

**Marshall County Board of Supervisors  
Regular Session March 7, 2017 at 9:00 a.m.**

**MINUTES**

The Board met in regular session on Tuesday, March 7, 2017, at 9:00 a.m. in the Courthouse, meeting room #2, NE corner, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor with all 3 members present.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**1. Approval or Amendment of Agenda—**

Motion by Thompson, second by Salasek, to approve the agenda as printed.

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| Roll call vote: | Thompson-Aye  | Salasek-Aye | Patten-Aye |
|                 | Vice Chairman | Member      | Chairman   |

**2. Proposed Passenger Elevator Upgrade and Modernization for Marshall County Courthouse, Public Hearing—**

At the public hearing, any resident may present objections to or arguments in favor of any part of the proposed Drawings, Specifications, Form of Contract and Opinion of Probable Cost of Improvements identified at the “Project” above. The Project is to be funded from the proceeds of the existing Tax levy.

Notice of public hearing was published in the Marshalltown Times-Republican newspaper on February 25, 2017 and the Mid Iowa Enterprise newspaper on March 2, 2017.

There were no written comments, questions, or objections on file in the County Auditor and Recorder’s Office. Of the 10 individuals attending the public hearing, no individual(s) presented oral comments, questions, or objections.

Motion by Salasek, second by Thompson, to close the public hearing at 9:04 a.m.

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| Roll call vote: | Thompson-Aye  | Salasek-Aye | Patten-Aye |
|                 | Vice Chairman | Member      | Chairman   |

Consent Agenda:

- 3. Approve Minutes--from Regular Session of February 21, 2017**
- 4. Accept Annual Manure Management Plan Update- Burt Farm & Livestock, Inc., id no. 62502, manure management plan received and placed on file with no changes to MMP.**
- 5. Accept Annual Manure Management Plan Update- J.T. Farms West Site, id no. 63207, annual update report received and placed on file with no changes made to the MMP.**

6. Accept Annual Manure Management Plan Update- Breeze Hill Farms, LLC, id no. 65770, annual update report received and placed on file with the following changes made to the MMP: changed crop rotation and using manure analysis for determining application rates when applying manure.
7. Accept Annual Manure Management Plan Update- BL Farms, Inc, id no 67141, Larsen Site, annual update report received and placed on file with the following changes made to the MMP: added acres, changed crop rotation and using manure analysis for determining application rates when applying manure.
8. Accept Annual Manure Management Plan Update- Prestage Farms of Iowa, LLC, id no 67105, PI-349 Finisher annual update report received and placed on file with the following change made to the MMP: added acres.
9. Approve Request to use Mobile Band Shell Rental and use of Courthouse Grounds-The Marshalltown National Day of Prayer has requested the use of the Courthouse grounds and the Mobile Band Shell for a National Day of Prayer on Thursday, May 4, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
10. Approve Claims—Approve claims as audited and authorize the County Auditor and Recorder to issue payment of the same. The listing of claims paid at this meeting and all claims paid in the month March will be published as part of the first meeting in April.

Motion by Thompson, second by Salasek, to approve the consent agenda as printed.

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| Roll call vote: | Thompson-Aye  | Salasek-Aye | Patten-Aye |
|                 | Vice Chairman | Member      | Chairman   |

## **11. Resolution #2017-0020**

### **2017 Marshall County Noxious Weed Control Plan**

#### **Resolution #2017-0020**

Whereas, noxious weeds can reduce crop yields by competing for light, water, and soil nutrients; decrease crop value and market ability; serve as hosts for certain economic insects and disease pathogens; directly affect human and animal health; and detract from the aesthetic value of real property, and

Whereas, In accordance with the Iowa Weed Law, landowners and persons in possession or control of any Marshall County lands, rural or urban, should destroy noxious weeds before they bloom or reach their maturity. They can be destroyed by cutting, burning or chemical treatment and;

Whereas, the Code of Iowa provides that if the owner or persons in control of lands fail to comply, the county weed commissioner can order the noxious weeds destroyed and the cost of such will be assessed against the landowner.

