

MEETING OF THE WORTH COUNTY CONFERENCE BOARD

The Worth County Conference Board met at the Courthouse, Northwood, IA, on Tuesday, February 11th, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Mark Smeby at 6:00 p.m. There was a quorum as prescribed by law. AJ Stone made a motion and Doug Moehle seconded to approve the agenda. Motion carried. Some members were present via Zoom due to scheduling conflicts. Members present were:

Supervisors: Mark Smeby, A. J. Stone, Enos Loberg

Mayors: Doug Moehle, Rick Scholbrock, Rebecca Martinson

School Board Representatives: Joe Rowe, Kyle Tabbert, Kari Osheim (Zoom), Kim Severson (Zoom)

Assessor: Cindy Thompson

Others present: Chief Deputy Assessor: Judy Stevens, Assessor Office staff: Andrea Myli & Jay Heims

Business Discussion:

Assessor Thompson discussed the current sales ratio and valuation increases for 2025. She presented several items on the proposed budget for discussion.

A motion was made by AJ Stone and seconded by Rick Scholbrock that the budget be accepted as presented. Motion carried as follows:

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| School Boards: | 1. Kari Osheim - Aye
2. Kim Severson - Aye
3. Joe Rowe - Aye
4. Kyle Tabbert - Aye |
| Mayors: | 1. Doug Moehle - Aye
2. Rich Scholbrock - Aye
3. Rebecca Martinson - Aye |
| Supervisors: | 1. AJ Stone - Aye
2. Mark Smeby - Aye
3. Enos Loberg - Aye |

The motion passed and the budget was thus approved. The budget will be published in the Northwood Anchor and the Manly Junction Signal, to be followed by a public hearing on March 4, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.

Therefore the following budget was approved by the Worth County Conference Board for the Worth County Assessor's office for the fiscal year 2025-2026:

Assessor	78,595
Clerk / Chief Deputy	62,751
Clerk / Appraiser	46,583
Clerk/Appraiser (part time)	21,286
FICA	16,005
IPERS	19,750
Insurance	39,327
Unemployment	500
Education & Training	6,500
Mileage-Room & Board	11,000
Fuels	1,500
Office Supplies	3,500
Postage	3,000
Telephone	1,800
Publications	1,000
Dues & Membership	2,000
Office Equipment	1,500

Data Processing	31,000
Mileage-Boards	1,000
Board of Review	2,000
Extra Help	8,000
Court Appeals	10,000
<u>Auto Repair/Replacement</u>	<u>7,500</u>
Total	\$ 376,096

The Public hearing to be held in Northwood IA at the Worth County Courthouse on March 4, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

BE IT REMEMBERED ON THIS DAY February 11, 2025 the Worth County Conference Board met in session for the purpose of filing the budget estimate and the amendment of the proposed budget for the Worth County Assessor's Office for the fiscal year 2025-2026. The Clerk of the Board was instructed to publish the proposed budget estimate and the hearing date as prescribed by law. Publication to be for the one insertion and ten days prior to the date set for the hearing in the official newspapers of the County.

Rebecca Martinson moved to adjourn the meeting; Doug Moehle seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:08 p.m.

CHAIRPERSON

ATTEST:

CLERK, CONFERENCE BOARD