

**BOARD PROCEEDINGS**  
**November 13, 2018**  
**REGULAR NOVEMBER SESSION**

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment. Present were: Don McGregor, Chairman, Don Besch, Jack Plathe, Roger Tjarks and Pam Wymore.

Public discussion was held.

Motion by Tjarks and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Plathe to approve the agenda and the minutes of the previous meeting dated October 30, 2018. Motion carried.

The Board of Supervisors acknowledged the County Conservation Annual Report for 2017-2018 as presented by Kendall Stumme.

Scott Curtis was present to give the monthly report for Kossuth Regional Health Center.

Motion by Tjarks and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Wymore to set the date and time and place for a Public Hearing for the proposed Windfarm by EDF Renewable Developments Inc. as; December 4, 2018 at 4:00 P.M. at the Kossuth County Courthouse Assembly Room. Chairman McGregor called for a roll call vote: Wymore: yes, Tjarks: yes, Plathe: yes, Besch: no, McGregor: yes. Motion carried 4 to 1 with Besch being the no vote.

Motion by Plathe and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Besch that the Board of Supervisors of Kossuth County, Iowa, does hereby authorize and give its permission to Mediacom, Algona, IA, to bore new fiber optic cable south from Hwy 18 in the west Right of Way of 140<sup>th</sup> Avenue approximately 100 feet to existing vault in Section 6, Irvington Township. Permit number 11-33-2018 is on file in the Kossuth County Engineer's Office. Motion carried.

Motion by Besch and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Wymore that the Board of Supervisors of Kossuth County, Iowa, does hereby authorize and give its permission to Midland Power Cooperative, Jefferson, IA, to bore new single phase from existing poles under 80<sup>th</sup> Avenue approximately 315 feet north of 210<sup>th</sup> Street. Work will be in Section 5, Cresco Township. Permit number 11-34-2018 is on file in the Kossuth County Engineer's Office. Motion carried.

Discussion was held with Kossuth County Engineer/Kossuth County Zoning Administrator followed by Drainage.

Discussion with Kossuth County Auditor was held followed by Board Discussion and Committee Reports.

Discussion was held in regards to the Summit Center Request for Workforce Housing Loan pass-through sponsorship.

Canvass of General Election  
November 6, 2018

Motion by Tjarks and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Plathe to approve the agenda for the Canvass of the General Election held on November 6, 2018. Motion carried.

Motion by Plathe and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tjarks to approve the Abstract of Votes for the General Election held November 6, 2018. Motion carried.

**Official Results:**

**United States Representative District 4**

J.D. Scholten	3171	Democrat
Steve King	*3942	Republican
Charles Aldrich	120	Libertarian
Edward Peterson	37	
Write-In	1	
Over Votes	6	
Under Votes	132	

**Governor/Lieutenant Governor**

Fred Hubbell/Rita R. Hart	2588	Democrat
Kim Reynolds/Adam Gregg	*4642	Republican
Jake Porter/Lynne Gentry	98	Libertarian
Gary Siegwarth/Natalia Blaskovich	37	
Write-In	0	
Over Votes	3	
Under Votes	41	

**Secretary of State**

Deidre DeJear	2468	Democrat
Paul D. Pate	*4655	Republican
Jules Ofenbakh	114	Libertarian
Write-In	1	
Over Votes	2	
Under Votes	169	

**Auditor of State**

Rob Sand	2681	Democrat
Mary Mossiman	*4386	Republican
Fred Perryman	157	Libertarian
Write-In	0	
Over Votes	2	
Under Votes	183	

**Treasurer of State**

Michael Fitzgerald	3484	Democrat
Jeremy N. Davis	*3601	Republican
Timothy Hird	145	Libertarian
Write-In	1	
Over Votes	4	
Under Votes	174	

**Secretary of Agriculture**

Tim Gannon	2184	Democrat
Mike Naig	*4989	Republican
Rick Stewart	109	Libertarian
Write-In	2	
Over Votes	1	
Under Votes	124	

