

**BUDGET MINUTES DECEMBER 7, 2023**  
**DUBUQUE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Chair Harley Pothoff, Vice-Chairperson Ann McDonough, Wayne Kenniker

The Board of Supervisors met in their chambers on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor, 720 Central Ave. Dubuque IA, 52001. You now have options to attend Board of Supervisor meetings. The County offers Zoom with both audio and video available. Every agenda will include information how to login to attend that meeting. Those wishing to attend meetings in person may do so. All Board of Supervisors official meetings are recorded and available to be viewed at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCXFvtJQ2WWIsG8vVFVreYCQ>

**LET THE RECORD SHOW** that all approvals, appointments, motions, claims, warrants, receipts, proclamations, recesses, adjustments, resolutions, permits, and public hearings, were approved unanimously, unless otherwise noted.

**WORK SESSION** – Presentation from Dubuque County Sheriff Joe Kennedy regarding County Sheriff's Department and services provided, numbers of calls of service, crimes, investigations, civil papers served, etc.

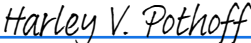
**WORK SESSION** – EMS Director Tom Berger provided information on Emergency Support Services programs and the 28E Agreement.

**WORK SESSION** – Dubuque County Library Director Amanda Sand presented on library services and numbers. The library has had a rebrand and new website. There has also been an increase in volunteering.

**WORK SESSION** – Veterans Affairs Executive Director Randy Rennison spoke about services offered and costs. There were questions from Supervisor McDonough on the number of burials.

**WORK SESSION** – Juvenile Court Officer John McEnany presented on juvenile offenders and issues with detention costs rising and duration of stays because of behavioral problems.

Adjourn at 4:34 p.m.

  
Harley V. Pothoff (Dec 18, 2023 17:06 CST)

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Harley V Pothoff, Chair  
Dubuque County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

  
Kevin Dragotto (Dec 18, 2023 14:20 CST)

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Kevin Dragotto, Dubuque County Auditor