

Auditor's Office
Jefferson, Iowa
January 23, 2020

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 Contner, second by Rudolph to approve the agenda. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Bardole, second by Burkett to approve the minutes of January 20, 2020. Motion carried unanimously.

Supervisor Pete Bardole reported attending GCDC, Bell Tower Foundation and Chamber meetings.

Motion by Burkett, second by Contner to approve a letter of support to Greene County Community Foundation for a grant application (by the conservation department) for a Spring Lake latrine replacement project. Motion carried unanimously.

Joan St Clair of Heritage Insurance was present to share estimates for FY21 county contributions to ICAP, IMWCA and Nationwide. Contribution estimates for liability and property coverage through Iowa Community Assurance Pool (ICAP) is estimated at \$156,900. Actual for the current fiscal year totals \$154,571 and includes property, liability and auto physical damage. Iowa Municipalities Workers Compensation Association (IMWCA) estimate is \$75,700, a nearly \$12,900 increase over the current year. St Clair explained that the county's experience modification factor has been increased from .84 up to .91 as a result of claims increases. That experience mod increase combined with a lower IMWCA discount and good experience bonus reduction results in an overall 20% increase to the county's expected contribution. St Clair estimated the Nationwide bond expense to be \$2500; current rate is \$2,305. The combined contribution estimates from St Clair total \$235,100 which is a 7% increase (\$15,383) over the current year total.

St Clair gave the supervisors a check totaling \$1,000 from ICAP for the county's 2019 safety grant application and encouraged participation from the county again in calendar 2020 for the \$1,000 grant.

Motion by Burkett, second by Contner to adjourn to a drainage meeting for DD14 (approval of pay estimate #2). Motion carried unanimously.

The board returned to regular session at 9:20 a.m. and spent the remainder of the meeting working on the county budget and reviewing requests from outside groups. The request made earlier in the month by the Greene County Librarians was reviewed and compared with current and prior year funding. Discussion also involved costs and funding for projects that might be considered in the courthouse and tower. No action was taken and work on compilation of all funding requests from departments and outside organizations will continue.

Muir adjourned the meeting at 10:05 a.m.

John J. Muir, Chair BOS

ATTEST: Jane Heun, Auditor