lowa Lakes Foundation Awards Over \$1 Million Bancroft in Scholarships for Fall 2025

Community College this fall are getting a major financial lift, as the Iowa Lakes Community College Foundation has awarded over \$1 million in scholarships for the Fall A total of 602 scholarships have been awarded to 358 students,

Students attending Iowa Lakes

with \$1,020,567 already disbursed and additional awards expected throughout the academic year. With more than 150 scholarship opportunities and 96 donor-supported funds, the average award per student is \$2,850, helping students across

the region access a quality education without the weight of financial burden.

"These scholarships are made possible by the generosity of our donors-individuals, families, and businesses-who believe in the power of education to transform lives and communities," said Dr. Dan Lutat, Executive Director of Foundations & Governmental Affairs.

To make the process easier for students, Iowa Lakes offers a single, streamlined scholarship application that automatically matches applicants with all available scholarships they qualify for through the Foundation. This system helps students maximize their opportunities without having to apply separately for each individual

Local students recognized in this release have received one or more scholarships through the Iowa Lakes Foundation. The full list of scholarship recipients from your area is included below.

To learn more or apply for future scholarship opportunities, visit www. foundations.iowalakes.edu.

Recipients are:

Bancroft, IA - Addyson Nelson, Loebach, Ruth Ann & Joe Nursing Scholarship

Swea City, IA - Meghan Burbank, Lakers First Massage Therapy

Jerrison Richardson, J & J

East Fork IKES Trap Shooting Scores

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Reutzel Excavating	1609	Commercial Services	1592		
Main Street Specialties	1608	Clay Busters	1570	High Individual Scores	
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Kossuth County Board of Supervisors BOARD PROCEEDINGS NAPA Parts

Polk Co Treas Exp

PRIA Exp

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July 15, 2025	NASSCO Supp	845.76
REGULAR July SESSION	Nates Auto and Truck Rep	oair
The Board of Supervisors met	Exp	233.54
pursuant to adjournment. Present	New Cooperative Inc Max	Yield C
were Carter Nath, Chairman, Josh	Fuel	2747.01
Waechter, Amber Garman and Howard	NIACC Exp	17.00
Haas. Absent: Kyle Stecker.	Norther Cedar Srv Srvs	1754.25
Chairman, Carter Nath called the	NW Comm Service	124.85
meeting to order at 8:01 A.M. followed	K & H Fuel	30967.92 3
by the Pledge of Allegiance.	NuWay Coop Exp	117.37
There wasn't any public discussion.	Oakcrest Srvs	385.00
Motion by Haas and 2nd by Waechter	IOS Supp	422.06
to approve the agenda and minutes of	Old Republic Surety Exp	982.00
the previous meetings dated July 8,	Orwig Construction Exp	1360.00
2025. Motion carried unanimously.	Patten Enterprises LLC	
Motion by Haas and 2nd by Garman	Servs	20021.76
to approve the claims/conservation	Pet Kingdom Exp	82.99
claims. Supervisor Waechter abstained,	T Petersen Servs	50.00
all other Supervisors voted aye.	Petroblend Exp	8810.74

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Access Systems Exp

City of Swea City Exp

DLT Solutions Srvs

Dump-It Sanit Srvs

Echo Group Inc Supp

EquipmentShare Exp

Fire Fire Equip Srvs

Force America Parts

Engineer Suppl

J Hofbauer Servs

IA Lakes EC Elec

IA One Call Srvs

D Johnson Serv

Kemco Tires Srvs

Kemna GM Serv

M Klujeske Servs

KCEDC Allocation

KC Sec Road Fuel

T. Leininger Exp

K Lohman Servs

Mail Serv Supp

Recycling

Knight Protection Serv

Koss Soil&Water Srvs

Lone Rock Coop Tel Phone

Main Street Specialties, LLC

Midwest Computer Brokers Inc

Midland Power Coop Utilities 361.40

Martin Marietta Agg Rock

Mid Am Energy Srvs

Midwest Wheel Exp

Mike Looft TW Fue

KLGA Adv.

