

**CHICKASAW COUNTY  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MINUTES  
December 11, 2023**

The Board convened on Monday, December 11, 2023, at 9:00 A.M. with members Breitbach, Suckow, Kuhn, Cerwinske, and Hackman present in the Boardroom on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Court House, New Hampton, Iowa. Chairperson Kuhn called the meeting to order. Also present were Auditor Sheila Shekleton, Attorney David Laudner, Bob Fenske, member of the media, Jeremy McGrath, Engineer Roman Lensing

Motion by Hackman, seconded by Suckow to approve the agenda for December 11, 2023. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Hackman, seconded by Breitbach to approve the meeting minutes from December 4, 2023 with changes. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Breitbach, seconded by Kuhn to approve the part-time hire Samantha Streeter as a paramedic for the EMS at the wage of \$22.99 starting December 11, 2023. Roll Call. Ayes: Breitbach, Kuhn. Nays: Suckow, Cerwinske, Hackman. Motion failed.

Public comment: Jeremy McGrath was wondering about the financials for the EMS after eleven months.

Secondary Roads Engineer Roman Lensing gave department updates.

Motion by Hackman, seconded by Breitbach to hire Simmering-Cory from Storm Lake to conduct a Blight Assessment for jail, Secondary Road main garage, Courthouse, and Landfill building not to exceed \$5,000.00 to be paid for out of fund 0001 (General Basic), department 99 (Non departmental) for TIF process. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Hackman, seconded by Cerwinske to approve RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-84

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Chickasaw County, Iowa, in accordance with Iowa Code §433.9, §434.22, §437.10 and §438.15, that it is hereby ordered that the lengths of the mileage of the several railroads, telephone, telegraph, electric and gas companies in Bremer County, Iowa and the assessed value and taxable value thereof, be fixed according to the following schedule and the County Auditor is hereby ordered to spread the same upon the tax books of said County for the year 2023, payable in the fiscal year 2024/2025.

Utility Company	Miles	Assessed Valuations	Taxable Valuations
Allamakee-Clayton Electric COOP		18,518	3,574
Butler County REC		6,001,576	1,023,804
City of Fredericksburg - Transmission Line		3,036	0
Corn Belt Power Coop - Cooperative		1,677,028	582,049
Heartland Power Coop - Cooperative		989,117	127,138
Interstate Power & Light - Electric		10,311,928	1,532,712
Iowater Power Corporation - Electric		454,428	49,712
ITC Midwest LLC - Transmission Line		4,529,179	309,613
Mid American Energy - Electric		5,786,090	1,810,939
Mienergy Cooperative - Cooperative		6,094,006	823,211
New Hampton Munc. Light - Transmission Line		963	120
Reicks View Renewables LLC - Electric		729,955	30,935
<b>TOTAL ELECTRIC COMPANIES</b>		<b>36,595,824</b>	<b>6,293,807</b>
Basin Electric Power Coop - Gas		0	10,505
Black Hills Energy Corp. - Gas		1,729,401	247,537
Corn Belt Power Co-Op - Gas		0	28,855
Homeland Energy Solutions, LLC - Gas		1,538,114	14,078,650
Interstate Power & Light - Gas		0	7,713,350
Mid American Energy - Gas		444,743	106,919
Western Minnesota Munc. Gas		0	1,017
<b>TOTAL GAS AND PIPELINE COMPANIES</b>		<b>3,712,258</b>	<b>22,186,833</b>

Cedar River RR	7.01	355,464	2,491,806
D M & E FKA IC & E	26.33	322,406	8,488,937
<b>TOTAL RAILROADS</b>	<b>33.34</b>	<b>677,870</b>	<b>10,980,743</b>
Dairyland Power-Cooperative		6,704,609	
Kinder Morgan Cochin- Pipeline		14,835,537	
Northern Natural-Pipeline		1,634,946	
Alliannce Pipeline		28,168,525	
<b>TOTAL Cooperative &amp; Pipeline</b>		<b>51,343,618</b>	
<b>Chickasaw County Total</b>		<b>62,324,360</b>	

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 11<sup>th</sup> DAY of DECEMBER, 2023. /ss/ Matthew Kuhn, Chairman, Aye; Hackman, Cerwinske, Breitbach, Suckow, Kuhn. /ss/Attest: Sheila Shekleton Auditor.

Discussed budgets for FY24-25.

Committee Assignments  
Supervisor Cerwinske, Cedar River Watershed Project, December 5 & 6.

Motion by Suckow, seconded by Breitbach to adjourn at 10:48 A.M. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion carried



Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson

Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:



Sheila Shekleton, Auditor