JEFFERSON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS
December 22, 2025

At 8:30 A.M., Chair Dimmitt called the meeting of the Board of Supervisors to order. The meeting was held in the first-floor meeting room of the Jefferson County Courthouse.

Board members present were: Lee Dimmitt, Chairman; Susie Drish, Vice-Chairman; Joe Ledger, Supervisor.

It was moved by Drish, seconded by Ledger that the minutes for the December 15th and December 17th, 2025, meetings be acknowledged. All "Aye". Motion carried.

The Board met with Globe Life representatives to discuss additional employee benefits.

At 9:02 A.M., it was motioned by Ledger, seconded by Drish to open the public hearing on non-agriculture load embargo for 146th. All "Aye". Motion carried.

Chair Dimmitt called for public comment. Public comment received were as follows: DeWayne Heintz stated they are proposing a weight embargo of 20-ton weight limit. Mike with Coppock Sand and Gravel feels like their plant is targeted with these limits which will cause a disruption in their operations. Donald Revolinski asked if his butter business could be affected by this. Tom Kientz stated he lives on 146th and has no problem trying to protect the road. Joe Ledger asked if the sand plant would be willing to help compensate the county for road repairs. Mike would like to have a discussion to come up with a fair process for all traffic and the county. Caleb Morss with Viking Aggregates would like the discussion to be tabled until more information can be given from every side. Dimmitt asked how many trucks the sand plant uses per day. Mike responded with about up to 25 per day, especially on fair weather days. Sam Collora lives on 146th and is disappointed about the money that was spent to repair the road and now they are being asked to get a permit to allow certain loads down it. He also owns the ground the sand plant is on so if their production goes down, he is affected as well.

At 9:17 A.M. it was moved by Drish, seconded by Ledger to close the public hearing for load embargo on 146th. All "Aye". Motion carried.

Dimmitt motioned to ask the County Engineer to do a traffic counter on 146th during high traffic season. Drish seconded. All "Aye". Motion carried.

Supervisors met with the Courthouse Maintenance Supervisor.

Supervisors met with the County Engineer.

The Board met with the Ambulance Director.

It was motioned by Drish, seconded by Ledger to approve the wage increase of the Recorder's Clerk, Jacklyn Smith to $48,080.67 annually effective January 1, 2026. All "Aye". Motion carried.

It was motioned by Ledger, seconded by Drish to approve the following resolution:

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Jefferson County that the property tax fees, which normally would be assessed against the following:

06 35 202 019	Jackson Point LP	2024	$4,084.00

are hereby abated, for the above amount.

Passed and approved this 22nd day of December, 2025.

Ayes:	Nays:
Susie Drish	None
Joe Ledger	

Abstain:
Lee Dimmitt

ATTEST:
Christy Conner
Jefferson County Auditor

Supervisors discussed increasing excess liability coverage. Discussion was tabled for January 5th, 2026 meeting.

The Board met with Donald Revolinksi, Ti Liptak, and Tim Nelson to discuss the drafted event permit and noise ordinance.

Committee Reports: Drish reported that SEMCO is still dealing with blowing wind issues. Ledger reported on Jackson Point board meeting, FMS Courthouse carolers, Board of Health

joint meeting, Courthouse Christmas potluck, and SIACC. Dimmitt reported on Board of Health joint meeting, radio interview for KBIZ Radio, 10-15 Transit, Courthouse lunch, and met with the Hudson's at Jackson Point.

Public Comment: DeWayne Heintz stated in response to the noise ordinance that he lives ½ mile away from a live band venue and deals with their noise. He also stated as Weed Commissioner that they will be out marking teasel with flags to do applications this spring. Drish asked if they should consider who is allowed on zoom during the meetings. AJ Roe stated that Collectors Cars Unlimited donated to 10-15 Transit for Veteran transports.

It was moved by Ledger, seconded by Drish to allow the claims against the county in the amount of $141,458.28 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.

It was moved by Ledger, seconded by Drish to adjourn. All "Aye". Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Christy L. Conner	Lee Dimmitt, Chairman
County Auditor	Board of Supervisors