

July 16, 2019

Meeting of the Clayton County Board of Supervisors at their office, 600 Gunder Road, Elkader, Iowa.

Present: Steve Doeppke, Sharon Keehner, and Ray Peterson

Guests: Myron Phelps, Mike Tschirgi, Tim West, Raymond Schirmer, Jim Schulte, Sharon Schulte, Jon Banse, Marge Banse, Richard Linderwell, Fred Kinne, Lynn Kinne, Rick Miersen, Kris Recker, Jason Thole, Rick Althoff, Jane Richmond, John Richmond, Bill Wilson, Janet Wilson, Kenneth Faust, Rafe Koopman, Curt Keppler, Jenna Pollock, Sarah Moser

Keehner moved, Doeppke seconded to approve the minutes of the July 9, 2019, meeting. Ayes: Doeppke, Keehner, Peterson. Motion carried.

There was discussion regarding the condition of Hwy 410 (W68). Some comments heard included replacing the light at the intersection with Hwy 3 & 13, appreciation of intersection change, safety concerns for turning traffic, possible speed limit change, five year construction plan, traffic counts, tourism associated with Backbone State Park, oil seepage, sand versus chip application, seal coat condition, effects of higher temperatures, potholes/divots, embargo, semi/heavy traffic use, tar sticking to vehicles, and calling the Sheriff's Office or Secondary Roads on-call person if issues arise outside normal Secondary Roads office hours.

Conservation Director Jenna Pollock discussed renovating the third floor of the Osborne Nature Center. The space would be used by Conservation for programs held throughout the year and serve as a site for continuation of services in the event of a disaster at other county facilities. Pollock will advertise for bids to complete the project.

Attest:

Ray Peterson
Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

Jennifer Garms
Clayton County Auditor