

Muscatine County Board of Supervisors  
Monday, June 8, 2026

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

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

On a motion by Sorensen, second by Sauer, the Board authorized the Chair to sign a contract with Daxon Construction in the amount of \$893,507.00 for the Muscatine County Engineer Satellite Facility Project. Ayes: All.

County Development Director Eric Furnas updated the Board on current projects.

On a motion by Sauer, second by Sorensen, the Board approved the minutes of the June 1, 2026 regular meeting. Ayes: All.

Correspondence:

Sauer received a call from a resident regarding sewer system issues in Montpelier.

The call was directed to Furnas.

Chick received a call from Nathan Neals regarding a road grader issue.

Kirchner received a call from a citizen regarding trees in a right-of-way on New Era Rd.

Committee & Meeting Reports:

No committee meetings were reported.

On a motion by Sorensen, second by Sauer, the Board authorized the Chair to sign the FY 26/27 Contract for Specialized Transportation services with River Bend Transit, in the amount of \$7,000.00. Ayes: All.

On a motion by Sorensen, second by Kirchner, the Board authorized the Chair to sign the FY26/27 Employer of Record Contract with the Eastern Iowa Workforce Development Board. Ayes: All.

On a motion by Sauer, second by Sorensen, the Board authorized the Chair to sign the Certification Statement for the Muscatine County FY25/26 Cost Allocation Plan for Department of Health and Human Services local administrative expenses (available for review in the Administration Office). Ayes: All.

On a motion by Sorensen, second by Sauer, the Board moved to adopt a Muscatine County Nepotism Policy. Ayes: All.

On a motion by Sorensen, second by Kirchner, the Board moved to adopt revisions to the following Muscatine County policies: 1) Board of Supervisors Meeting Agenda Policy; 2) Financial System Correction Procedure; 3) Hiring Request Approval Policy and Hiring Process Form. Ayes: All.

On a motion by Sauer, second by Sorensen, the Board moved to approve a Fireworks Permit application from David Starkweather. Ayes: All.

County Auditor Tibe Vander Linden stated the Canvass for the 2026 Primary Election is scheduled for June 9, 2026, at 9:00 A.M. in the Board of Supervisors room.

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

ATTEST:

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Brandy Harfst  
2<sup>nd</sup> Deputy Auditor

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Danny Chick, Chairperson  
Board of Supervisors