

The Board of Supervisors met on August 18, 2026, at 8:15 a.m. at the Mills County Courthouse in Glenwood with Supervisors Richard Crouch, Jack Sayers and Lonnie Mayberry present. The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion-Mayberry/Second-Sayers to approve the consent agenda as presented: agenda & minutes from 8.11.2026 BOS meeting & work session; Ayes-3 Nays-0 Motion Carried

There were no liquor licenses to consider

Public Comment

Henry Clark gave recommendations on possible cost cutting measures for Secondary Roads; Bonnie Millsap had questions about the GRC project and who would be covering services – Property is located within Glenwood city limits, advised her to speak with the GRC task force.

Jacob Ferro, Mills County Engineer

Provided the Board with his FY26 budget recap

Jason Hoffman

Requested matching funds for an ADA compliant dock, increased parking area & boat ramp; Board requested more information including estimate of costs

Henry Clark

Requested an update to his weed complaint; Ferro & Kyle Anderson, Weed Commissioner, updated the Board that the property owners have been responsive to the notice that was sent and are currently working toward resolution, just not the plan that Henry Clark had drafted; he then requested his complaint get moved to the County Attorney, Sayers stated that the Board would have to make a recommendation for specific remediation plan before it could go to the County Attorney. Ferro stated they were following code; Crouch stated they would take this under advisement. No action was taken.

EMS Advisory Group

Motion-Mayberry/Second-Sayers to approve Resolution 26-28 Directing County Commissioner of Elections to Call an Election Submitting the Question of Adopting a Levy and Imposing a Voter Approved Emergency Medical Services Ad Valorem Property Tax Pursuant to Iowa Code Chapter 422D; Roll Call: Ayes-0 Nays-3 (Crouch, Sayers, Mayberry) Motion Failed

Board wants to conduct a special election in March to ask for the maximum \$1.50 levy

Motion-Mayberry/Second-Sayers to approve Resolution 26-29 Directing the County Commissioner of Elections to Submit the Proposition of Increasing the Number of County Supervisors to Registered Voters of Mills County at the General Election; Roll Call: Ayes-3 Nays-0 Motion Carried

Greg Schultz, Sheriff

Discussed animal control in the County

DeShawne Bird-Sell, County Attorney

Unable to attend meeting, will move agenda items to next week

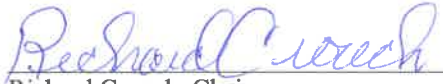
Patrick Binns, IT Director

Motion-Sayers/Second-Mayberry to approve the quote from Tyler for a week of onsite training beginning 8.24.26 of \$5,600 using LOST funds; Ayes-3 Nays-0 Motion Carried

Board of Supervisors Committee/Meeting Updates

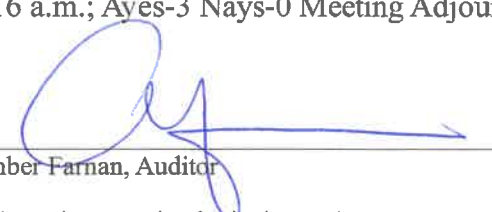
Crouch attended EMS & VA meetings; Mayberry attended ISAC supervisors executive and Juvenile Detention meetings

Motion-Sayers/Second-Mayberry to adjourn the meeting at 9:16 a.m.; Ayes-3 Nays-0 Meeting Adjourned



Richard Crouch, Chair

ATTEST:


Amber Farnan, Auditor

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RESOLUTION 26-29 A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY COMMISSIONER OF ELECTIONS TO SUBMIT THE PROPOSITION OF INCREASING THE NUMBER OF COUNTY SUPERVISORS TO REGISTERED VOTERS OF MILLS COUNTY AT THE GENERAL ELECTION

WHEREAS, On August 11, 2026, the Board of Supervisors filed a petition, presented by the number of eligible voters of Mills County as specified in section 331.306(1), to increase the number of county supervisors from three to five. WHEREAS, Pursuant to Iowa Code Section 331.306(4) no written objections were filed with the County Auditor. NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MILLS COUNTY, IOWA that it notifies the County Commissioner of Elections to submit the following proposition to the registered voters of Mills County at the general election on November 3, 2026:

Shall the County of Mills, State of Iowa, increase the number of County Supervisors from three to five? Yes No

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the members of the Board of Supervisors of Mills County, Iowa, has signed this resolution and caused the official seal of Mills County, Iowa, to be affixed on this 18th day of August, 2026