KRHC Srvs

KRHC Srvs

Servs

Jacks OK Tire Srv Srvs

John Deere Financial Parts

Johnston Autostores Parts

Johnson Plumbing, Heating & Ai

Dues

Srvs

Exp

ISAC Srvs

Utilities

Roger Hagedorn Exp

EWS LLC Exp

Fareway Supp

FleetPride Parts

Fees

Srvs

Department of the Treasury

Elderbridge Agency on Aging

Fenton Coop Telephone Srvs

Forge & Build UH LLC Exp

Godbersen-Smith Construction

Forge & Build-Algona Exp

Gifts Sew Sweet, Inc. Exp

Glen's Green Thumb Exp

Michael Hjelmeland Exp

Hy-Vee Supp IA Assoc of MU Service

Holmes Animal Clinic Srvs

Ia Dept of Natural Resources

Iowa Lakes Regional Water

Ia Law Enforcement Academy

Wallace Water Conditioning Srvs 46.50

EquipmentShare Engineer Supp 53.00

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Ahlers & Cooney, P.C. Srvs	3763.57	Pritchard Ford of Clear Lak	e
Algona Machine & Sply Supp	55.20	Exp	167.40
AMU Srvs	8212.24	Print Shoppe Plus Srvs	22.00
Algona Plumb & Htg Srvs	1081.60	Quill Corp Supp	316.93
Alg Pub Co Notices	3636.98	Radiologists of North Iowa	PC
Alg Welding & Mach Srvs	449.40	Exp	37.00
Alliant Energy Srvs	7263.80	RingTel Communications E	xp 65.00
Amazon Capital Serv Supp	52.99	RingTel Communications P	hone 93.92
American Glass Co Supp	205.50	RSVP Budget Alloc	2000.00
Arnold Motor Supply Parts	1241.76	Schumacher Well Supp	196.00
Ban Mun Utlities Utilities	252.55	R Sewick Exp.	10.00
Bancroft Reg. Notices	1867.96	Shield Tech Corp Srvs	6908.25
Bancroft Tire EXP	2300.63	Sign Works Supp	1942.92
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BMC Aggregates Rock	2088.27	Srvs	234.711
Bob Barker Co Supp	1060.69	St Hygienic Lab Supp	71.00
Randy Boekelman Engine	er Supp	Steier Ag Supp	2513.13
30.00		SC Herald Press Notices	1828.60
Bomgaars Supp	484.91	Swea City Sanitation Engin	ieer
Bound Tree Medical Supp	1846.99	Sup	110.00
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Brown's Shoe Fit Co Supp	499.99	Thompson Sewer & Drain S	upp 855.00
Buchanan Law Ofs Srvs	165345.00	Thomson Reuters Exp	1705.63
Bugs N Stuff Srvs	250.00	Threads Supp	507.00
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Calhoun-Burns & Associates,		Harrison Truck Centers Sup	op 1485.23
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Card Services Exp	4205.50	Supp	22732.59
Cellebrite Exp	3512.50	Truck Country "OF IOWA"	Equipment
Central IA Dist Supp	411.00	Rep	32.00
Central IA Juv Srvs	118.00	US Cellular Srvs	464.66
Centurylink Phone	169.18	Verizon Connect Fleet USA	Engineer
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City of Algona Exp	11180.10	Verizon Wireless Exp	2122.64
City of Lakota Exp	93.44	Counsel Ofs & Doc Supp	898.71
City of Lone Rock Exp	185.80	W & H Coop Oil Co Fuel	18616.84
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Wellmark BCBS Fees	228895.41
West Bend Ford Exp	1357.86
Western Ia Tourism Regio	n
Allocation	500.00
Winnebago Coop Telecom	Assoc
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Ziegler Parts	25343.45
Grand Total	861083.71
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Drain 60 Sub 4 Main Tile	194
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Drain 60 L4 & L5 Repair Swea City Herald Press Drain 40 Public Hearing N

made by the Kossuth County Auditor from General Basic to Secondary Road in the amount of \$2,761.60 and from Rural Basic to Secondary Road in the amount of \$19,403.82. The transfers were made on July 2, 2025. Discussion was held with Reutzel

Excavating regarding reconsideration of payment for crop damages to Reutzel's for DD 60 Sub 4. A date and time will be set to meet with the affected

landowners, Reutzel Excavating, and Bolton & Menk.
Discussion was held regarding a MOU between Humboldt and Kossuth County Drainage Districts. No action

