

Board of Supervisors Minutes
August 3, 2026

The Tama County Board of Supervisors met at 8:30 a.m. August 3, 2026. Present: 1st District Supervisor, Curt Hilmer; 2nd District Supervisor, David Turner and 3rd District Supervisor, Heather Knebel. Also, Tama County Auditor, Karen Rohrs, and members of the public. 4th District Supervisor, Mark Doland and 5th District Supervisor, Curt Kupka joined the meeting at 8:31 am.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

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

Public Comments: Public comments were heard from Karen Murty. Public comment time closed at 8:32 am.

Motion by Kupka, seconded by Turner to approve the minutes of the July 27th regular meeting. Discussion: None. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Supervisor Kupka gave a roads project report.

Linda Pearson, Mayor for the City of Clutier, was present to discuss the discontinuation of Farm to Market money from the county.

Julie Scadden from the Tama County EMS Essential Services Advisory Council was present by Teams to give a year-end report to the Board as required by law. Motion by Hilmer, seconded by Doland to approve and accept the Tama County EMS Essential Services Advisory Council Year End Report. Discussion: None. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Two new deputy sheriffs, Jon Thomas and Tyler Chekal, have been hired. Motion by Doland, seconded by Turner to approve the appointments of Jon Thomas and Tyler Chekal as deputy sheriffs with the Sheriff's Office. Discussion: None. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Motion by Kupka, seconded by Hilmer to approve the annual liquor license renewal for Dysart Recreation, Inc. Discussion: None. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Motion by Turner, seconded by Hilmer to approve the regular claims for payment as presented in the amount of \$193,622.23. Discussion: None. All voted aye. Motion carried.

New Business: Supervisor Turner informed the Board that NinjaOne has been installed on nearly all county computers. He also informed the Board that, because the Conservation Department serves as the county's backup location, a generator should be installed at Conservation. Supervisor Turner is currently obtaining bids for the generator.

Public Comments: Public comments were heard from Karen Murty. Public comment time closed at 9:07 am.

Motion by Hilmer, seconded by Kupka to adjourn the meeting. All voted aye. Motion carried.
Chairwoman Knebel adjourned the meeting at 9:08 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.