PROCEEDINGS:
OABCIG CSD • OCT. 28 MINUTES

OABCIG CSD
Board Work Session
10/28/2026 • 6:30 p.m.
Boardroom
OABCIG High School
900 John Montgomery Drive
Ida Grove, Iowa
MEETING MINUTES

OABCIG Mission Statement: *Educating Every Student Every Day*

Attendance
Voting Members

Josh Alesch, Board President
Ryan Goodman, Board Member
Lex Jacobson, Board Member
Stephanie Konradi, Board Member
Dathan Loger, Board Vice President
Brad Lundell, Board Member

I. Official Call to Order by the Board President

II. Board Discussion

Board members heard from Superintendent Trevor Miller of Exira-Elk Horn-Kimballton and Superintendent James Craig of Cardinal Community School District in a question-answer style session. Both of those districts are currently following a 4-day school week calendar. The board asked questions about how the schedule change impacted student attendance, academic outcomes, student behavior issues, student and teacher mental health and well-being, teacher attendance, teacher planning and teaching time, professional development, the breakfast and lunch programs, childcare for families, and more. Several members of the public were in attendance. The board will continue to research and discuss the 4-day week and other calendar options and schedule opportunities for public input.

III. Adjourn

Motion to Adjourn the Work Session of the OABCIG Board of Directors.
Motion made by: Lex Jacobson
Motion seconded by: Ryan Goodman
Voting results: Unanimously Approved
Adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

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TRUST NOTICE:
SHARON CLAUSEN

NOTICE OF TRUST

To all persons regarding Sharon Clausen, deceased, who died on October 17, 2026:

You are hereby notified that Sharon Clausen is the Trustee of the SHARON S. CLAUSEN REVOCABLE TRUST, a revocable trust established by Sharon Clausen.

Any action to contest the validity of the Trust must be brought in the District Court of IDA County, Iowa, within the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this Notice or thirty days from the date of mailing this Notice to the heirs of the deceased settlor and the surviving spouse whose identities are reasonably ascertainable. Any action not filed within the applicable period shall be forever barred.

Notice is further given that any person or entity possessing a claim against the Trust must mail proof of the claim to the Trustee at the address listed below by certified mail, return receipt requested, within the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this Notice or thirty days from the date of mailing this Notice, if required, or the claim shall be forever barred unless paid or otherwise satisfied.

Dated this 19th day of October, 2026.
SHARON S. CLAUSEN
REVOCABLE TRUST
Care of Joe Clausen
617 Benning Drive Unit 2
Holstein, IA 51025

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PROCEEDINGS:
IDA COUNTY BOS • OCT. 27 MINUTES / CLAIMS

Ida Grove, Iowa
Oct. 27, 2026

The Board of Supervisors met in adjourned session on Oct. 27, 2026, at 9 a.m. Members present Devlun Whiteing, Creston Schubert and Kyle Rohlk. Whiteing called the meeting to order. A motion to approve minutes from Oct. 13, 2026, 9 a.m. meeting by Schubert, seconded by Rohlk. Motion carried all voting Aye.

There were no public comments to the board.

Deputy Assessor, Dalton Treiber met with the board to discuss military and homestead credits. A motion by Schubert to approve military and homestead credits, seconded by Rohlk. Motion carried all voting Aye.

County Engineer, Colin Ryan updated the board on roads. A motion to approve ROW Work Permit for MidAmerican Energy for pole replacement by Schubert, seconded by Rohlk. Motion carried all voting Aye.

At 10:15 the board met with Ahlers & Cooney Attorney, Maria Brownel. They discussed BESS options for Ida County. At 10:30 discussion on the Data Center Ordinance took place. She will make her recommendations and have that back to the board within the next couple of weeks.

A motion to approve quarterly reports for Auditor and monthly Clerk or Court Report by Schubert, seconded by Rohlk. Motion carried all voting Aye.

A motion to approve Treasurer's Report by Rohlk, seconded by Whiteing. Motion carried all voting Aye.

A motion to approve Jailer, Kyle Schiernbeck to $27.78 per hour by Schubert, seconded by Whiteing. Motion carried all voting Aye.

Acknowledgement of manure management plans for RDJ Farms.

A motion to approve the following claims, Benefits Inc $534.31, $7372.73, 10-16-2026 Payroll Expense Checks $38,748.71, 10-16-2026 Payroll $123,363.07, by Rohlk, seconded by Schubert. Motion carried all voting Aye.

