

Auditor's Office
Jefferson, Iowa
November 27, 2017

Greene County Board of Supervisors met at 8:30 a.m. in the courthouse boardroom with all supervisors present: Bardole, Burkett, Contner, Muir, Rudolph. Motion by Burkett, second by Rudolph to approve the agenda. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Bardole, second by Contner to approve the minutes of November 20, 2017. Motion carried unanimously.

Chuck Wenthold reported payment from MidAmerican Energy for 93 conditional use permits for wind turbine sites. Jefferson mayor Craig Berry received approval from the board of supervisors to use the courthouse and plaza for next year's Market to Market Relay on May 11th and 12th. Sheriff Jack Williams and Chief Deputy Nathaniel Chapman were granted overnight travel accommodations for their upcoming Winter School.

Motion by Contner, second by Rudolph to approve claims for payment. Motion carried unanimously.

Sandy Scheuermann and Terry Lang were present for the county's calendar 2018 health insurance renewal presentation to the board of supervisors. As per discussion at last year's presentation, Scheuermann provided two options for employees: a \$1,000 deductible plan and a \$1,500 deductible plan. (A \$500 deductible plan will no longer be offered.) Single plan holders currently pay 2.5% of the monthly premium but will pay 5% of that premium beginning July 1, 2018. Employees will continue to pay 15% of employee/spouse/children plans. The self-funded proposal reflects an increase of 23% in total annual expected cost when the stop loss carrier option remains at \$40,000 switching from Bardon/American National to HCC. No action was taken on the renewal proposal.

Lang then began a webinar presentation led by Pete Coen on Teledoc. Teledoc is a company that connects persons to on-demand (24-hour unlimited access) remote medical care via phone and videoconferencing. Lang asked that the board view the presentation and consider using Teledoc to help reduce claims. No cost information was provided at this time, and no action taken.

Mark Hanson, Dallas County supervisor and chair of the North Raccoon River Watershed Coalition, addressed the board about the newly formed group and its composition. Ten counties (Buena Vista, Pocahontas, Sac, Calhoun, Webster, Carroll, Greene, Boone, Dallas and Polk) and numerous cities make up the organization. Hanson introduced Bret Wilkinson, Buena Vista County engineer, noting that BV County is fiscal agent for the watershed coalition. Wilkinson then introduced Marius Agua as the newly hired coordinator of the North Raccoon watershed, who discussed the watershed territory, its HUD funding and watershed planning.

Chair Muir adjourned the meeting at 10:35 a.m.

John J. Muir, Chair BOS

ATTEST: Jane Heun, Auditor