Motion by Waechter and 2nd by Garman to have the Supervisors

Supervisor Stecker: Request 2025-

handle their requests as follows:

050 DD 82 Lat 30 and Request 2025-051 SDD 10/60 Lat A1. Motion carried Motion by Waechter and 2nd by Haas to approve the joint 28E Agreement with Wright and Hamilton County Veterans Affairs. Chairman

Nath called for a roll call vote: Haas:

yes, Garman: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: yes. Motion carried. Motion by Haas and 2nd by Garman to correct the wage of Recorder's Staff Member Kristi Frambach from \$50,471.48 to \$50,653.48. Motion

carried unanimously. Motion by Garman and 2nd by Hass to approve Resolution # 07-15-25-01, which is a resolution to transfer funds from the Transfer Station Operating Fund to Transfer Station Equipment Nath called for a roll call vote: Haas:

yes, Garman: yes, Waechter: yes, Nath: ves. Motion carried. RESOLUTION#_

and Second Motion by _ _ to approve the following resolution: Garman: _ Stecker:

Waechter: Nath:

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE
THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS FROM TRANSFER OPERATING STATION

ACCOUNT TO TRANSFER STATION **EQUIPMENT** Kossuth County Resolution No.

WHEREAS, Kossuth County owns

the Kossuth County Landfill and Transfer Station, and WHEREAS, Kossuth County owns the equipment used to operate

the mentioned landfill and transfer has been established to be used when

purchasing equipment, WHEREAS, the current balance of the Equipment Fund is \$147,539.42,

WHEREAS, a Calendar Year 2025 Equipment Schedule shows a need of \$414,118..40 in the Equipment Fund.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OFKOSSUTH COUNTY that \$45,000 that are in the 81000 Transfer Station Fund be transferred to the 81003 Transfer Station Equipment Fund. Resolution adopted this 15th day of

July, 2025 Kossuth County Board of Supervisors

Carter Nath, Chair

Board of Supervisors Chairperson

ATTEST: Tammy Eden Kossuth County Auditor

Motion by Haas and 2nd by Garman to approve Letters of Support for FHWA and SI&A Structure Numbers 033040 and 216631 contained in Iowa's Federal CHBP Grant Application.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Waechter and 2nd by Garman to authorize and give its permission to Mediacom Iowa. Algona, IA to bore fiber optic cable along the west backslope of 140th Avenue approximately 920 feet north of Highway 18 to approximately 530 feet south of Highway 18; bore 140th Avenue approximately 120 feet south of Highway 18, thence bore north approximately 50 feet along the east backslope of 140th Avenue to Highway 18 Right of Way. Work will be in Section 31 Plum Creek and Sections 5 and 6 Irvington Township. Permit 07-22-2025 is on file in the Kossuth County Engineer's Office. Motion

carried unanimously.

Discussion was held with the Kossuth County Engineer. Discussion was held with the Kossuth County Auditor and the

Kossuth County Board of Supervisors. Motion by Haas and 2nd by Waechter to approve the additional waivers for fall 2025 drainage assessments for 10 years as follows: DD 4 Lat 2 \$64,500,

DD 80 Lat 80 \$145,500, DD 80 Lat 81

DD 82 \$95,500, DD 114 \$57,500 and DD 129 \$52,500. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Waechter and 2nd by Haas to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

Attest: Tammy Eden Kossuth County Auditor

Carter Nath, Chairman Kossuth County Board of Supervisors (Published July 30, 2025)

Days Gone By

August 5, 2020

Carole Bernhard recognized Jan and Dick Deitering for their service with 500 points towards their next Paul Harris Awards, a Rotary International recognition...Parker Eichenberger, son of Brad and Jenny Eichenberger of Bancroft, joined the Hole In One Club while golfing at North Kossuth Golf Course on Monday, July 27. He, along with friends Nick Schiltz and Lily Henderson, were on Hole Number 6, when Parker used a pithing wedge to sink the shot...Kelly Tigges takes a picture of her two daughters, Meredith and Madelyn, in front of plastic partitions that separated the Kossuth County Extension workers and the 4-H'ers during static project check in. Extension employees, Meredith Nelson and Chyan Koppen, stayed behind the partitions as projects came in on Wednesday, July 29 and used hand sanitizer to keep themselves and others safe prior to Kossuth County Fair starting. All projects were judged on the write-ups by the 4-H'ers with no face to face interviews due to COVID-19. 10 Years Ago

