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NOTICE OF CONSERVATION BOARD MEETING

Thursday, August 27, 2026 at 4:00 PM

Swiss Valley Nature Center
13606 Swiss Valley Road, Peosta, Iowa 52068
or Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83648530203?pwd=HljYIDoZ9nGB20HJDnQvf4W0X0hon6.1>

Meeting ID: 836 4853 0203 Passcode: 973150

Mission Statement

The mission of the Dubuque County Conservation Board is to enhance the quality of life of our citizens by providing quality outdoor recreation facilities, environmental education and by promoting the long-term protection of Dubuque County's natural resources and heritage.

Agenda

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL

3. PUBLIC INPUT

At this time, anyone may address the Board on matters which are of concern to that person and which are not agenda items. Individual remarks are limited to three minutes. Please stand or raise your hand on ZOOM and state your name and home address. Make your comments; however, no formal action on your comments may be taken at this time because of the notice requirements of the Iowa Open Meetings Law.

4. MINUTES

- a) Approval of the July 16, 2026 meeting minutes.

5. DISCUSSION/ACTION - REQUEST BY STACKIS TO CONSTRUCT AN ADDITION TO A RESIDENCE IN A C-1 CONSERVANCY

- a) Plans for Stackis addition.

6. DISCUSSION/ACTION - AWARD BIDS FOR TREE PLANTING AND SITE PREPERATION AT MILLER MCGRATH, NEW WINE, STRATHMAN-HERITAGE TRAIL ADDITION, WHITEWATER CANYON AND WHITEWATER CANYON STAND 20

- a) Bid tab for forest management projects.

7. DISCUSSION/ACTION - AWARD BID FOR, RT-C031(132)--9H-31 HERITAGE TRAIL BRIDGE #30 REPLACEMENT

- a) Heritage Trail Bridge #30 Bidders Summary

8. DISCUSSION/ACTION - APPROVAL OF PLAN AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR NEW WINE PARK CULVERT REPLACEMENT

- a) New Wine Park culvert plans.

9. DISCUSSION/ACTION - SOLICITATION OF BIDS FOR NEW WINE PARK CULVERT REPLACEMENT

- a) Bidding proposal for New Wine Park culvert replacement.

10. DISCUSSION/ACTION - DUBUQUE COUNTY CONSERVATION COMPREHENSIVE PARKS, TRAILS AND OPEN SPACES MASTER PLAN UPDATE REVIEW FINAL DRAFT OF THE PROPOSED MASTERPLAN UPDATE

- a) Draft for Dubuque County Conservation Master plan update.
- b) Master Plan presentation.

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12. STAFF REPORTS

- a) Director Report
- b) Deputy Director Report
- c) Green Superintendent Report
- d) Naturalist Report

13. OLD BUSINESS

14. APPROVAL OF BILLS

- a) Approval of the August 2026 payables and the July 2026 procurement cards.

15. NEXT MEETING

- a) Thursday, September 24, 2026 at 4:00 PM, Swiss Valley Nature Center, 13606 Swiss Valley Rd., Peosta, IA 52068.

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