

Scott County Board of Supervisors
February 13, 2025 5:00 p.m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment with Maxwell, Paustian, Beck, Bribresco and Dickson present. The Board recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Moved by Dickson, seconded by Beck a motion approving the minutes of the January 28, 2025 Committee of the Whole, the January 30, 2025 Special Board Meeting – Canvass of Votes and the January 30, 2025 Board Meeting. All Ayes.

Moved by Dickson, seconded by Beck a motion to open a public hearing relative to an amendment to the County's current FY25 Budget. Roll Call: All Ayes.

Moved by Dickson, seconded by Beck a motion to close the public hearing. Roll Call: All Ayes.

Moved by Dickson, seconded by Beck that the following six consent agenda items be approved. All Ayes.

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) The hiring of Elena James for the position of Detention Youth Counselor with the YJRC Department starting at entry level rate. 2) The hiring of Austin Shepherd for the position of EMT with the Medic Department starting at entry level rate. 3) The hiring of William Flaherty for the position of EMT with the Medic Department starting at entry level rate. 4) The hiring of Savana Quest for the position of EMT with the Medic Department starting at entry level rate. 5) The hiring of Lucas Small for the position of EMT with the Medic Department starting at entry level rate. 6) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (25-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) The hiring of Keegan Slawinski for the position of EMT with the Medic Department starting at \$20.52/hr, step 2 of the wage scale and accruing 2 weeks of vacation annually. 2) The hiring of Colton Nelles for the position of EMT with the Medic Department starting at \$20.52/hr, step 2 of the wage scale and accruing 2 weeks of vacation annually. 3) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (26-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the terms of the agreement reached between representatives Scott County and the Public Professional Maintenance Employees, Local 2003 is hereby approved. That the agreement for FY26 wages shall be in effect July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026. 2) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (27-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the Memorandum of Understanding between Dr. Barbara Harre and Scott County for Medical Examiner services is hereby approved. 2) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (28-2025)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) The Scott County Board of Supervisors approves for payment all warrants numbered 337689 through 337691 and 337700 through 337953 as submitted and prepared for payment by the County Auditor, in the total amount of \$1,326,390.08. 2) The Scott County Board of Supervisors approves for payment all EFT

payments as submitted and prepared for payment by the County Auditor, in the total amount of \$2,795.17. 3) The Board of Supervisors approves for payment to Wells Fargo Bank all purchase card program transactions as submitted to the County Auditor for review in the amount of \$207,374.93. 4) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (29-2025)

A motion to approve the new class B retail alcohol license for The Gas Spot, 1 Grove Road. Eldridge, IA.

Moved by Dickson, seconded by Beck a motion to approve the second of three readings to amend Scott County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 10 – Parking Ordinance, to designate areas for No Parking on 210th Street and Scott Park Road adjacent to the Bettendorf Soccer Complex. Roll Call: Four Ayes with Bribriesco voting Nay.

Supervisor Bribriesco reviewed she is voting no as she is not convinced there is such a safety hazard as to warrant the extent of the no parking zone.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 10, SEC. 10-9 OF THE SCOTT COUNTY CODE RELATIVE TO THE PLACEMENT OF NO PARKING SIGNS ON SCOTT COUNTY SECONDARY ROADS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SCOTT COUNTY, IOWA: SECTION 1.

Under Sec. 10-9-25 – to read: On both sides of 210th Street (F-55) from Scott Park Road (Y-68) east 1,500 feet.

Under Sec. 10-9-26 – to read: On both sides of 210th Street (F-55) from Scott Park Road (Y-68) west 400 feet.

Under Sec. 10-9-27 – to read: On Scott Park Road (Y-68) from 210th Street (F-55) northwesterly 750 feet, on the west side of the road.

Under Sec. 10-9-28 – to read: On Scott Park Road (Y-68) from 210th Street (F-55) northwesterly 450 feet, on the east side of the road.

SECTION 2.

The County Auditor is directed to keep and maintain a copy of the Ordinance in the County Auditor's office.

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any of the provisions of the Ordinance are for any reason illegal or void, then the lawful provisions of this Ordinance shall be and remain in full force and effect, the same as if the Ordinance contained no illegal or void provisions.

SECTION 4. REPEALER

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its final passage and publication as provided by law.

Moved by Beck, seconded by Dickson that the following resolution (30-2025) be approved. Roll Call: All Ayes.

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) A budget amendment to the current FY25 County Budget as presented by the County Administrator is hereby approved as follows:

SERVICE AREA	FY25 AMENDMENT AMOUNT
Public Safety and Legal Services	\$1,176,986
Physical Health and Social Services	(\$14,203)
County Environment and Education	(\$558,373)
Roads and Transportation	\$720,000
Government Services to Residents	\$23,900
Administration	\$476,289
Debt Service	\$0
Capital Projects	(\$2,735,700)
Governmental Operating Transfers Out	(\$293,131)
Nonprogram Current (Proprietary Transfers Out)	\$1,100,000
Golf	\$70,850
MEDIC EMS	\$222,539

2) This resolution shall take effect immediately.

County Administrator Mahesh Sharma spoke on upcoming budget sessions, meeting with Supervisor Bribriesco regarding FOIA ease of access on the Website and DOGE at the State and Federal level. He reviewed a Department Head meeting, an Intergovernmental meeting with Bettendorf, Davenport and Bi-State, and a meeting with Davenport regarding the homeless situation. He also reviewed some upcoming projects and contracts including Quad City Grow, a server storage project, YJRC contracts, the space study presentation March 11th, and a Timeclock update coming soon. A Salvation Army and Humility homes presentation is planned for March 11th. He reviewed the YJRC is currently full, with four housed out of the county. He also reviewed current open positions with MEDIC that include three paramedics, four EMTs and one Dispatcher.

Supervisor Paustian reviewed a meeting of the Lower Cedar Watershed and edge of field structures.

Supervisor Bribriesco spoke on ease of access for a FOIA request online and addressing FOIA policy. She reviewed a citizen approaching her regarding open records. She also reviewed that she would like to look further into FOIA policy and the Supervisors roles in FOIA requests.

Supervisor Beck spoke on the de-escalation training session offered by HR, change of guard at the Rock Island Arsenal, a Waste Commission meeting preparing and for the next cell, an Assessors meeting, and some upcoming meetings including Bettendorf Intergovernmental and Davenport Assessors. He also reviewed applying to sit on the mental health ASO advisory Council.

Supervisor Dickson reviewed a UCC call.

Supervisor Maxwell spoke on Visit Quad Cities with a presentation from a sports venue, all supervisors participating in Arsenal activities and the Assessors meeting regarding the budget. He also reviewed a meeting with state legislature with topics of agriculture, food banks and unfunded mandates among other issues. He also reviewed the upcoming Special Committee of the Whole – Tuesday, February 18th at 8:30 AM for the FY26 Budget.

Moved by Paustian, seconded by Bribriesco at 5:28 p.m. a motion to adjourn. All Ayes.

John Maxwell, Chair of the Board
Scott County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: Kerri Tompkins
Scott County Auditor

A video recording of the meeting is available on the Scott County website at:
<https://www.scottcountyiowa.gov/board/board-meetings>.