July 29, 2015 On Tuesday, July 21, the residents

of Stonebridge Suites and the Hawkeye Care Center (formerly known as Heritage Nursing Home) were visited by a sea of girls in yellow shirts. The North Union High School softball team arrived on the fire truck and visited the residents prior to heading down to Fort Dodge to play in the first round of Class 2A state softball. Smiles could be seen on everyone's faces...The Bancroft Historical Society has been given the V.J. Meyer Memorial Scoreboard from the Bancroft Memorial Park. Since it is too large to place in our museum, they would like to offer it to an person or group who would be able to use it. The Historical Society plans to keep and refurbish the board on which the designation "V.J. Meyer Memorial" is inscribed...Construction crews have been limiting traffic on the bridge on Highway 169 south of Bancroft over the past few months. The Department of Transportation stated they are rebuilding the bridge deck, milling the surface, rehabbing the concrete, and pouring a new deck. Traffic had been limited to one lane during the project.

25 Years Ago July 26, 2000

Money in a haystack was one of the games played at the main street park in Bancroft during Wacky Western Day, Friday, July 21. The children really enjoyed digging through the hay

event was sponsored by the Bancroft Chamber...Linda Kadow, an employee at Bancroft Pharmacy, and Georgia Beng, an employee at the Kettle Cafe, salute each other, one ow girl to another, while Ms. Sue Thompson looks on smiling. Georgia and Linda weren't the only ones to wear cowboy hats, several business owners and employees, as well as civilians, dressed in western garb during Wacky Western Day in Bancroft Friday, July 21...Harold McNertney, presents a challenge gift in the amount of \$250,000 to St. John Parish priest Father Paul Bormann, and Bancroft Mayor Charles Kennedy. This challenge gift, which is contingent upon matching funds from other members of the community, will be used toward the construction of a new school building on St. John prop-50 Years Ago July 30, 1975

Jim Marlow, golf enthusiast from

Lone Rock, scored a hole in one, Saturday, July 26, prior to the North Kossuth Golf Club's Couple Cookout. Marlow, golfing with his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lee, aced the 150 yard par 3 sixth hole with a 6 iron to become the sixth man to record a holein-one in the history of the Bancroft course. Others belonging to this coveted circle are Tony Accurso, Marv Austin, Carlyle Gerzema, Barney Thilges, and the late Tom Neuman.. Heritage Home residents in Bancroft were taken by chartered cars to Swea City on Friday, July 25 to attend the Fair and Field Days Parade. Heritage Home employees help various residents into the waiting cars. The group had a reserved spot near the Swea City park in full view of the parade activities. 70 Years Ago

July 28, 1955

Swea City: Small grain harvest is getting under way in this area, with the outlook being, according to Farmers Elevator manager Lee Alward, "Extremely good." Yield and quality appear to be high, but considerable variation is evident. Alward has had reports of figures between 49 and 83 bushels per acre and test weights between 35 and 38 pounds per bushel... Ledyard: Ray Wentworth was seriously injured when attacked by a bull Thursday morning. He was thrown over a fence and suffered a broken and shattered hip bone. He was taken at once by Mrs. Wentworth and his son and his wife, the Harold Wentworths, to Rochester, Minn., where he is in the

Obituary Rose Elaine (Steinberg) Renger . 81 Rose was a faithful member of to find the coins thrown in there. This

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born October 16, 1943, in Ledyard; the daughter of John and Agatha (Trenary) Steinberg. Rose grew up in Ledyard and graduated from Ledyard High School in 1961.

On June 22, 1968, she was united in marriage to Joseph W. Renger at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Ledyard. Together they were blessed with three sons: John, Jeremy, and James. Rose especially cherished spending time with her grandchildren and her winters spent near the ocean in Florida with her husband whom she affectionately referred to as "Joey."