Whereas, the Marshall County Board of Supervisors desires to implement an effective noxious weed control program for the 2017 growing season in Marshall County

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the following shall constitute the 2017 Marshall County Noxious Weed Control Program;

The following noxious weeds must be destroyed before going to seed and as often as necessary thereafter to prevent seed production:

Curly (Sour) Dock, Hoary Cress, Leafy Spurge, Perennial Peppergrass, Red (Sheep) Sorrel, Smooth (Pale) Dock, Quackgrass, Buckthorn, Musk Thistle, Buckhorn Plantain, Russian Knapweed, Canadian Thistle, Shattercane and Wild Mustard, Field Bindweed, Poison Hemlock, Wild Carrot, Bull Thistle, Cocklebur, Horse (Bull) Nettle, Perennial Sowthistle, Puncturevine, Tall Thistle, Teasel, Velvetleaf (butterprint), Wild Sunflower and Multiflora Rose.

The Code of Iowa provides that if the owner or persons in control of lands fail to comply, the county weed commissioner can order the noxious weeds destroyed and the cost of such will be assessed against the landowner.

Persons interested in working for the weed commissioner on a contract basis to mow weeds should submit a bid on an hourly basis, along with information on equipment available and references to the Weed Commissioner, Courthouse.

Marshall County will conduct a roadside weed management spraying program again this year. The county will blanket spray for thistles, wild carrot and wild mustard specifically, and other noxious weeds found in high concentrations generally in the roadsides and areas of county ownership over eight townships in the east half of the County in mid to late May or early to mid-June.

In mid to late August the county will conduct a spot spray program in the west half of the county for all thistle varieties as well as poison hemlock, wild carrot and wild mustard specifically, and other noxious weeds found in high concentrations generally in the roadsides and areas of the county owned by the county. The county will also conduct a separate spray program on areas of dense populations of Leafy Spurge in selected areas along Summit St. Rd. and Sand Rd.

Any person seeking to have their land exempted from the county spray program may ask the county to skip their property. This requires filing a proper description with the county which will be placed on the County "Do Not Spray" map. This also requires placement of the County

“Do Not Spray” placards at each end of the area not to be sprayed. There is a fee of \$10.00 per area requested to not be sprayed.

Be It Further Resolved that this 2017 Noxious Weed Control Program shall become effective upon its adoption by the Marshall County Board of Supervisors.

Dated this 7th day of March, 2017, Marshall County, IA.

Motion by Salasek, second by Thompson, to adopt Resolution #2017-0020, 2017 Marshall County Noxious Weed Control Plan.

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| Roll call vote: | Thompson-Aye  | Salasek-Aye | Patten-Aye |
|                 | Vice Chairman | Member      | Chairman   |

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**12. Department of Human Services Equipment Purchase** –Discussion and possible action on approval of a lease purchase agreement with Premier Office Equipment through US Bank Equipment Finance for a Sharp MX 453N All-in-one printer/scanner/copier. The monthly lease price is \$297.00 with a \$1.00 purchase price at the end of 39 months.

Motion by Thompson, second by Salasek, to approve the lease purchase agreement for a Sharp MX 453N All-in-one printer/scanner/copier for the Department of Human Services.

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| Roll call vote: | Thompson-Aye  | Salasek-Aye | Patten-Aye |
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**13. Discussion Item**—A request from John Worden to discuss library funding.

**14. Public Forum**— There were no comments from the public.

**15. Adjournment**--The next regular session is March 21, 2017, at 9:00 a.m. All business to be acted upon at that session should be submitted to the County Auditor and Recorder’s Office or the Board of Supervisors’ Office by Thursday, March 16, 2017, at 1:00 p.m. There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 9:26 a.m.

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