

**PROCEEDINGS:
IDA COUNTY BOS • OCT. 24 MINUTES**

**Ida Grove, Iowa
Oct. 24, 2023**

The Board of Supervisors convened in adjourned session, members present Chair Creston Schubert, Devlun Whiteing, and Raymond Drey.

The minutes of the meeting held Oct. 10, 2023, were read and approved.

Dale Ullrich, Veteran Affairs Director updated the Board on Home Base Iowa sign placements and working on an additional \$500 community commitment package. A future date of dedication for Live/Work/Play in Ida County will be scheduled.

Jacob Hurla, ROI Energy presented to the Board a LED Lighting Upgrade Proposal for a MidAmerican incentive program in various locations of county buildings. The Board will further review the proposal and get back to Hurla.

County Engineer Jeff Williams and Assistant Engineer Colin Ryan were present to discuss various road items. M15/Jasper Ave. barricade signs are now down, a cover crop was seeded due to cold weather conditions and grass will be seeded in the spring. A mound of dirt in the west ditch, south of 6th St. will be removed to avoid future waterway issues. L67 painting project has been completed. Various gravel road issues were discussed.

The board met with Architect, Bob Anderson to review the structural report from Hermanson Egge, Structural Engineers. Anderson plans to visit with a masonry specialist for advice on how to proceed. Anderson would like to schedule a walk-thru with departments that have offices in the original courthouse building on Nov. 28 after the Board meeting.

Drey moved and Whiteing seconded to approve the September Clerk of Court report. Motion carried all

voting Aye.

Jeannia Uhl was appointed to the Civil Service Commission effective 11/15/2023 for a 6-yr. term on a motion by Whiteing and seconded by Drey. Motion carried, all voting Aye.

A letter of request from Family Crisis Centers to increase the FY2025 asking to \$1,000 was discussed. Drey moved and Whiteing seconded to increase the funding for FY2025 to \$1,000. Motion carried all voting Aye.

Drey moved and Whiteing seconded to approve and chair to sign the 2023 Weed Commissioner's Report and the 2024 County Weed Commissioner Certification Form. Motion carried all voting Aye.

After successfully completing her probationary period and being fully certified by the Iowa DOT, a salary certification was received for Brandi Endrulat at \$38,025/year effective 10/30/2023. Whiteing moved and Drey seconded a motion to approve. Motion carried all voting Aye.

The following claims were approved: Self-Funding: Benefits Inc. \$392.42 and 954.24, Wellmark BCBS services for 3rd party EOB's \$580.00. Various funds for Frontier phone bills \$85.98 and \$875.81. Rural Basic: IDALS-Pesticide Bureau applicator license \$15.00. TIF rebates: POET Biorefining \$221,427.64 and Sioux Valley Investments \$35,949.50. Secondary Roads: IA Workforce Dev, unemployment \$361.00 and Ziegler Inc \$337,576.34 equipment.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned to meet again at 9 a.m., Tuesday, Nov. 14, 2023, or on call of the Chair.

/s/ Shelley Bruning
Deputy Auditor
/s/ Creston Schubert
Chair

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**PROBATE:
GALYLEN GALVIN**

**THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT
FOR Ida COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE OF
Gaylen Galvin, Deceased
CASE NO. ESPR009706
NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL,
OF APPOINTMENT OF
EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE
TO CREDITORS**

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Gaylen Galvin, Deceased, who died on or about Oct. 4, 2023: You are hereby notified that on Oct. 17, 2023, the Last Will and Testament of Gaylen Galvin, deceased, bearing date of June 5, 2019, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Leo Eugene Galvin was appointed Executor of the estate. Any action to set aside the will must be brought in the district court of said county within the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice to all heirs of the decedent and devisees under the will whose identities are reasonably ascertainable, or thereafter be forever barred.

Notice is further given that all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against the estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed by the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) a claim is thereafter forever barred.

Dated Oct. 17, 2023.
/s/ Leo Galvin
Leo Eugene Galvin
Executor of Estate
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