

**Board of Supervisors Minutes**  
**May 13, 2025**

The Tama County Board of Supervisors met at 9:00 a.m. May 13, 2025. Present: 1st District Supervisor, Curt Hilmer; 2nd District Supervisor, David Turner; 3rd District Supervisor, Heather Knebel; 4th District Supervisor, Mark Doland and 5th District Supervisor, Curt Kupka. Also, Tama County Auditor, Karen Rohrs.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Motion by Turner, seconded by Kupka to approve the agenda. Discussion: None. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Public Comments: There was no one present from the public to give comments.

Doland stated the board will go into closed session for discussion and possible action per Iowa Code 21.5.1 (c) regarding litigation in *Bev Espenscheid v Board of Supervisors* and *Nextera v Board of Supervisors*. Motion by Knebel, seconded by Turner to go into closed session per Iowa Code 21.5.1 (c). Roll call vote: Hilmer, aye. Turner, aye. Knebel, aye. Doland, aye. Kupka, aye. The Board went into closed session at 9:02 am. Those present were Supervisors: Curt Hilmer, David Turner, Heather Knebel, Mark Doland, Curt Kupka, and Karen Rohrs, Auditor. Michael Reck and Haley Hermanson from Belin McCormick, P.C. joined the meeting by phone. Motion by Knebel, seconded by Turner to go back into open session. The Board came out of closed session at 10:19 am. Roll call vote: Hilmer, aye. Turner, aye. Knebel, aye. Doland, aye. Kupka, aye. Those present were Supervisors: Curt Hilmer, David Turner, Heather Knebel, Mark Doland, Curt Kupka, and Karen Rohrs, Auditor. No action was taken.

Public Comments: There was no one present from the public to give comments.

Chairman Doland adjourned the meeting at 10:20 am.

These minutes are intended to provide a summary of the discussions and decisions made during the Board of Supervisor meeting. For the most accurate and comprehensive record, please refer to the audio recording of the meeting that can be provided upon request at the auditor's office.