GENERAL BASIC
Ahlers & Cooney PC . Services . 88.50
Bomgaars .....Maintenance.....186.29
Canon Financial Services, Inc .....
Services.....113.38
Century Business Products Inc.....
Services.....20.35
Continental Alarm & Detection.....
Services.....740.00
Foundation Analytical Lab.....
Testing.....305.00
Ida County Auditor..Supplies..11.50
Ida County ISU Extension .....
Training.....90.00
Ida County Sanitation Inc.....
Services.....353.50
IEHA ..... Dues 2027 .....80.00
Julie Phillips ..... Mileage.....33.00
Loffler Companies Inc.....
Services.....121.03
Long Lines Broadband .....
Services.....178.43
MidAmerican Energy .....
Services.....1,921.50
NACO.....Membership.....450.00
North West REC ..... Electric ..622.50
Sac County Mutual Tele Co.....
Services.....84.53
Siouxland District Health Dept. .....
Services/Grant.....14,388.64
The Holstein Advance.....
Legals.....776.35
The Office Stop.....Supplies.....35.31
Thompson Solutions Group.....
Services.....21,406.00
General Basic Total:..... 42,017.95
GENERAL SUPPLEMENTAL
Ida County Sheriff Dept. .....
Services.....427.38
NW Iowa Yes Center.....
Services.....1,575.00
Treasurer State of Iowa.....
Service Fees.....756.00
General Supplemental Total:..... 2,758.38
SECONDARY ROAD
DLT Solutions, LLC.....
Computer.....6,033.40
Iowa State University.....
Safety.....450.00
Long Lines Broadband .....
Services.....17.84
Subsurface, Inc ..Culvert...22,620.00
Ten Point Contruction Co Inc.....
Concrete.....25,754.86
Total Motors Holstein.....
Equipment.....55,441.00
Unity Point Health at Work .....
Services.....656.00
Secondary Road Total:. 110,973.10
REAP
Ida Grove Food Pride...Supplies. 65.11
REAP Total:.....65.11
EMS
Amazon Capital Services .....
Supplies.....189.00
Bound Tree Medical LLC .....
Supplies.....166.29
Ida Grove Cenex.....Fuel.....560.32
Ida Grove NAPA . Maintenance . 39.99
IEMSA..... Registrations.....607.00
MidAmerican Energy .....
Gas/Electric.....315.53
Tonya Dupre . Reimbursement . 40.00
EMS Total: 1,918.13
CAPITAL PROJECTS COURTHOUSE
Nelson Commercial Constr.....
Services.....14,080.26
Capital Projects Courthouse Total:..... 14,080.26
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
Bomgaars .....Supplies.....21.98
Edward J Sohm.....
Reimbursements 246.24
Ida Grove Cenex.....Fuel.....375.86
Emergency Management Total:..... 644.08
E911 FUND
Centurylink ..... Services.....33.95
Diamond Tower Service Inc .....
Services.....22,000.00
E911 Fund Total:..... 22,033.95
PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCY
Airgas USA LLC ... Supplies.....75.95
Amazon Capital Services .....
Supplies.....359.94
Bomgaars .....Supplies.....77.99
GFC Leasing - Wi ...Services..197.33
Ida County Courier-Reminder .....
Legal.....54.72
Ida Grove Cenex.....Fuel 4,695.74
Ida Grove Hardware .Supplies . 71.44
Ida Grove NAPA . Maintenance . 39.99
Jack's Uniforms & Equipment .....
Uniform.....770.29
Long Lines Broadband .....
Services.....17.84
Mac's Chevrolet Inc .....
Maintenance.....4,354.61
Secretary of State .... Notary 30.00
Sirchie LLC ..... Supplies 158.56
Unity Point Health at Work .....
Services.....66.00
Public Safety Agency Total: 10,970.39
COUNTY ASSESSOR
Claudia Comstock.....
Meals/Mileage 228.79
Long Lines Broadband .....
Services.....17.84
County Assessor Total:..... 246.63
County Total: 205,707.98

With there being no further business, the board adjourned to meet on Tuesday, Nov. 10, 2026 at 9 a.m.

/s/ Kristy Gilbert
Auditor
/s/ Devlun Whiteing
Chair

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