

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS

The Grundy County Board of Supervisors met in a regular session in the Supervisors' room at the Grundy County Courthouse on June 9, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. Chairperson Nederhoff called the meeting to order with the following members present: Vandehaar, Pabst, Kopsa, and Schildroth.

The Board opened the meeting by reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion was made by Kopsa and seconded by Schildroth to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Vandehaar and seconded by Pabst to approve the minutes of the special meeting. Carried unanimously.

At 9:01 a.m. Chairperson Nederhoff opened the public hearing about the Proposed Ordinance 2025-1, An Ordinance Establishing a Cemetery Commission and Ordinance Establishing Control and Maintenance of Pioneer Cemeteries.

Tammy Mount, Township Clerk, spoke in favor of establishing a Cemetery Commission.

Karl Strohhahn, Township Clerk, spoke against the establishment of a Cemetery Commission.

There was no one else from the public in attendance who spoke in favor of or against the establishment of a Cemetery Commission.

At 9:37 a.m. Chairperson Nederhoff closed the public hearing.

Motion was made by Vandehaar and seconded by Pabst to amend Proposed Ordinance 2025-1 by changing the number of commission members from nine members to five to nine members. The roll call vote was as follows: Ayes – Vandehaar, Pabst, Kopsa, and Nederhoff. Nays – Schildroth. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Vandehaar and seconded by Pabst to establish a cemetery commission. The roll call vote was as follows: Ayes – Vandehaar, Pabst, Kopsa, Schildroth, and Nederhoff. Nays – none. Motion carried.

The Board of Supervisors would like to commend the township trustees who are currently maintaining Pioneer Cemeteries for doing an excellent job,

Motion was made by Vandehaar and seconded by Pabst to move from 1st to 3rd reading of Proposed Ordinance 2025-1. The roll call vote was as follows: Ayes – Vandehaar, Pabst, Kopsa, Schildroth, and Nederhoff. Nays – none. Motion carried.

Erika Allen, County Attorney, reviewed the changes to fireworks law effective on July 1, 2025.

Jeff Skalberg, County Engineer, discussed department matters.

Motion was made by Pabst and seconded by Schildroth to approve the Schendel Pest Control quote and begin service on the main campus at Secondary Roads. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Kopsa and seconded by Schildroth to accept and order filed the Treasurer's May 31, 2025 Monthly Investment Report. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Schildroth and seconded by Kopsa to accept the resignation, with regret, from Todd Rickert, Iowa Northland Regional Housing Authority. Carried unanimously.

Updates on various board and committee meetings were given.

Motion was made by Kopsa and seconded by Pabst to adjourn the meeting. Carried unanimously.

Heidi Nederhoff, Chairperson

Alan T. Tscherter, County Auditor