

Tuesday, November 4, 2025, the Jasper County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at 9:30 a.m. with Supervisors Talsma and Cupples present and accounted for Chairman Talsma presiding.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to set a Public Hearing for a rezone request from agricultural (A) to rural residential (RR1) – Parcel # 02.15.300.017 with recommended dates and times of November 18th, November 25th and December 2, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in the Jasper County Board of Supervisors room.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMAS

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to set a Public Hearing for a rezone request from agricultural (A) to rural residential (RR1) – Parcel # 02.15.300.016 with recommended dates and times of November 18th, November 25th and December 2, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in the Jasper County Board of Supervisors room.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMAS

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to set a Public Hearing for a rezone request from agricultural (A) to rural residential (RR1) – Parcel # 14.08.300.010 with recommended dates and times of November 18th, November 25th and December 2, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in the Jasper County Board of Supervisors room.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMAS

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to set a Public Hearing for a rezone request from agricultural (A) to rural residential large lot (RR5) – Parcel # 02.07.376.001 with recommended dates and times of November 18th, November 25th and December 2, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in the Jasper County Board of Supervisors room.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMAS

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to set a Public Hearing for changes to the Jasper County Zoning Ordinance #04F (will change to #04G) with recommended dates and times of November 18th, November 25th and December 2, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in the Jasper County Board of Supervisors room.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMAS

Motion by Cupples, seconded by Talsma to approve the 2025 Weed Commissioner's report.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMAS

Chairman Talsma requested that the Public Information Officer position be moved underneath the Board of Supervisors as they work on transitioning this role into something bigger. Other Counties structure there PIO position this way, and it works well. This will also allow Jenn Cross to get in front of any issues that may be coming before it happens.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to restructure the Public Information Officer position out from the IT Department to underneath the Board of Supervisors.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMAS

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to approve claims paid through November 4, 2025.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMA

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to approve the Board of Supervisors minutes from October 28, 2025.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMA

There were no Board Appointments.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to table the employee evaluation for Jasper County Engineer, Mike Frietsch.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMA

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to adjourn the regular meeting and enter into the work session.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMA

The Board reviewed the Capital Asset Policy to make sure PurpleWave was listed as a proper means of disposal. The Board also asked that language be added requiring departments to seek approval before disposing of assets.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to recess until 10:45 a.m.

YEA: CUPPLES & TALSMA

Supervisor, Thad Nearmyer was able to enter into the meeting at this time.

Motion by Cupples, seconded by Nearmyer to come out of recess.

YEA: CUPPLES, NEARMYER, TALSMA

The Board discussed purchasing land for right-of-way.

Motion by Cupples, seconded by Nearmyer to adjourn the Tuesday, November 4, 2025, meeting of the Jasper County Board of Supervisors.

YEA: CUPPLES, NEARMYER, TALSMA

Jenna Jennings, Auditor

Brandon Talsma, Chairman