

The Board of Supervisors met on this 17th day of October 2023, at the Mills County Courthouse in Glenwood with Supervisors Lonnie Mayberry, Carol Vinton and Richard Crouch present. The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Crouch, seconded by Vinton to approve the Consent Agenda and Minutes as presented from October 10th, 2023. Motion carried on vote: Ayes: 3, Nays: 0

Jacob Ferro, County Engineer, was present for his scheduled meeting. Motion by Crouch, seconded by Vinton to approve the purchase of 6 Stihl MS-261C-M chainsaws from Agri-Vision for the amount of \$3,630.00, which he has budgeted. Motion carried on vote: Ayes: 3, Nays: 0

Ferro informed the Board he will be having the Safety Meeting for the Secondary Roads Department this Friday morning. He also discussed the DOT offering Speed Signs for Cities and the process to apply.

Amber Farnan, Glenwood City Administrator and Matt Woods, City Attorney, were present for their scheduled meeting. Discussion on agreement for Western Iowa Network bringing Fiber to Glenwood.

Josh England, Chief Deputy, was present for his scheduled meeting. Motion by Crouch, seconded by Vinton to approve the purchase of an Everest Refrigeration ESWR2 59 inch refrigerator for the jail in the amount of \$4,191, not including delivery. The previous refrigerator was nine years old and in need of major repair. Motion carried on vote: Ayes: 3, Nays: 0

Patrick Binns, IT Director, was present for his meeting. Motion by Vinton, seconded by Crouch to approve the data cabling quote for the Annex Building Addition in the amount of \$6,825. Motion carried on vote: Ayes: 3, Nays: 0

Binns will return to the Board to discuss more options for the audio/video quote for the Annex Building Addition.

Jill Ford, County Treasurer, arrived for her scheduled meeting. Motion by Vinton, seconded by Mayberry to approve Resolution 23-46 Abatement of Taxes for the City of Pacific Junction. Following due consideration, the Chairperson put the question on the motion and the roll being called, the following named Supervisors voted:

Ayes: 2- Mayberry, Vinton, Crouch

Nays: 0

Whereupon, the Chairperson declared the resolution duly adopted, as follows:

Resolution 23-46

The Mills County Board of Supervisors sitting in session on this 17th day of October 2023 upon recommendation from the Treasurer and as per Senate file 478 and IA Code 445.16 shall abate

the taxes, interest, and penalties on the following described property and direct the County Treasurer

to strike the amount due from the County system:

The Mills County Treasurer recommends that the taxes pertaining to the City of Pacific Junction; Glenwood School District in Mills County Iowa be abated for the following parcels listed below:

Parcel	Address	Amount	Penalty
0458500000000000	403 Depot	\$ 18.00	1.00
0440900000000000	702 Mills	\$140.00	1.00
0441400000000000	101 1 st	\$186.00	1.00
0449900000000000	403 Depot	\$140.00	1.00
0450000000000000	401 Depot	\$ 90.15	1.00
0450200000000000	305 5 th	\$176.00	1.00
0450700000000000	303 Depot	\$153.68	1.00
0405050000000000	200 Washington	\$140.00	1.00
0450300000000000	201 Washington	\$221.30	2.00

045820010000000	202 Gleason	\$157.77	1.00
045840000000000	407 Depot	\$ 85.36	1.00
045120000000000	303 Lincoln	\$147.67	1.00
045640000000000	402 Cordelia	\$ 41.97	

The Mills County Treasurer recommends taxes be abated in the amount of \$1,697.90 for 2023-2024 taxes and penalty of \$13.00. Total abated amount \$1,710.90.

Steve Poole, Head Building and Grounds Supervisor, arrived for his meeting. Motion by Vinton, seconded by Crouch to approve Poole to dispose of an obsolete mower deck. Motion carried on vote: Ayes: 3, Nays: 0

There being no further business to come before the Board, they adjourned to meet on Tuesday, October 24, 2023.

Lonnie Mayberry, Chair

ATTEST:

Ami Petersen, Auditor