

**CHICKASAW COUNTY**  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MINUTES**  
**January 13, 2026**

The Board convened on Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at 9:02 AM with members Breitbach, Carter, Cerwinski and Hackman present in the Boardroom on the second floor of the Court House, New Hampton, Iowa. Absent: Suckow. Chairperson Hackman called the meeting to order. Also present were Board Secretary Sheila Shekleton, County Attorney David Laudner, Custodian Dave Gorman, Engineer Roman Lensing

Motion by Carter, seconded by Breitbach to approve the agenda for January 13, 2026 with the removal of the Public Health and Recorder's section, Custodian and Engineer FY26-27 budget review. Roll Call: Ayes: Carter, Breitbach, Cerwinski, Hackman. Absent: Suckow. Motion carried.

Motion by Cerwinski, seconded by Carter to seek bids for an electrical panels' replacement for two projects at the Chickasaw County Courthouse and to post the bid notice on the County website and bulletin board. Bids are due by 4:00 PM February 6, 2026 to the Chickasaw County Auditor's Office. The bids will be opened at the Board of Supervisors meeting on February 9, 2026. Roll Call: Ayes: Cerwinski, Carter, Breitbach, Hackman. Absent: Suckow. Motion carried.

Department update provided by Custodian Dave Gorman.

Motion by Carter, seconded by Breitbach to authorize purchase of used 2014 Kenworth T800 for \$35,500.00 from Eckenrod Farms for Secondary Roads. Roll Call: Ayes: Carter, Breitbach, Cerwinski, Hackman. Absent: Suckow. Motion carried.

Motion by Cerwinski, seconded by Breitbach to approve \$1.00/hour pay increase for Assistant to Engineer Benjamin Schmitt per agreement upon hire, effective January 22, 2026. Roll Call: Ayes: Cerwinski, Breitbach, Carter, Hackman. Absent: Suckow. Motion carried.

Department update provided by Engineer Roman Lensing

Motion by Cerwinski, seconded by Breitbach to adjourn at 9:43 AM. Roll Call: Ayes: Cerwinski, Breitbach, Carter, Hackman. Absent: Suckow. Motion carried.

  
Jacob Hackman, Chairperson  
Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

  
Sheila Shekleton, Secretary to the Board