

**Dickinson County Board of Supervisors
April 28, 2026**

9:00 A.M. Present are Supervisors Kim Wermersen, Stephen Dullard, Levi Markwardt, Steve Clark vice-chairperson, and Chairperson Bill Leupold.

The pledge of allegiance to the flag was recited by those present.

Time for the 9:00 a.m. public hearing on the proposed amendment for FY' 26 County Budget. Lori Pedersen, County Auditor explained the reasoning for the amendments. After further discussion and comment from the public, chairperson Leupold closed the public hearing.

Moved by Wermersen, seconded by Markwardt, to approve resolution 2026-9 Amendment to FY '26 County Budget. Roll call vote: Wermersen-aye, Markwardt-aye, Dullard-aye, Clark-aye, and Leupold-aye.

**RESOLUTION 2026-9
BUDGET AMENDMENT RESOLUTION FY'26**

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Dickinson County Board of Supervisors, that the amended budget for FY'26 be approved as published in the official newspaper of the County on Friday April 17, 2026.

Approved by the Dickinson County Board of Supervisors on Tuesday April 28, 2026.

Moved by Clark, seconded by Wermersen, to approve resolution 2026-10 FY '26 Appropriations Amendment. Roll call vote: Clark-aye, Wermersen-aye, Dullard-aye, Markwardt-aye, and Leupold-aye.

RESOLUTION 2026-10

APPROPRIATIONS AMENDMENT-CHANGING DEPARTMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS. WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Dickinson County has held a Public Hearing pursuant to Iowa Code 331.434(3) to amend FY'26 County Budget; **AND, WHEREAS**, the amendment does not increase the taxes to be collected in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026; **AND, WHEREAS**, all comments from the public have been heard; **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the following department appropriations be changed as follows:

Expenditures

Dept 01 (Supervisors)	7,620,815	-	203,358	=	7,417,457
Dept 02 (Auditor)	533,350	-	60,100	=	473,250
Dept 04 (Attorney)	825,147	+	62,217	=	887,364
Dept 22 (Conservation)	2,035,913	+	145,000	=	2,180,913
Dept 28 (Medical Examiner)	52,000	+	5,000	=	57,000
Dept 51 (General Services)	844,425	-	54,925	=	789,500
		-	\$106,166		

Revenues

Dept 01 (Treasurer)	400,540	+	28,500	=	429,040
Dept 04 Attorney)	31,000	+	30,000	=	61,000
Dept 22 (Conservation)	727,070	+	50,000	=	777,070
Dept 27 (Trails)	2,410,580	+	110,817	=	2,521,397
Dept 39 (Comm Services)	1,500	+	76,500	=	78,000
Dept 99 (Non-Depart)	16,725,794	+	267,169	=	16,992,963
			\$ 562,986		

By Service Area

Intergovernmental	7,617,466	+	111,117	=	7,728,583
Charges for Service	1,007,390	+	50,000	=	1,057,390
Use of Property & Money	738,270	+	278,500	=	1,016,770
Miscellaneous	630,750	+	123,369	=	754,119
Public Safety & Service	4,251,703	+	79,717	=	4,331,420
Physical Health & Soc Services	731,064	+	15,000	=	746,064
County Environment & Ed	6,656,943	+	129,442	=	6,786,385
Government Serv to Res	1,154,007	-	60,100	=	1,093,907
Administration	4,392,474	-	270,225	=	4,122,249
			<u>\$456,820</u>		

Moved by Clark, seconded by Markwardt, to approve the bond payments in the amount of \$207,812.50. Roll call vote: Clark-aye, Markwardt-aye, Wermersen-aye, Dullard-aye, and Leupold-aye.

Moved by Wermersen, seconded by Dullard, to approve the April 21, 2026 board meeting minutes. Roll call vote: Wermersen-aye, Dullard-aye, Markwardt-aye, Clark-aye, and Leupold-aye.

Moved by Wermersen, seconded by Clark, to approve the drainage claim for DD19 to Cory Juergens Construction in the amount of \$75,074.98. Roll call vote: Wermersen-aye, Clark-aye, Dullard-aye, Markwardt-aye, and Leupold-aye.

Moved by Wermersen, seconded by Dullard, to approve the drainage claim for DD76 to Carney Drainage and Excavation in the amount of \$2,550.00. Roll call vote: Wermersen-aye, Dullard-aye, Markwardt-aye, Clark-aye, and Leupold-aye.

Moved by Markwardt, seconded by Clark, to approve the claims as listed on the April 28, 2026, Claims Listing. Roll call vote: Markwardt-aye, Clark-aye, Wermersen-aye, Dullard-aye, and Leupold-aye.

