

February 27, 2024

The Cedar County Commissioners met in the District Court Room of the Cedar County Courthouse at 8:30 am and the meeting was called to order as advertised, with David McGregor, Dick Donner and Craig Bartels answering roll call. Also, present County Clerk Jessica Schmit. Chairman McGregor stated the open meetings laws are posted on the door for public inspection.

Motion was made by Bartels and seconded by Donner to approve the agenda. Motion carried with a 3 to 0 vote. Motion was made by Bartels and seconded by McGregor to approve the minutes from the last meeting. Motion carried with a 3 to 0 vote.

Road Superintendent, Carla Schmidt presented information on low water crossings and discussion was held on replacing bridges on minimum maintenance roads. Questions were raised on the cost of engineering for various options.

Motion was made by McGregor seconded by Bartels to enter Board of Equalization. Motion carried with a 3 to 0 vote. County assessor, Becky Dresden presented permissive exemption applications to the board. Motion was made by Bartels seconded by Donner to approve the exemptions. Applications were signed by Chairman McGregor. Motion was made by Donner and seconded by McGregor to close the Board of Equalization. Motion carried with a 3 to 0 vote.

Assessor Dresden also presented a tax correction to parcel 6507. Motion was made by McGregor and seconded by Donner to approve the tax correction. Motion carried with a 3 to 0 vote.

Public hearing was held on the application of BV Buds for a Class C liquor license. With no public comment for or against the application, motion was made by Bartels and seconded by Donner to approve the liquor license. Motion carried with a 3 to 0 vote.

Commissioners took some time to listen to the unicameral debate LB1067, a bill before the legislature regarding the elimination of the inheritance tax.

Tim Gobel, Zoning Administrator presented the following building permits to the board. Rosu LLC, 68x397' confinement cattle barn with a 30x40 lean to, Rosu LLC 42x96' Morten building with a 28x48' lean to, and Daniel Koch a 36x100' hoop barn.

Emergency Management Coordinator, Kevin Garvin presented the annual maintenance agreement for the 911 system to the board. This provides software updates and technical support. Motion was made by Donner and seconded by Bartels to approve the terms and agreement. Motion carried with a 3 to 0 vote.

McGregor made a motion to adjourn and the motion was seconded by Donner. Motion carried with a 3 to 0 vote.

ATTEST:

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Jessica Schmit, County Clerk

APPROVED:

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David McGregor, Board Chairman