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### Auctions

# **Auction Schedule**

Wednesday, August 27 Slaughter Cow/Bull Sale 9 a.m. **Special 56th Anniversary Cattle Sale** 11 a.m.

**Customer Appreciation Sale Day -Enjoy food and fellowship!** 

Wednesday, September 10 Annual Special Early Bird Calf Sale 9 a.m. Slaughter Cow/Bull Sale 11 a.m.

View sales and bid on CATTLEUSA.com

To take advantage of full advertising of your cattle, tell us your consignments 8 days before the sale.

Sale Barn open day before sale until 8 p.m.

Roman Schooley: 515-450-3685 Tyler Schooley: 641-208-5442 Andrew Finlay: 785-554-7561 Phil Schooley: 641-777-0478

Corey Rozenboom, Field Rep: 641-891-5862



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# Legals

New station....

#### **Notice**

All legal notices published in the **Bloomfield Democrat** 

from April 30, 2025 to the present are now on the

#### following website: iowapublicnotices.com

The user-friendly database is available to all at no

All lowa legal notices will be stored on this website indefinitely.

Governmental bodies are required by lowa Law to publish legal, also known as public, notices in official newspapers located in the county. Those publication requirements are intended as a means to inform citizens of governmental actions that may be of special significance.

#### **Pulaski Council Meeting** Pulaski Community Hall August 4, 2025

Opening: Meeting called to order at 6:32 P.M. by Mayor Stacie Kline. Roll Call: Council present Mayor Stacie Kline, council members Jeremy Breeding, Todd Garmon and Rosa Archer. Departments water David Heiser, park Lisa Veatch and city clerk J.L. Stogdill. Public in attendance Kacie Laux, Josh Benge, Whitney Archer and daughter.
Old Business:

1. Discussion/Action re: Update on property at 216 S. 2nd St. parcel # 13078000. Quick claim deed need approval in lieu of fines placed assessed on property. Quick claim deed for property waiting for approval of Pulaski City Council. Motion by Todd Garmon to forgive fines with transfer of deed to parcel # 1307800. Seconded by Jeremy Breeding to approve. Motion carried by all present. Update on property at 214 2nd S. St. parcel # 13077830. City attorney has prepared letters (12) to be sent out as required by the state. Copies of the letter have been posted on this property on August 8, 2025. Any or all parties have 90 days for right of redemption concerning the County tax lien on parcel # 1307830.

2. Discussion/Action re: July 11, 2025 received Notice of Expiration of Redemption for lots 19 and 20 in Plank's South additions parcel # 13078900 aka 202 Plank S. St. Pulaski. Additional charges placed on taxes for this property. **New Business:** 

 Discussion/Action re: Current WM residential bulk item deposit cards available Clerk's office. Notice

will be placed on Pulaski LED sign. 2. Discussion/Action re: Pulaski City Election November 4, 2025. Candidate nomination papers August Filing period available. 25-September 18, 2025 at 5 P.M. require at least 10 eligible signatures to be nominated.

Discussion/Action Resolution Authorizing Assessment of Unpaid Nuisance Abatement Costs. Motion by Todd Garmon to assess nuisance abatement cost to property parcel # 13078900, seconded by Jeremy Breeding. Motion

# Probates

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR DAVIS COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

BLANKENSHIP, JR., DAVID Deceased

CASE NO. ESPR011258 NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF **EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS** 

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of David Blankenship, Jr., Deceased, who died on or about

June 3, 2025. You are hereby notified that on July 25, 2025, the Last Will and Testament of David Blankenship, Jr., deceased, bearing date of October 1, 2014, was admitted to probate in the above-named court and that Rick L. Lynch was appointed Executor of the estate. Any action to set aside the will must be brought in the district court of said county within the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice to all heirs of the decedent and devisees under the will whose identities are reasonably ascertainable, or thereafter be

forever barred. Notice is further given that all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against the estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed by the later to occur of four months from the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) a claim is thereafter forever barred. Dated July 25, 2025.

