

**MONONA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING
OCTOBER 13, 2026**

The Monona County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at 8:30 a.m. o'clock on Tuesday, October 13, 2026, in the boardroom of the courthouse in Onawa, Monona County, Iowa with Chairman Fox presiding. Other Supervisors present: Vince Phillips. Supervisor Absent: Tom Brouillette. Also, present was Auditor Peggy A. Rolph.

Motion was made by Supervisor Fox, seconded by Supervisor Phillips, to approve the agenda. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Sheriff Ewing was present to discuss the Law Enforcement Contract with the City of Onawa. No action taken. Wray Wright was also present.

Secondary Roads Engineer John Rasmussen and Wray Wright were present for Secondary Roads business. Discussion items were fuel costs, roads, rock hauling, and equipment. No action taken.

Motion was made by Supervisor Fox, seconded by Supervisor Phillips, to recess the Board of Supervisor's meeting at 10 a.m. to convene as Drainage Trustees. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None.

Amy Borchardt-Sick and Ashley Brown, Drainage Clerks, were present for Drainage business. It was moved by Fox seconded by Phillips, to sign the contract for the Oliver Lake Main, Lateral 2 and Lateral 3 Repair Project with Johnston Excavating. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Phillips, seconded by Fox, to have Drainage Clerk contact the trapper, Tony Bloyer, for Maple River Lat 1. Once the beaver is removed, the Drainage Clerk will contact Neddermeyer for the removal of the beaver dam. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fox, seconded by Phillips, to approve the drainage claims. Vote on motion: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried. The claims are on file in the drainage office.

The Board, on its own motion and vote, duly carried, adjourned.

Motion was made by Supervisor Phillips, seconded by Supervisor Fox, to reconvene the Board of Supervisor's meeting at 10:15 a.m. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None.

Motion was made by Supervisor Phillips, seconded by Supervisor Fox, to approve the minutes of October 6 and 9, 2026, as read. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Supervisor Fox, seconded by Supervisor Phillips, to approve claims. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Supervisor Phillips, seconded by Supervisor Fox, to approve general ledger journal entry to correct accounts for the Sheriff's Office. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Supervisor Fox, seconded by Supervisor Phillips, to acknowledge receipt of Monona County Recorder's Report of Fees Collected for quarter ending September 30, 2026. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Supervisor Phillips, seconded by Supervisor Fox, to authorize the Chairman's signature on Monona County Flex Plan Group Renewal. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Supervisor Fox, seconded by Supervisor Phillips, to acknowledge receipt of the Monona County Clerk of Court Report of Fees Collected for September 2026. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Supervisor Fox, seconded by Supervisor Phillips, to acknowledge receipt of the Monona County Sheriff's Report of Fees Collected for August 2026. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

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Motion was made by Supervisor Fox, seconded by Supervisor Phillips, to authorize the Chairman's signature on MARAD SF-425 and quarterly recertification reports. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Supervisor Phillips, seconded by Supervisor Fox, to authorize the Auditor to advertise for snow removal bids for the Courthouse block. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Supervisor Fox, seconded by Supervisor Phillips, to authorize the Chairman's signature on status/payroll change report for Emily Bellis, Assessors Office. She will go from Assistant to the Assessor to Deputy Assessor and \$26.20 per hour to \$33.47 per hour. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

It was moved by Supervisor Phillips, seconded by Supervisor Fox, to hereby adjourn at the hour of 10:25 a.m. o'clock. Vote on motion: Ayes: Fox and Phillips. Nays: None. Motion carried.

/s/ Bo Fox
BO FOX, CHAIRPERSON MONONA COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ATTEST: /s/ Peggy A. Rolph
PEGGY A. ROLPH, MONONA COUNTY AUDITOR