

**JEFFERSON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS**  
**January 31, 2022**

At 8:31 A.M., Chair Hamilton called the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors to order.

Board members present were: Daryn Hamilton, Chairman; Susie Drish, Vice-Chairman; Dee Sandquist, Supervisor.

It was moved by Sandquist, seconded by Drish that the minutes for the January 24<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022 meetings be acknowledged. All "Aye". Motion carried.

The Board met with the County Engineer.

It was moved by Drish, seconded by Sandquist that the following resolution be approved:

**RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, bids were received January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022, for the proposed improvements; Culvert replacement and installation of a twin box culvert. Project BROS-SWAP-4650(601)—SE-51

BE IT RESOLVED by the Jefferson County Board of Supervisors to award a contract to Iowa Bridge and Culvert, L.C. of Washington, Iowa for the Culvert Replacement -Twin box Culvert Project: BROS-SWAP-4650(601)—SE-51

Passed this 31<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2022.

AYES:  
Daryn J. Hamilton  
Dee Sandquist  
Susie Drish

NAYS:  
None

Attest:  
Scott Reneker, Jefferson County Auditor

Supervisors met with Rebecca Johnson from the Fairfield Public Library for a library update and funding request.

It was moved by Sandquist, seconded by Drish that the 28E Agreement for the Resource Officer for Cardinal Community School Districts be approved. All “Aye”. Motion carried.

It was moved by Sandquist, seconded by Drish that the following resolution be approved:

**RESOLUTION IN THE JEFFERSON COUNTY SHERIFF’S OFFICE**

WHEREAS, Iowa Code section 331.903 states that the number of deputies, correctional officers, assistants, and clerks for each office shall be determined by the board and the number and approval of each appointment shall be adopted by a resolution recorded in the minutes of the board, and

WHEREAS, Jefferson County desires to hire Correctional Officer Dakota L. LaRue, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Jefferson County, Iowa, that the Jefferson County Sheriff is authorized to hire Correctional Officer Dakota L. LaRue and

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Jefferson County, Iowa, that Dakota L. LaRue is hired as a Correctional Officer, in the Jefferson County Sheriff’s Office at a starting salary of \$35,593.00 effective February 7, 2022.

Passed and approved this 31<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2022

Daryn Hamilton  
Dee Sandquist  
Susie Drish

ATTEST:  
Scott Reneker  
Jefferson County Auditor

It was moved by Sandquist, seconded by Drish that Dr. James Trent and Melisse Jones be re-appointed to the Board of Health for 3-yr terms commencing January 1, 2022. All “Aye”. Motion carried.

Sandquist reported on her FEDA and Area 15 meetings. Drish reported on her SEIDA, SIRG and 10-15 Transit meetings.

Public comments: Kevin Hatfield discussed a Resource Officer for Pekin School.

It was moved by Drish, seconded by Sandquist to allow the claims against the county and to direct the county auditor to issue checks against the various funds of the county in payment of the claims allowed. All "Aye". Motion carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Drish, seconded by Sandquist to adjourn. All "Aye". Motion carried.

At 10:00 A.M., Supervisors held a nuisance appeal hearing. It was moved by Sandquist, seconded by Drish that the nuisance still exists. All "Aye". Motion carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Hamilton, seconded by Sandquist to adjourn. All "Aye". Motion carried.

Supervisors met with the HR consulting firm.

Supervisors held a meeting with department heads.

ATTEST:

Scott D. Reneker  
County Auditor

Daryn J. Hamilton, Chairman  
Board of Supervisors