Rick L. Lynch **Executor of Estate** 207 S. Washington PO Box 129 Bloomfield, IA 52537 Rick L. Lynch, ICIS#: AT0004811

Attorney for Executor Lynch Law Office 207 S. Washington St., PO Box

Bloomfield, IA 52537 Date of second publication August

carried by all present. 4. Discussion/Action re: Approve

phone call vote for Pulaski City Election Policy. Motion to approve by Jeremy Breeding, seconded by Todd Garmon. Motion approved by all present

5. Discussion/Action re: Review/ adopt Pulaski Ordinances prepared by Area 15. Clerk handed out additional copies to the Council for review. After discussion on how to review and pass motion by Todd Garmon to table until next meeting, seconded by Jeremy Breeding. Motion approved by all present. Possible agenda to review/adopt ordinances in sections

6. Discussion/Action re: America 250 flag. Clerk presented information on 2026 250 anniversary of the USA. Different size flags available plus custom flag options. Information forward to the Pulaski Corn Show for consideration.

7. Discussion/Action re: Pulaski park rules and regulations. Clerk presented a possible set of rules and regulations that he had gathered from various Iowa towns. Discussion on present rates with groups using the shelter and ball field lights with no fees. The Pulaski park rental fees are a separated item that needs to be discussed. Motion by Todd Garmon to accept Pulaski park rules and regulations as presented, seconded by Jeremy Breeding. Motion approved by all present.

8. Discussion/Action re: Street speed signal signs. Motion to approve purchase of street speed signal signs by Todd Garmon, sec-onded by Jeremy Breeding. Motion approved by all present.

Discussion/Action Purchase of equipment for grading streets plus authorization for using. Discussion on what to purchase, where to store if purchased and maintenance cost. This will be tabled for future discussion.

10. Discussion/Action re: Street tube replacement estimate Dunkin Excavating. Estimate Hod Street and 1st Street culvert extension \$800.00, Railroad Street and 1st Street culvert \$1,000.00, Hod Street culvert \$1,200.00, Mill Street and Lincoln Street culvert \$1,000.00. Total \$4,000.00. Question from the council on pipe length and estimate for 21 feet of pipe at \$756.32 per ft. Previous motion already made to purchase pipe. Looking for estimate for plastic pipe to be placed on Mill St. next to Park parking lot. Motion to accept bid from Dunkin Excavating by Jeremy Breeding, seconded by Todd Garmon. Motion

11. Discussion/Action re: All future City contracts have estimate of time/cost to complete with penalty for time overrun. General discussion on how or if needed with legal language.

approved by all present.

12. Discussion/Action re: Four wheelers and dirt bikes on city streets. General discussion on how to handle with main concern helmet safety and parental guidance.

13. Discussion/Action re: Winter community game night. Clerk asked if the Council would have a problem with hosting a game night during the winter for the community. Bingo and card games were discussed. Need community input on what and when would work. My thoughts would be for Monday as not to interfere with school/church activities. Looking for your comments

Departments: Fire: One structure fire near West Grove. Attended Davis County Fair three nights and the 4th of July Parade in Bloomfield. 8-5-2025 firefighter one class will resume

Streets: Discussed in New Business.

Park: Quotes on replacing shelter roof and possible grants. Received reservation for June 20, 2026 for a wedding reception.

Corn Show: John Schroder from DCDC called asking about the Saturday night show (John Berry). John had a call from Newton, Iowa asking if what he had heard was true. If so, he was planning on attending the show if John Berry was performing. All entertainment for each night has been arranged Thursday the Rathco Family, Friday the Chickadees and Saturday the John Berry Show, Sunday Church Service with American Pie Gospel with Randy and Kathy. Come make this the best Corn Show ever. **Building Permits:** None

Bills: Public Safety

Code 150 (Fire Dept.) 1. Alliant Energy,

2. Alliant Energy, \$25.55 Old station ...... MacQueen. \$516.00 4. Bloomfield Auto Parts, \$391.98 Battery 5. MidWest Breathing Air... \$769.26 7. DC Treasurer... 8. VISA..... 9. US Postal Service, PO Box rent.. \$63.00 10. Dutchman's Store, \$251.10 Parade candy. Public Works Code 210 M3 Fabrications. Culvert pipe .. \$2,268,96 Code 230 Alliant Energy. Street Lights . Code 240 1. VISA. Traffic Signs...

