

Scott County Board of Supervisors
January 15, 2026 5:00 p.m.

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

Moved by Beck, seconded by Dickson a motion approving the minutes of the January 2, 2026 Organizational Meeting. All Ayes.

Kathleen Castle, 11172 141st Street Davenport, presented a neighborhood situation spanning at least eight years. She reviewed two nuisance properties at 11121 & 11123 141st Street Davenport that neighbors are seeking assistance with. She reviewed the uninhabitable homes, inoperable vehicles and refuse on the properties.

Janine Felderman, 14267 111th Ave Davenport, also presented the two properties history of neglect, including child and animal neglect and holes in floors, over at least an eight year span. She would like to see some action taken.

John Lindberg, 11172 141st Street Davenport, has seen rats on the two properties and in the road. He also reviewed a metal structure with a loose roof that poses a danger to neighbors.

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

Supervisor Beck reviewed there was misinformation out there regarding the rebranding of the ambulances. Ambulances would be rebranded as the new ambulances are received, not all at once. He reviewed there is always a cost for branding an ambulance so that there is not a blank white vehicle without markings. The slight increase in cost is to make it a more visible, safer vehicle.

Supervisor Bribriesco reviewed the comment she had received was that the money was an either/or situation for equipment or branding. She reviewed that it is not the fact, and there is money for both.

Supervisor Maxwell reviewed he had received the same emails. He reviewed the choices presented were a white or a yellow, and they chose on the side of safety. He reviewed the study presented to the Board showing that yellow is more noticeable.

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) Iowa Code Section 306.41 provides for the temporary closure of County Secondary Roads for various reasons and purposes. 2) That the County Engineer be authorized to close Scott County Secondary Roads during the 2026 calendar year, as necessary, with the actual dates and times of closure to be determined by the County Engineer as follows:

For Construction: Any project as described in the approved "Scott County Secondary Roads and Farm-to-Market Construction Program" and any supplements thereto.

For Maintenance: Any maintenance project or activity requiring the road to be closed.

For Emergencies: For any emergency road closure of any route as deemed necessary by the County Engineer.

3) That the County Engineer be authorized to post a reduced speed limit in work zones to ensure the safety of the workers and county employees within the work zones. 4) That this resolution shall take effect immediately. (06-2026)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) The authority of the IT Department to enter contract negotiations with Tyler Technologies for Jail Management Software is hereby approved. 2) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (07-2026)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) The authority of the IT Department to enter contract negotiations with Tyler Technologies for Community Development Software is hereby approved. 2) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (08-2026)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) MEDIC EMS of Scott County has provided emergency medical services to the Iowa and Illinois Quad Cities region for over forty years and, as of 2024, operates as a department of Scott County, Iowa; 2) The Scott County Board of Supervisors has reviewed the MEDIC Brand Identity and Ambulance Wrap presentations, including Logo, and selected the ambulance wrap from the "Ambulance Wrap Presentation" dated January 13, 2026, and finds that these designs appropriately modernize the brand while honoring MEDIC's history and clearly identifying the service as a Scott County department. 3) The Scott County Board of Supervisors further adopts the base fleet vehicle design concepts for MEDIC EMS of Scott County as presented and attached hereto as Exhibit B (the "Design Concepts"), incorporated herein by reference. 4) Exhibits A and B are provided to depict the adopted logo artwork (Exhibit A) and the adopted design direction and concepts (Exhibit B). Exhibit A reflects the Adopted Logo artwork approved by the Scott County Board of Supervisors and is not intended to be conceptual. Exhibit B is conceptual and illustrative and is not intended to represent final, production-ready layouts. 5) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (09-2026)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) A public hearing date on an amendment to the County's current FY26 Budget is set for Thursday, February 12, 2026 at 5:00 p.m. 2) The County Director of Budget and Administrative Services is hereby directed to publish notice of said amendment as required by law. 3) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (10-2026)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) That the re-appointment of Mike Davis to the Bi-State Regional Commission for a three (3) year term, expiring on December 31, 2028, is hereby approved. 2) That the re-appointment of Judith Lee to the Integrated Roadside Vegetation Mgmt. (IRVM) Board for a three (3) year term, expiring on December 31, 2028 is hereby approved. 3) That the re-appointment of Joe Golinghurst to the Lower

Cedar Watershed for a one (1) year term, expiring on February 16, 2027, is hereby approved. 4) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (11-2026)

BE IT RESOLVED: 1) The Scott County Board of Supervisors approves for payment all warrants numbered 344908 and 344921 through 345127 as submitted and prepared for payment by the County Auditor, in the total amount of \$1,140,496.26. 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 \$2,247.81. 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 \$93,212.32. 4) This resolution shall take effect immediately. (12-2026)

County Administrator Mahesh Sharma reviewed the County is still in negotiations with the Humane Society. He also reviewed a Departmental review of Capital expenditures in preparation of upcoming budget sessions, and an upcoming Urban County Coalition call. He reviewed there would be more information to come after there was time to review the proposed property tax relief bill and how it would impact County income.

Supervisor Paustian reviewed an upcoming meeting regarding the Centennial Bridge on Wednesday, January 28th, 3:00 to 6:00 p.m., at the 2nd floor of The Current on Main Street, put on by the Iowa and Illinois DOT's.

Supervisor Beck reviewed the Army New Year celebration and Ports of Eastern Iowa where they continue to look at funding.

Supervisor Dickson reviewed the upcoming UCC call and a Bettendorf Intergovernmental meeting where they had discussion regarding property taxes and crime.

Supervisor Maxwell reviewed legislative priorities including habitual offenders in the jail and looking at better services. He reviewed services could include something like a halfway house, including assistance with mental health issues and medications, while allowing the jail to be utilized for the purpose of incarceration of severe offenders.

Moved by Bribiesco, seconded by Paustian at 5:21 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>.