

Board of Supervisors Minutes
June 9, 2025

The Tama County Board of Supervisors met at 8:30 a.m. June 9, 2025. Present: 1st District Supervisor, Curt Hilmer; 4th District Supervisor, Mark Doland and 5th District Supervisor, Curt Kupka. Also, Tama County Auditor, Karen Rohrs, members of the public, and Sheriff Schmidt. 2nd District Supervisor, David Turner, and 3rd District Supervisor, Heather Knebel, joined by Teams.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

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

Public Comments: Public comments were heard from Craig Sash, Karen Murty, Bill Faircloth, Kendall Jordan, Richard Arp, Nancy Smith, and Jim Smith. Public comment time closed at 8:44 am.

Motion by Turner, seconded by Hilmer to approve the minutes of the June 2nd regular meeting. Discussion: None. All voted aye. Motion carried.

The Board met with Ben Daleske, Tama County Engineer, to get a road projects report.

Doland stated he had a meeting last week with Paul Daniel from Center Associates, Darcy Maiden-Parks from Prairie Ridge, Mary McKinnell from County Social Services, and Libby Reekers, Tama County Mental Health Advocate, to discuss the future of mental health in Tama County with Center Associates closing. Doland would like to table any action on this item until more information is available. Motion by Doland, seconded by Hilmer to table action for office space/mental health transition. Discussion: None. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Motion by Turner, seconded by Hilmer to approve the following resolution. Discussion: None.

RESOLUTION 6-9-2025A
TAMA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
REMOVAL ORDER
Date: June 9, 2025

Subject: Removal of Craig Sash from the Tama County Zoning Board

WHEREAS, Craig Sash was duly appointed to serve as a member of the Tama County Zoning Board; and

WHEREAS, members of the Tama County Zoning Board are expected to act in accordance with the responsibilities and ethical standards set forth by Tama County; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that Craig Sash has failed to comply with these expectations, by engaging in unprofessional communication with the public, thereby compromising the integrity and function of the Zoning Board;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tama County Board of Supervisors hereby orders the removal of Craig Sash from the Tama County Zoning Board, effective immediately upon the adoption of this order;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Craig Sash shall have the right to request a public hearing before the Tama County Board of Supervisors regarding this removal. Such a request must be submitted in writing to the Tama County Auditor's Office within 30 calendar days of the date of this order.

Roll Call Vote: Hilmer, aye. Turner, aye. Knebel, aye. Doland, aye. Kupka, aye. Resolution passed and adopted this 9th day of June, 2025. Mark Doland, Chairman, Board of Supervisors. Karen Rohrs, County Auditor.

There were no hiring freeze exemptions to act on.

Motion by Kupka, seconded by Turner to approve the claims for payment as presented in the amount of \$271,408.73. Discussion: None. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Public Comments: Public comments were heard from Craig Sash and Todd Apfel. Public comment time closed at 8:55 am.

Chairman Doland adjourned the meeting at 8:55 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.