

Approved Minutes Emmet County Board of Supervisor Minutes  
July 20, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.  
Regular Meeting  
Board Room, Courthouse

Present: Jeff Quastad, Chair  
Tim Schumacher, Vice-Chair  
John Pluth  
Todd Glasnapp  
Lisa K. Hansen, joined the meeting at 9:02 am

Absent:

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Quastad, Chair, called the meeting to order. All in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance. Motion by Glasnapp, second by Pluth to approve the minutes from last week's meeting, also approving them for publication. All ayes, motion carried.

During Public Forum, Supervisor Quastad reported on the HAZMAT meeting he attended.

Supervisor Pluth reported on the Iowa Lakes Corridor meeting he attended.

Supervisor Quastad reported that the Conference Board met and re-appointed Emmet County Assessor Barb Bohm for a six year term.

Emmet County Auditor, Amy M. Sathoff reported that we should hear today on her submission of the application on Emmet County's behalf for the first installment of the American Rescue Plan funds.

Supervisor Hansen reported that she has had a complaint from a Maple Hill resident regarding Environmental issues. Emmet County Zoning Director, Barb Bohm reported that she has contacted the Iowa Department of Natural Resources to ask them to send a letter regarding illegal dumping in the Maple Hill area. Emmet County Environmental Health Director, Ben Huntley will also be sending a letter to the property owner. It was the consensus of the Board that letters should be sent to all the landowners in that area.

Hansen also shared a concern from an Emmet County resident regarding the proposed wind mill farm.

Emmet County Zoning Administrator, Barb Bohm reported that Emmet County will need to revise the Emmet County Flood Plain Ordinance incorporating the new FEMA maps prior to September 24, 2021. Bohm has worked with the Iowa Department of Natural Resources on a proposed new Ordinance and will email it out to the Board for their review. The Board will discuss the Ordinance at their August 3, 2021 Board meeting and set the Public Hearing date at that meeting also.

Emmet County Sheriff, Mike Martens joined the meeting to ask approval of the Union contract between Emmet County and the Emmet County Dispatchers Union. The contract will run from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2026. Wages for Dispatchers will increase at a rate of 2.5% for the first three years and then wages only will be open for negotiations in the fourth and fifth years.

The employee assigned to perform the duties of the TAC Officer shall be paid an additional forty-eight cents per hour above his/her base hourly rate.

Sheriff Martens shared the progress on the new storage building and reported that the Sheriff's Department does plan on having an excess property sale at some point.

Emmet County Engineer, Walter Davis-Oeth joined the meeting telephonically to notify the Board of a Seasonal Hire for Secondary Roads. Davis-Oeth shared that Secondary Roads has hired Nick Maranell to be the seasonal mower.

The Board reviewed the following Manure Management Plan:

Owner	Facility Name	Site Number
Stanton Westergard	Westergard Site	#68193

The Emmet County Board of Supervisors will not meet on Tuesday, July 27, 2021.

Motion by Glasnapp, second by Hansen to adjourn the meeting at 10:14 am. All ayes, motion carried.

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Amy M. Sathoff  
Auditor

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Jeff Quastad  
Chair