

Clarke County Board of Supervisors
April 3, 2023

April 3, 2023 - The Clarke County Board of Supervisors met in regular session on April 3, 2023, at the Clarke County Courthouse with the following members present: Dean Robins, Austin Taylor and Randy Dunbar. Also present, Auditor Janice White and Osceola Sentinel Editor Candra Brooks. Chairman Dean Robins called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Austin Taylor made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Randy Dunbar. All Ayes.

Res 23-060 - Moved by Austin Taylor, seconded by Randy Dunbar, to accept the Cost Allocation Plan as prepared by Cost Advisory Services, Inc. based on fiscal year ended June 30, 2022, to establish cost allocations for use in fiscal year 2024 and sign Certification Statement.

Vote was, "Ayes": Dean Robins, Austin Taylor and Randy Dunbar. "Nays": None.
Signed this 3rd day of April, 2023.

Res 23-061 - Moved by Randy Dunbar, seconded by Austin Taylor, to approve fourth quarter transfer of funds, in the amount of \$19,800, from the General Supplement Fund to the Emergency Management Fund.

Vote was: "Ayes": Dean Robins, Austin Taylor and Randy Dunbar. "Nays": None.
Signed this 3rd day of April, 2023.

Res 23-062 - Moved by Randy Dunbar, seconded by Austin Taylor, to approve payment of claims submitted from March 28, 2023 through April 3, 2023.

Vote was: "Ayes": Dean Robins, Austin Taylor and Randy Dunbar. "Nays": None.
Signed this 3rd day of April, 2023.

Fund totals for claims as follows:

0001 GENERAL BASIC FUND	41,859.65
0002 GENERAL SUPPLEMENT FUND	6,000.00
4000 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FUND	362.22

Res 23-063 - Moved by Randy Dunbar, seconded by Austin Taylor to approve the following Proclamation declaring April as Child Abuse Prevention month in Clarke County:

WHEREAS, our children are our most valuable resource and will shape the future of Clarke County;

WHEREAS, child abuse and neglect directly harm children and increase the likelihood of long-term physical and mental health problems, alcohol and substance abuse, continued family violence and criminal behavior;

WHEREAS, children suffering from child abuse are more likely to: engage in risky behavior, perform poorly in school, develop unhealthy relationships, suffer from depression, attempt suicide, and express violent aggression, and

WHEREAS, only \$1 is spent on preventing child abuse in Iowa for every \$50 spent on treating it; and

WHEREAS, Iowa is leading research efforts to better understand the negative long-term outcomes of child abuse and neglect among adults through the Adverse Childhood Experiences study (ACEs), which shows that poor physical health, mental health, and financial health in adulthood is attributed to adverse experiences in childhood, including abuse and neglect; and

WHEREAS, the risk of child abuse is reduced through strong social supports for adults and children; and

WHEREAS, research shows that the presence of one caring relationship in a child's life mitigates negative outcomes and reduces risk factors, resulting in better physical health, mental health, and financial health; and

WHEREAS, positive social supports for children and adults are key factors to improving social well-being in Iowa; and

WHEREAS, the Connections Matter® initiative supported by Clarke & Decatur County Child Abuse Prevention Council promotes the development of positive social supports and communicates the healing power of relationships in children's development and the community's growth; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Dean Robins, Chairman of Clarke County Board of Supervisors, do hereby proclaim April 2023 as Child Abuse Prevention Month in Clarke County and urge all citizens in our community to increase their participation in building caring connections with families, thereby preventing child abuse and strengthening the community in which we live.

Vote was: "Ayes": Dean Robins, Austin Taylor and Randy Dunbar. "Nays": None.
Signed this 3rd day of April, 2023.

Having no other agenda items, Randy Dunbar made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Austin Taylor. All Ayes. Meeting adjourned at 12:00 noon.

Signed: Dean Robins, Chairman

Attest: Janice M. White, Auditor