

LINN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
CEDAR RAPIDS, LINN COUNTY, IOWA  
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2022 11:00 A.M.

The Board met in session at the Linn County Jean Oxley Public Service Center.  
Present: Chairperson Rogers and Supervisor Walker. Absent: Vice Chairperson Zumbach.  
Board members voting "AYE" unless otherwise noted.

Chairperson Rogers called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Rogers, seconded by Walker to approve Consent Agenda as follows:

Approve purchase order PO242 to Campbell Supply for a concrete saw in the amount of \$29,550.90 for the Secondary Road Department.

Approve purchase order PO243 to McQueen Equipment Group for a street sweeper in the amount of \$175,000.00 for the Secondary Road Department.

Approve purchase order PO246 to Lycox Enterprises Inc for a retriever disc in the amount of \$22,240.00 for the Secondary Road Department.

Motion by Rogers, seconded by Walker to approve claims (including void/reissues) for AP checks #71006076-#71006129 in the amount of \$71,291.17 and AP ACH in the amount of \$539,286.72.

Bill Carroll and Amy Geiger gave an update on the new Marion Public Library including the building progress, capital campaign and fundraising. Carroll noted that they've run into an issue with the book mobile project due to a contractor breaking their contract. The city and library are working together on the funding for that project.

Chairperson Rogers stated that Pramod Dwivedi, Public Health Dir., asked the Board if they would consider an exemption be granted for Public Health to continue wearing masks. Rogers stated that he is supportive of that due to the clinic at Public Health.

Pramod Dwivedi, Public Health Dir., stated that it is difficult to predict when the mask exemption would go away. They will continue to monitor and track it and let the Board know. They will be complying with CDC guidelines.

Supervisor Walker clarified if an exemption would be needed for all of the Harris Building instead of just Public Health, since they share the space with Child & Youth Development.

Motion by Rogers, seconded by Walker to approve an exemption for the Harris Building from mask requirement actions.

Garrett Reddish, Asst. County Engineer, presented the 5 Year Construction Plan (focusing on bridges, paved and rock roads and preventative maintenance) and Jerad Kelley, Oper. Supt., presented the 2022 Maintenance Plan for the Secondary Road Department.

Adjournment at 12:18 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

JOEL D. MILLER, Linn County Auditor  
By: Amanda Hoy, Executive Assistant

Approved by:

BEN ROGERS, Chairperson  
Board of Supervisors