.\$214.86

\$667.90 \$81.96 2. Eric Piper, Two solar speed indicators ...... \$4,700.00 3. VISA. Two solar batteries ...... \$297.98 4. Hamilton Produce.....\$4.56 Code 290 Waste Management ...... \$1,890.72 Code 299 1. RRWQ. 429,000 gallons.

2. RRWA, Billing ..... 3. Jim Closser... \$520.00 4. David Heiser..... 5. IA. One Call. . \$23.40 6. RRWA. Install 2 smart meters. \$900.00 IA Rev. BEN.....
Culture & Recreation

1. RRWA, Sewer. \$22.00 2. Alliant Energy, Park ... . \$65.12 3. Alliant Energy, Ball Field.. \$42.63 4. Archer Skid Loader Service LLC Mowing .... . \$1.050.00 5. Archer skid Loader Service LLC, \$50.00 \$2,000.00

Code 430

Trees. **General Government** Code 620 J.L. Stogdill Code 640 1. Notary stamp .. 2. VISA. 3. Bloomfield Communications

2. RRWA, Sewer....

3. Alliant Energy......

Code 650

\$28.45

\$31.73

\$108.44

\$22.00

\$214.87

VISA. 5. Official Pest Control..... \$60.00 6 US Postal, PO Box rent.... \$63.00 Code 699 1. Archer Skid Loader Service, Mowing 202 Plank St...... \$100.00

2. Archer Skid Loader Service, Mowing 211 E. Main St.....\$100.00 3. IPERS...... . \$244.76. Motion by Todd Garmon to pay bills, seconded by Rose Archer, Motion approved by all.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn at 7:55 P.M. by Todd Garmon, seconded by Jeremy Breeding. Motion approved by all. Mayor Stacie Kline

Clerk J.L. Stogdill

#### **Davis County Board of** Supervisors August 11, 2025 Bloomfield, Iowa **Courthouse Boardroom** 8:30 A.M.

The Davis County Board of Supervisors met in regular session on Monday, August 11, 2025, with Chairman Alan Yahnke and Member Ron Bride present. David Henderson was absent.

Ron Bride made motion, seconded by Alan Yahnke and carried unanimously, to approve the agen-

Alan Yahnke made motion, seconded by Ron Bride and carried unanimously, to approve and sign the Minutes of Monday, August 4,

The Board met with Engineer Ryan Schock, who reported on the blading, mowing, rock hauling and ditching work completed by the County crews.

The Board signed contracts with the lowest bidders for two SIDCA (Southern Iowa Development Conservation Authority) projects, one to replace a bridge on 150<sup>th</sup> Street west of Hill Boulevard by Cole Construction Company the amount of \$82,028.10, and one to replace the old concrete box culvert on Fir Avenue south of 230th Street with a small culvert by Rysdam Construction in the amount \$13,226.96. Davis County will be responsible for half of the cost. BOARD SECRETARY NOTE: The minutes from July 28, 2025 incorrectly reported "The Board signed contracts for two SIDCA (Southern Iowa Development Conservation Authority) projects". Said minutes should have stated that the Board signed their approval to SIDCA's "award letters". As stated above, the actual "Contracts" were signed today, August 11, 2025.

The Board met with Kim Smith. representing the Pulaski Corn Show Committee, who asked for South Second Street in Pulaski, from Highway 2 and going South to approximately the location of "Garmon Firearms" to be temporarily closed from approximately 7:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 6, 2025. Ron Bride made motion,

seconded by Alan Yahnke and carried unanimously, to approve the temporary closure and provide bar-Ron Bride made motion, sec-

onded by Alan Yahnke and carried unanimously, to approve Resolution #08112025, To Abate Real Estate Taxes, as follows:
WHEREAS, it is desired that the

taxes on said location listed here

below, should be compromised ac-

cording to Iowa Code 445.63 so that the tax books may be cleared. Bethel Cemetery

West Grove Township Parcel 18110311

Taxes based on January 1, 2024 valuations

Payable September 2025 and March 2026

Parcel has been on tax roll as part of adjoining land for many years and such land had just recently sold. Bethel Cemetery was excepted out of sold parcel and was split as Exempt class for 2025, as 2024 year had already been transferred from Assessor to Auditor as Ag Land.

