Elected Official</u>	<u>Current Salary</u>	<u>Proposed Increase</u>	<u>Recommended Salary</u>
Auditor	\$62,266	6.0%	\$66,002
County Attorney	\$94,352	6.0%	\$100,013
Recorder	\$62,096	6.0%	\$65,822
Sheriff	\$79,546	15.0%	\$91,478
Supervisors	\$32,682	6.0%	\$34,643
Treasurer	\$62,182	6.0%	\$65,913

WHEREAS, on December 20, 2021 the Board of Supervisors met and approved the Compensation Board's recommendations as presented.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tama County Board of Supervisors approves the following salary adjustments for the following elected officials for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2022:

<u>Elected Official</u>	<u>Approved Salary</u>	<u>Approved Increase</u>
Auditor	\$66,002	6.0%
County Attorney	\$100,013	6.0%
Recorder	\$65,822	6.0%
Sheriff	\$91,478	15.0%
Supervisors	\$34,643	6.0%
Treasurer	\$65,913	6.0%

Roll call vote: Vest, Aye. Faircloth, Aye. Anderson, aye. Motion carried. Resolution passed and adopted this 21st day of March, 2022. Dan Anderson Chairman, Board of Supervisors. Laura Kopsa, County Auditor.

The Board met with Bernie Lowe from North Risk Partners to get a report on the County's health insurance.

Motion by Vest, seconded by Faircloth to approve the claims for payment as presented. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Chairman Anderson adjourned the meeting 11:55 a.m.