

May 26, 2026

Tuesday, May 26, 2026, the Jasper County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at 9:30 a.m. with Supervisors Cupples, Talsma, and Nearmyer present and accounted for, Chairman Nearmyer presiding.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to adopt Resolution 26-31, a hiring resolution certifying the following appointments to the Auditor for payroll implementation:

<u>DEPARTMENT</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>EMPLOYEE</u>	<u>PAY RATE</u>	<u>RANGE/STEP</u>	<u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>
Conservation Department	Seasonal Park Maint. Tech	Collin Buchli	\$15.75	Standard Rate	6/2/26

YEA: CUPPLES, NEARMYER, TALSMA

A complete copy of the resolution is on file in the Office of the Jasper County Auditor.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to approve a quote from SCI Communications in the amount of \$11,427.95 to add 3 doors at the jail to the current key fob system.

YEA: CUPPLES, NEARMYER, TALSMA

Maintenance Director, Adam Sparks presented bids for remodeling the jail booking area and basement evidence room at the Law Center. There was a total of three bids presented:

	Booking Area	Evidence Room
Giardino Construction	\$64,960.00	\$57,100.00
Ball Team, LLC	\$76,193.00	\$67,496.00
GTG Construction, LLC	\$72,900.00	\$80,500.00

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to approve the bid from Giardino Construction in the amount \$64,960.00 to remodel the booking area and \$57,100.00 to add an addition to the evidence room at the Jasper County Law Center for a total of \$122,060.00.

YEA: CUPPLES, NEARMYER, TALSMA

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to adopt Resolution 26-32 approving transfer order #1571 in the amount of \$414,848.00 from Amended 28E Sub fund TPI Fund to 2015 (2007) TPI Refunded Fund.

YEA: CUPPLES, NEARMYER, TALSMA

A complete copy of the resolution is on file in the Office of the Jasper County Auditor.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to adopt Resolution 26-33 approving transfer order #1572 in the amount of \$57,134.21 from Legacy Plaza Economic Development Fund to 2005 – (2023) Legacy Plaza Debt Service Fund.

YEA: CUPPLES, NEARMYER, TALSMA

A complete copy of the resolution is on file in the Office of the Jasper County Auditor.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to adopt Resolution 26-34 approving transfer order #1573 in the amount of \$5,700.55 from General Basic Fund to 2040-Admin Building Debt Service Fund.

YEA: CUPPLES, NEARMYER, TALSMA

A complete copy of the resolution is on file in the Office of the Jasper County Auditor.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to approve the Board of Supervisors minutes from May 19, 2026.

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

There were no Board Appointments.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to enter into closed session requested by Dennis Simon in accordance with Iowa Code Section 21.5(1)(a) to review or discuss records which are required or authorized by state or federal law to be kept confidential or to be kept confidential as a condition for that governmental body's possession or continued receipt of federal funds and Iowa Code Section 21.5(1) to discuss strategy with counsel in matters that are presently in litigation or where litigation is imminent where its disclosure would be likely to prejudice or disadvantage the position of the governmental body in the litigation.

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

ROLL CALL YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

Motion by Cupples, seconded by Talsma to come out of closed session.

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to approve the settlement agreement.

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to enter into closed session requested by Scott Nicholson and Adam Sparks in accordance with Iowa Code Section 21.5(c) to discuss strategy with counsel in matters that are presently in litigation or where litigation is imminent where its disclosure would be likely to prejudice or disadvantage the position of the governmental body in the litigation.

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

ROLL CALL YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to come out of closed session.

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to enter into closed session requested by Scott Nicholson and Mike Frietsch in accordance with Iowa Code Section 21.5(c) to discuss strategy with counsel in matters that are presently in litigation or where litigation is imminent where its disclosure would be likely to prejudice or disadvantage the position of the governmental body in the litigation.

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

ROLL CALL YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to come out of closed session.

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

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

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

Adam Sparks presented a drawing from BBS showing the renovation of the task force room in the law center basement as well as expanding the garage door in the basement to possibly park the ambulance in. BBS quoted the project would be around \$465,000 total. The Board discussed possibly shifting the bonded money from the training center to the lower-level basement project for the law center. Mike Frietsch reviewed the grant application for the T-38 bridge of the railroad tracks.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Cupples to adjourn the Tuesday, May 26, 2026, meeting of the Jasper County Board of Supervisors.

YEA: NEARMYER, TALSMA, CUPPLES

Jenna Jennings, Auditor

Thad Nearmyer, Chairman