

MINUTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BUTLER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HELD ON May 20, 2025.

Meeting called to order at 9:00 A.M. by Chairman Rusty Eddy with members Greg Barnett and Wayne Dralle present. Moved by Dralle, second by Barnett to approve the agenda. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motioned by Eddy, second by Dralle to approve May 13, 2025, minutes. All ayes. Motion carried.

During Public Comment, Brian Bosen, Superintendent with Clarksville and North Butler schools was present and introduced himself, shared his background explained his interest in working together with other local government entities. Justin Jensen, Reginal Director for Senator Joni Ernst, was also present to introduce himself and asked if there were any local concerns their office could assist with. Barnett mentioned federal support in dealing with the carbon pipeline’s use of eminent domain would be appreciated.

Motioned by Barnett, second by Dralle to approve Resolution 29-2025 to create the position of General Assistance Director. Roll was called and the resolution was adopted as follows:

RESOLUTION #29-2025  
RESOLUTION TO CREATE THE POSITION OF  
GENERAL ASSISTANCE DIRECTOR

WHEREAS, under the direction of Iowa Code section 252.26 that a position entitled “General Assistance Director” be created with a beginning salary not to exceed \$70,000 annually, beginning in Fiscal Year 2026.

WHEREAS, Butler County would be the employer of record for this position, and

WHEREAS, the supervision of this position is provided by the Board of Supervisors or designee.

- THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Butler County; Iowa as follows:
- 1. That a position be created entitled “General Assistance Director” and that said position shall be under the control and direction of the Butler County Board of Supervisors.
  - 2. That the Board of Supervisors can, at any time, eliminate said position.
  - 3. That said position is to be compensated at a salary not to exceed \$70,000.00 annually, beginning in Fiscal Year 2026.
  - 4. That said salary and benefits shall be charged to the General Relief departmental budget.

Upon roll call the vote thereon was as follows:

AYES: Wayne Dralle  
Rusty Eddy  
Greg Barnett

NAYS:

WHEREUPON the Resolution was declared duly adopted on this 20<sup>th</sup> of May 2025.

*Rusty Eddy*  
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: *Leslie Groen*, County Auditor

Motioned by Dralle, second by Barnett to approve the General Assistance Director job description as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

During the Engineer’s update, John Riherd, County Engineer, summarized dust control being underway and two job offers have been extended to past applicants. Riherd also shared information regarding a few used road graders he is looking into.

Motioned by Barnett, second by Dralle to approve claims. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motioned by Dralle, second by Barnett to adjourn the regular meeting at 9:33 A.M. to May 27, 2025, at 9:00 A.M. All ayes. Motion carried.

The above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes and proceedings of a regular adjourned meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Butler County, Iowa on May 20, 2025.

Attest: Leslie Groen  
Butler County Auditor

Rusty Eddy  
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors