

IN THE MATTER DRAINAGE DISTRICT No. 1 Annexation Hearing  
WORTH COUNTY, IOWA

MINUTES

The Board of Supervisors of Worth County, Iowa, acting for and on behalf of Drainage District No. 1, Worth County, Iowa met at the Worth County courthouse at 9:30 A.M. CST, February 2, 2026.

Members present: Enos Loberg, Chairperson  
A.J. Stone, Vice-Chairperson  
Mark Smeby, Supervisor

Also present: Jacki Backhaus, Auditor  
Chesley Doty, Drainage Clerk  
Jacob Hagan, AgriVia Engineer  
Tyler Bauman, AgriVia Engineer  
Jim Hanson, Conservation Director

Landowners present: Roger Harris  
Roger Dahlby  
Darin Dahlby  
Gene Severson  
Brenda Tenold-Moretz

Via Zoom: Ryan Buske, Drainage Attorney  
Nathaniel Julseth, DD 1 Commissioner  
Kris Kenison, Northwood Anchor

Enos Loberg called the meeting to order and determine a quorum.

Motion by Mark Smeby/Second A.J. Stone approve today's agenda. Motion carried.

Enos reminded everyone that they were in a public hearing.

Jacob Hagan started the meeting off by introducing himself and explained we were there for continuation for an annexation on DD1. He said last time there were a few questions on Brenda Tenold-Moretz land. She was unsure of where her water went. He said without tile maps he suggests that she stays with the district as he has it. Jacob said the 2<sup>nd</sup> concern last time was brought by Helgeson. Jacob's suggestion would be to leave him in the district and if Helgeson tiles they can take him down to minimum assessment.

Jacob asked if anyone had questions.

Enos said since there were no questions he will take a motion to close the public hearing.

Motion by Mark Smeby/Second by A.J. Stone motion carried

Roll Call	Smeby	Yea	<u>  x  </u>	Nay	<u>    </u>
	Stone	Yea	<u>  x  </u>	Nay	<u>    </u>
	Loberg	Yea	<u>  x  </u>	Nay	<u>    </u>

Enos said the public hearing was closed and reconvened the regular meeting. Enos said they will take action on recommendation on annexation from the engineer.


Motion by A.J. Stone/Second by Mark Smeby to approve the annexation report motion carried

Roll Call	Smeby	Yea	<u>  x  </u>	Nay	<u>    </u>
	Stone	Yea	<u>  x  </u>	Nay	<u>    </u>
	Loberg	Yea	<u>  x  </u>	Nay	<u>    </u>

Hearing adjourned at 9:35 a.m.

  
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Enos Loberg  
Chairperson

ATTEST:

  
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Chelsey Doty  
Drainage Clerk