

Muscatine County Board of Supervisors  
Monday, August 25, 2025

The Muscatine County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at 9:00 A.M. with Chick, Kirchner, Mather and Sauer present. Sorensen was absent. Chairperson Mather presiding.

On a motion by Chick, second by Sauer, the agenda was approved as presented. Ayes: All.

On a motion by Sauer, second by Kirchner, the Board approved Ordinance #08-25-25-01 Amending the Muscatine County Zoning Ordinance Relating to Accessory Dwelling Units on the third of three readings. Roll call vote. Ayes: All.

On a motion by Chick, second by Kirchner, the Board approved the plans and specifications for BRS-C070(73) – 60-70, a 150' x 40' -6 CCS over Little Mosquito Creek, on 155<sup>th</sup> St (F70), S31 T78 R02. Ayes: All.

On a motion by Sauer, second by Kirchner, the Board approved the Iowa DOT Agreement No 5-25HBP-S-022 for utilization of Federal Bridge Funds for a bridge project on 155<sup>th</sup> St (F70) over Little Mosquito Creek. Ayes: All.

Horesowsky updated the Board on secondary road projects.

On a motion by Kirchner, second by Sauer, the Board approved the minutes of August 18, 2025, regular meeting. Ayes: All

#### Correspondence:

Sauer spoke with additional county residents regarding the ability to utilize the Muscatine County Recycling Center and Transfer Station. Sauer hopes to have an agreement worked out with the City of Muscatine soon.

The Board received a postcard from Pearl Button Solar regarding a public gathering to help answer questions on Monday, September 28, 2025 from 4:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. at 821 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Durant Iowa.

The Board received an email from Matthew O'Brien with concerns with Nichols Fire Department. Sorensen responded to Matthew and forwarded it on to the Sheriff's Department.

#### Committee Reports and Meetings.

Kirchner attended the Muscatine County Fair Board meeting on August 21, 2025.

Chick attended a Greater Muscatine Chamber of Commerce and Industry on August 22, 2025.

Sauer attended the Muscatine County Conservation Board meeting on August 18, 2025.

Sauer attended the River Bend Transit Board of Directors meeting on August 20, 2025.

Mather stated there is a position opening for a Community Grant Writer. This position is jointly funded by the County of Muscatine, City of Muscatine and The Community Foundation.

On a motion by Chick, second by Sauer, the Board approved the hiring request for an Assistant to the County Engineer II. This position is replacing the current resignation of a licensed engineer. The proposed start date will be September 8, 2025 at Grade 16, Step 10. Ayes: All.

On a motion by Sauer, second by Chick, the Board accepted the August 2025 payroll claims. Ayes: All.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:10 A.M.

ATTEST:

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Tibe Vander Linden  
County Auditor

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Nathan Mather, Chairperson  
Board of Supervisors