

The Worth County Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment with Mark Smeby, A.J. Stone and Enos Loberg, present. All members voting “AYE” unless noted.

Meeting called to order by Loberg, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion Smeby/Second Stone to approve today’s agenda and April 13, 2026 minutes. Motion carried.

Motion Smeby/Second Stone to approve the following work orders. Motion carried.

1. DD #2 submitted by A.J. Stone
2. DD #6/Lat 7 & 7A submitted by Donald Knudtson
3. DD #2-3 submitted by Mike Petersburg
4. DD #46 submitted by Dennis Reyerson

Motion Smeby/Second Stone to approve the Class “C” Retail Alcohol License renewal for Brackey’s Country View Acres. Motion carried.

Motion Stone/Second Smeby to approve the Retail Tobacco License for Maverik Group, LLC. Motion carried.

Motion Smeby/Second Stone to approve the following fireworks permits at Country View Acres, 628 430th ST, Joice on behalf of: Kaden and Grace Nelson – May 23 and Flashing Thunder Fireworks – August 15. Motion carried.

Chairperson Loberg recessed the regular session at 8:40 A.M.

Chairperson Loberg reconvened the regular session at 9:00 A.M.

Motion Smeby/Second Stone to open the FY26/27 Budget public hearing at 9:00 A.M. Motion carried. There was no public comment.

Motion Stone/Second Smeby to close the public hearing at 9:01 A.M. Motion carried.

Motion Smeby/Second Stone to approve Resolution #2026-10. Roll call vote: AYE – Smeby, Stone, Loberg. Motion Carried.

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-10

A Resolution to Adopt the FY2027 Salary Recommendations for Elected Officials

WHEREAS, pursuant to Iowa Code Section 331.905, as amended in 2024 by Senate File 2442, and as per Resolution #2025-47, the Worth County Board of Supervisors abolished the Worth County Compensation Board and agreed to assume all responsibilities previously assigned to the County Compensation Board in setting salaries for the elected county officials; and

WHEREAS, the Worth County Board of Supervisors met on March 26, 2026, and made salary recommendations for the elected officials for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Worth County Board of Supervisors have approved the following salaries for the elected officials for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026:

Elected Official	Current Approved Salary	Proposed Increase	In Addition*	Recommended FY27 Salary
Supervisor Chair	34,260	0%	500	34,760
Supervisors	34,260	0%		34,260
Sheriff	99,574	10%		109,532
Auditor	70,021	3%	7,500	79,622
Treasurer	70,021	3%		72,122
Recorder	70,021	3%		72,122
Attorney	96,623	12.5622%		108,761
Totals	474,780			511,177
*Stipend for Supervisor Chair and for County Budget preparation by Auditor.				

ADOPTED this 20th day of April 2026.

WORTH COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Enos Loberg, Chairperson

ATTEST: Jacki A. Backhaus, Worth County Auditor

Motion Stone/Second Smeby to approve Resolution #2026-11. Roll call vote: AYE – Smeby, Stone, Loberg. Motion Carried.

**RESOLUTION #2026-11
ADOPTION OF THE WORTH COUNTY
FISCAL YEAR 2026/2027 PROPOSED BUDGET**

WHEREAS the Board of Supervisors held a Public Hearing on Monday, April 20, 2026 to receive comments regarding the proposed FY26/27 Budget of expenditures and revenues as was published, per Public Notice, in the April 8 & 9, 2026 issue of the Official County newspapers, The Northwood Anchor and The Manly Junction Signal, and presented at the public hearing on April 20, 2026.

THEREFORE the Board of Supervisors hereby approves the proposed FY26/27 Budget as was presented and published. Budget certification attached.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 20th day of April 2026.

Enos Loberg, Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: Jacki A. Backhaus, Auditor & Clerk to Board

Motion Stone/Second Smeby to adjourn at 9:03 A.M. Motion carried.

Jacki A. Backhaus
Auditor

Enos Loberg
Chairperson