

# Ida County Board of Supervisors

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## TENTATIVE AGENDA AMENDED

Tuesday, October 22, 2024, 9 a.m.

### Supervisor's Room, Courthouse Annex

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

1. **MINUTES OF LAST MEETING:**

2. **PUBLIC COMMENTS TO THE BOARD:**

During this time the board may receive comments from the public on items that are not on the agenda. If a member of the public wishes to speak on an agenda item, the Board will hear their comments when that item is addressed. Twenty minutes are allotted for public comments either now or further in the meeting with a 5-minute time limit per person, if needed. The board may choose to extend this time if they wish, but that is a board decision. The board does not need to respond to any comments made.

IDA COUNTY WILL NOT DISCRIMINATE AGAINST ANY PERSON ON THE GROUNDS OF RACE, COLOR, NATIONAL ORIGIN, GENDER, AGE, OR DISABILITY.

- o **APPOINTMENTS/SCHEDULE: Call to Order** – Previous meeting minutes; **Approve/Disapprove.**

- o **9:30 a.m. – Secondary Roads** –Jeff Williams/Colin Ryan: -Updates

**Approve/Disapprove:**

**9:45 a.m. - Family Crisis Center – Tara Ramen** - Support/Contributions FY26.

**10 a.m. Meghann Wittmer, County Attorney and Judge Tott** – Concerns/issues in the Courtroom

**Meghann Wittmer** – Opioid Funds; discuss future payments.

**Approve/Disapprove:**

3. **OLD BUSINESS:**

- o **Discussion/review Health Insurance:** New information to review information from Ryan Berven, Assured Partners w/ISAC on possible Health Care plans choices and to compare County Coverage possible offering examples. We can also look at other options for your county outside of ISAC but that can't be done until February/March for a July renewal date. How would you like to proceed? Ryan believes that our rates will have very little if any change for the next year. He is willing to have a conference call with you if you would like.

- o **Resignation from Civil Service Commission:** We received a notice from Jeannia Uhl resigning from her position on the Civil Service Commission effect 10/9/2024. **Approve/Disapprove:**

- o **Replacement for opening on Civil Service Commission** –

- o **Additional information on Valuations from Assessor:** Claudia put together a comparison of the Assessors Values from 2023 to 2024; she reported the following: 2023 Valuation with Wind Turbines included: \$1,655,833,741 & 2024 with Wind Turbines is: \$1,486,347,084. Resulting in an increase of assessment of \$169,486,657. If any questions, she is open to you stopping by her office or she will come to a Board meeting. (Remember: when the Auditor receives these Valuations, all rollbacks, exemptions and credits are applied, resulting in a lower figure for taxing billings.) For example, 2023 Assessor Valuations of \$1,655,833,741 resulted in County wide tax Valuation for billing of \$714,208,085. Decreasing taxable Valuations by 43%.

- o **NEW BUSINESS:**

- o **Approve/Disapprove:** 2024 Annual Weed Commissioner's Report & have chair sign it.

- o **Approve/Disapprove:** Clerk of Court Report for September 2024.

- o **Approve/Disapprove:** Wade's Appointment of Lena Hawthorne as Appointment of Civil Service Process server.

- **Correspondence:** Iowa DNR Manure Management Plans from: RDJ Farms Site # 63311.

**Approve Claims:** Frontier \$1009.16, Benefits Inc. \$154.82 & 1,311.57.