Vendor Name	Total Payments
ADVANTAGE ADMINISTRATORS	8671.02
AIRGAS USA, LLC	147.65
ALLENDAN SEED COMPANY	1920
ALLIANT ENERGY	322.54
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	2191.86
ANN DITSWORTH	440
BLACK HILLS ENERGY	395.9
BOJI PORTABLE TOILETS	175
BOMGAARS SUPPLY INC.	1940.48
CENTRAL IOWA DISTRIBUTING, INC	266
CENTURYLINK	33.95
CHRISTENSEN BROS INC	26924.69
CLAY COUNTY TREASURER	400
COZO	125
DEPT OF INSPECTIONS & APPEALS	120
DC TREASURER	103.2
DC PUBLIC HEALTH	300
DC CLEANING & MAINTENANCE, LLC	11248.95
DICKINSON COUNTY NEWS	74.47
DILLON WITTROCK	159.99
DISCOVERY HOUSE INC.	150

DR BRETT OLSON	1500
DSG DAKOTA SUPPLY GROUP	147.05
ESRI INC.	550
FAST LANE MOTOR PARTS	97.64
FORCE AMERICA DISTRIBUTING, LLC	756.29
GALLS, LLC	941.79
GARY THOMPSON	189.99
GRAVES CONSTRUCTION CO.INC.	16710.38
HEARTLAND BUSINESS SYSTEMS, LLC	11555.59
HELLER ENTERPRISES LLC	1908.9
HILLYARD/SIOUX FALLS	126
HURLBURT TOOLS	257.5
HY-VEE ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	349.23
IA LAKES ELECTRIC COOP	2587.58
IA LAKES REGIONAL WATER	146.4
IGLA CHAMBER	295
IOWA PRISON INDUSTRIES	3485.2
JCL SOLUTIONS/SPENCER OFFICE SUPPLIES	469.9
JENNESS FAMILY FUNERAL HOME	2490
JOHN MILLER	101.25
JOHNSTON AUTOSTORES	108.5
K.C. NIELSEN, LTD.	13000
KAPP'S FIRE EQUIP & SERVICE	416.55
KIESLER POLICE SUPPLY	1287
KRIS ROWLEY	292.9
LAKES NEWS SHOPPER	97.2
LAKES REGIONAL FAMILY MEDICINE	308.35
LAKES REGIONAL HEALTHCARE	3613.7
LARRY LAIR EXCAVATING INC.	931.9
MARCO TECHNOLOGIES, LLC	411.24
MATHESON TRI-GAS INC.	2961.52
MEDIACOM	132.12
MEGAN KARDELL	303.05
MELVIN WERNIMONT	100
MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS, INC	54.92
MPH INDUSTRIES INC.	4960.36
MURPHY REALTY & MANAGEMENT, INC	150
NEW TEC EQUIPMENT	52.28
NORTHERN SAFETY CO., INC	128.5
NUSS TRUCK & EQUIPMENT	3116.69
O'REILLY AUTOMOTIVE, INC	82.98
PLUMB SUPPLY CO LLC	342.42
POPPEMA-SIKMA CONSTRUCTION CO.	1341.44
POWERPLAN	7880.74
PRO COOPERATIVE	106.31
PROFESSIONAL OFFICE SERVICES, INC	998.44
RICOH USA INC.	52.27
ROCKMOUNT RESEARCH & ALLOYS, INC.	1553.43
SAM WEDEKING EXCAVATING INC.	600
SARAH J DITTMER, CSR, RPR	967.6

SIoux CITY, CITY OF	8851.5
SPIRIT LAKE, CITY OF	57.97
STATE HYGIENIC LABORATORY	250
STATE MEDICAL EXAMINER	4588
STEVEN J PACHECO	150
STOCK SEED FARMS, INC	8250
T & C TREE SERVICE	5850
TIFCO INDUSTRIES	2217.97
TITAN MACHINERY	161.75
TK ELEVATOR CORPORATION	5631.44
TOM RIEHM	100
US BANK	1153.85
VERIZON WIRELESS	1075.6
WINGERT LAW OFFICE	64.9
WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE	67.4
WM CORPORATE SERVICES, INC.	177.06
WOODBURY CO SHERIFF	38
ZIEGLER INC.	30719.14
TOTAL PAYMENTS	216533.38

Chris LaRue, DNR Wildlife Management, present with a DNR review of Iowa DNR Wetland Restoration and Water Quality project. After further discussion, it was moved by Wermersen, seconded by Markwardt, to approve the work in DD26 and DD29 tile lines within the project. Roll call vote: Wermersen-aye, Markwardt-aye, Dullard-aye, Clark-aye, and Leupold-aye.

Continuation of discussion on resolution 2026-8 was started by Clark stating his request for a moratorium was to pause any new applications in the county until further work was done with the Comprehensive Use Plan and changing the time frame from fifteen months to six months. Megan Kardell, P&Z Director, present and stated there were stipulations set in place that even if an application was submitted, there would be public hearings in front of the boards before approval of anything and requesting for information. Erica Schultes, P & Z Board member was also present and not in favor of a moratorium and would like to get more information from our County Attorney as well as guidance from a member of the ISU Extension office. After further discussion, it was moved by Clark, seconded by Markwardt to go forward with the resolution and set the public hearing time and date to be held on May 12th, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. Roll call vote: Clark-aye, Markwardt-aye, Wermersen-nay, Dullard-aye, and Leupold-nay.

The Board gave their board and committee reports and continued into general discussion. There being no further items presented to the board, moved by Dullard, seconded by Markwardt, to adjourn. All voted aye. The meeting adjourned to the call of the Chairperson at 10:13 a.m.

William Leupold, Chairperson

Lori Pedersen, Auditor