The above and foregoing resolution was adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Davis County, Iowa, on this 11th day of August, 2025. s/ Alan Yahnke

/s/ Ron Bride All Board members reported on

committee meetings attended. Ron Bride made motion, seconded by Alan Yahnke and carried unanimously, to approve the following claims to be paid:

1st Ayd Corporation, Sr-Deodorizer, Wipes ..... 191.67 Agriland Fs Inc, . 5,105.57 Sr-Diesel..... Airgas Usa. Sr-Cylinder Rental. Altorfer Inc, Sr-Compresr, . 5,007.58 Gasket, Seal...... Cantera Aggregates Llc, . 1,934.65 ..... 271.90 Phone/Fax Svc..... City Of Bloomfield, . 325.91 Ga-Utilities... Claire Garland, Treas-Temp Help......565.00 Craig Johnson. Ch-Custodial Supplies...... 17.51 Crop Services Inc, Sr-Spray Chemicals ...... 616.38 Davis Co Historical Society, Sprvs-Fy26 .3.500.00 Contribution Davis Co Public Health, Dcph-I4

Sher-Fuel... ... 1,884.12 Dc Hardware Llc, Ch-Custodial Supplies..... 235.50

Debra L Saner, Sher-Cleaning Svc ...... 1,191.67 Douds Stone Llc . 1,445.47 Sr-Rock . Dp Solutions

Aud-Equip Svc. Dpf Alternatives Iowa, Llc, Sr-Reman Dpf Cat... . 3,310.50 Drs Imaging Services Llc, Data-Radix Cloud Backup...... 117.00 Fesler Auto Mall Inc, Sr-Module, Throttle, Gskt ... Foster L Grant, Atty-Rent......900.00 Galls Inc, Sher-Uniforms .. 259.82

Hamilton Produce Co, Sr-Rec, Sleeve Reducer......1 Heritage Crystal Clean Llc, Sr-Used Oil Pick Up ...... 828.65 la Office-State Medical Examnr, Attv-Med Exam/ Autopsy..

Infomax,

John Joseph Morrissey, .. 500.00 Depart, Atty-Med Exam/ Autopsy/Lab...... .. 319.91

... 151.39

Rec-Equip Lease ...

Kentucky Cleaning Solutions Llc. Sr-Leather Gloves ... Lacal Equipment Inc

Sr-Blade Bolt & Nut Kit ... 932.80 Lawson Products Inc., Sr-Connectors, Assem Kit .... 216.34 Midwest Wheel Co Inc.

Sr-Parts .. 666.67 Moore Hearing Clinic, 25.00 Sher-Svc. Nyhart, Sprvs-Fy25 Gasb 75 Rpt .... 1,200.00 Ottumwa Printing Inc. Rec-Supplies ...

Pcs-Prof Computer Solutions Inc, Disp-Equip Lease. Rachel Mcfarland, Treas-Temp Office Help... 505.00 Rathbun Regional Water, Ga-Utilities.....

Rick L Lynch Atty-Aug 2025 Rent ....... 450.00 Sadler Power Train Inc, Sr-Trans ... 450.00 Assembly, Core........... 3,416.55 Sinclair Tractor. Sr-Land Pride . 5.041.45 Snap On Mcgrath Enterprises .. 164.95

Sher-Utilities ...... Wapello County Sheriff, .. 3,420.70 Atty-Legal Exp/Misc.. Waste Management Inc, 529.20 Sr-Waste Collection.

Yutzy Repair Shop Llc, Alan Yahnke moved to adjourn;

Ron Bride seconded; carried unanimously.

ATTEST: KRISTI GOODSON DAVIS COUNTY AUDITOR AND

COMMISSIONER OF **ELECTIONS** 34-34-1



