MINUTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BUTLER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HELD ON AUGUST 11, 2026

Meeting called to order at 9:00 A.M. by Greg Barnett with member Wayne Dralle present. Rusty Eddy was absent. Motioned by Dralle, second by Barnett to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Motioned by Dralle, second by Barnet to approve August 4, 2026, minutes. Motion carried.

No public comment was received.

Environmental Health Specialist Misty Kofron reviewed the Iowa DNR Intergovernmental 28E Agreement in and existing agreement that needs to be renewed every 5 years. Motioned by Dralle, second by Barnett to approve. Motion carried.

Conservation Director Matt Wilken reviewed the DOT bids for the Rolling Prairie Trail Expansion project (12-C0123-136) from Dumont to the Franklin County Line. The Engineer's estimate was $950,000. Bids received: Heartland Asphalt Inc. - $767,649.86 and Blacktop Service Co. & Subsidiary - $810,746.11. Motioned by Dralle, second by Barnett to approve the low bid from Heartland Asphalt Inc. for $767,649.86. Motion carried.

Motioned by Dralle, second by Barnett to approve the FY26 REAP Report as presented. Motion carried.

During the Engineer's update Riherd provided building site updates, bridge progress and mentioned future funding options will be coming for urban renewal area projects.

County Attorney, Dave Kuehner shared an update from the recent hearing regarding eminent domain proceedings and pointed out issues with the procedures related to the process. Motioned by Dralle, second by Barnett to go into closed session per Iowa Code 21.5(1)(j). Motion carried.

Motioned by Barnett, second by Dralle to return to open session. Motion carried.

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

Motioned by Barnett, second by Dralle to adjourn the regular meeting at 9:28 A.M. to August 18 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 August 11, 2026.

Attest: ***Leslie Groen*** **Butler County Auditor**

Greg Barnett **Chairman of the Board of Supervisors**