**Attorney General**

Tom Miller	*4982	Democrat
Marco Battaglia	1442	Libertarian
Write-In	34	
Over Votes	0	
Under Votes	951	

**State Representative District 007**

Debra Jensen	1751	Democrat
Tedd Gassman	*2509	Republican
Write-In	0	
Over Votes	0	
Under Votes	62	

**State Representative District 008**

Connie Price	959	Democrat
Terry Baxter	*2043	Republican
Write-In	2	
Over Votes	1	
Under Votes	82	

**County Board of Supervisors District 1**

Galen Casey	*803	Democrat
Gary Ernst	800	Republican
Write-In	1	
Over Votes	1	
Under Votes	18	

**County Board of Supervisors District 3**

Donnie Loss	*885	Democrat
Kathy Keller	656	Republican
Write-In	2	
Over Votes	1	
Under Votes	34	

**County Board of Supervisors District 4**

Donald G. McGregor	620	Democrat
Kyle Stecker	*712	Republican
Write-In	3	
Over Votes	1	
Under Votes	18	

**County Treasurer**

Nick Rahm	*6338	Democrat
Write-In	71	
Over Votes	2	
Under Votes	998	

**County Recorder**

Karen M. Benschoter	*6654	Republican
Write-In	34	
Over Votes	0	
Under Votes	721	

**County Attorney**

Todd M. Holmes	*6110	Democrat
Write-In	95	
Over Votes	0	
Under Votes	1204	

**Township Trustee Springfield (Vote for 2)**

Craig Runksmeier	*26	
Rodney Brandt	*30	
Write-In	0	
Over Votes	0	
Under Votes	20	

**Township Clerk Springfield (Vote for 1)**

Dean Engelby	*31	
Write-In	0	
Over Votes	0	
Under Votes	7	

**County Hospital Board of Trustee (Vote for 2)**

Brenda Bormann	*5844
Conley Nelson	*4676
Write-In	38
Over Votes	2
Under Votes	4258

**Soil and Water conservation District Commissioner (Vote for 2)**

Nancy L. Bohl Bormann	*5237
Luke Snyder	*4763
Write-In	20
Over Votes	2
Under Votes	4796

**County Agricultural Extension Council (Vote for 5)**

Julie Larsen	*4752
Jane Koppen	*4831
Phil Divis	*4876
Mike Marso	*4755
Charles Bormann	*4876
Write-In	43
Over Votes	25
Under Votes	12887

**Court of Appeals Judge**

Michael R. Mullins	
Yes	*4592
No	1182
Over Votes	10
Under Votes	1625

Mary Ellen Tabor	
Yes	*4373
No	1307
Over	5
Under	1724

Anuradha Vaitheswaran	
Yes	*3920
No	1658
Over Votes	1
Under Votes	1830

**District 3A Judge**

Nancy Whittenburg	
Yes	*4506
No	1262
Over Votes	5
Under Votes	1636

David A. Lester	
Yes	*4480
No	1212
Over Votes	1
Under Votes	1716

**Public Measures**

Public Measure B (Springfield Township)

Yes	*17
No	15
Over Votes	0
Under Votes	6

Public Measure C (Extension)

Yes	*4763
No	2195
Over Votes	1
Under Votes	450

The Board reviewed the General Election Claims.

Motion by Tjarks and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Wymore to approve the claims for the General Election held on November 6, 2018 with a total of \$21,868.35. Motion carried.

The Board of Supervisors held an Informational Meeting at the Eagle Center in Lakota, Iowa in regards to Global Plains Wind Energy Conversion System. (EDF Renewable Developments, Inc.

On motion adjournment was taken until November 20, 2018.

Attest:

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Amber Garman  
Kossuth County Auditor

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Don McGregor, Chairman  
Kossuth County Board of Supervisors