A devoted homemaker, Rose also worked seasonally for 15 years at Green Giant and 16 years crafting Christmas wreaths at Elmore Nursery. She also found joy in sewing, knitting, gardening, canning tomatoes, cooking, as well as working on crossword puzzles and attending Mass with Joseph.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Ledyard, where she was active in the Rosary Society. She also served her community as a member of the American Legion Auxiliary and as a Cub Scout Den Mother. Rose passed away peacefully

Tuesday, July 22, 2025, at Atria Park of St. Joseph's in Jupiter, FL. She was

She is survived by her husband. Joseph, of Jupiter, FL; sons, John (Xin) Renger of Boca Raton, FL, Jeremy Renger of St. Paul, MN, and James (Helen) Renger of Bloomingdale, IL; nine grandchildren.

Abbigail Renger of Boca Raton, FL, Amanda Renger of Boca Raton, FL, Bailey Renger of San Francisco, CA, Hannah Renger of New York, NY, Jonathan Renger of New York, NY, Ian Renger of Chicago, IL, Lillian Renger of Bloomingdale, IL, Matthew Renger of Bloomingdale, IL and Leah Renger of Bloomingdale, IL.

Preceding her in death are her parents, half-brother, Larry (Margaret) Trenary of Blue Earth, MN and infant A funeral Mass for Rose will be

held Saturday, August 2, 2025, at 10:30 AM, at Divine Mercy Parish Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Ledyard. Burial will follow at Sacred Heart Catholic Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4 to 6 PM. Friday, August 1st, 2025, at Oakcrest Funeral Services of Bancroft and will continue one hour prior to the Mass at the church on Saturday. Online condolences may be made to www. oakcrestfuneralservices.com

NKGC Golf Scores

Ladies Late League 7/23/25

Kris Goetsch/Elaine Davis21 Grace Winkleman/Heather Adams.19 Jen Wolf/Amy Lowe19 Tiffany Berte/Autumn Morphew ...17 Amanda Goche/Justine Hellman....17 Dallas Heidecker/Ashley Valvick ..15 Cassie Vaske/Carrie Arndorfer......15 Carole Bernhard/Julie Knudsen15 Dawn Heetland/MaKayla Heetland15 Mandi Goche/Shelby Harms......14 Michelle Wood/Lori McGuire......14 Jill Hellman/Abbie Grimm14

Sheila Larson/Sharon Goche......13 Jenny Eichenberger/Judy Vaske.....13 Ali Farrow/Karen Busch.....11 Dawn Bernhard/Kathy Blocker.....11 Laura Arndorfer/Emily Vaske11 Erica Johnson/Donna Rahe9 Morgan Lahndorf/Katy Lahndorf8 Kay Harms/Jamie Haisman......6 Megan Heetland/Heather Goche.....4 Sara Thilges/Beth Pedersen3 Games under 50: MaKayla Heetland 48, Karen Busch - 49 Longest Putt # 1 MaKayla Heetland.

Your Right To Know ··· Proceedings of the Swea City City Council

Swea City City Council Meeting for July 16th, 2025

Council met in regular session on Wednesday July 16th, 2025, at the Swea City, City Hall at 6:30 p.m. with Mayor Zielske presiding. Employees Travis Stevens, Tylor Evans and Alycia Wolterman were present. Present were council members Sobolik, Kollasch, Perdue present was library board member Sharon Work. Visitors were Monica Johnson, Larry Heyn, Gary Anderson, Phil Albers, and Cal Wolterman. Motion by CM Hoye, second by CM Kollasch to approve the consent agenda. All ayes, carried.

- 1. Motion to approve agenda. 2. Motion to approve bills.
- 3. Motion to approve minutes of

previous meetings. 4. Motion to approve financial 5. Motion to approve liquor licenses

for Pub 307 (RAGBARI & renewal) pending payment & paperwork. 6. Motion to approve liquor license

for Larows pending payment & paperwork. 7. Motion to approve liquor license

for Dudleys garage pending payment & paperwork.

Visitors: Gary Anderson voiced concerns about cost of living and announced he is filing suit against the city council members and spouses because his ex-wife Susan was brought into the case that involved him. CM Kollasch explained Susan was brought in because she owns the property. Sharon work reported 93.5 volunteer

hours, parade participation and Summer Reading Program is going well. She also invited council members to visit the library to see what's been No fire report.

Water and Sewer: Travis reported the new water permit is complete, storm sewer work is being completed and some intakes are set to be repaired/ replaced. He also noted lagoon levels have been high and the lagoon project is set to start the end of August. Garbage: Tylor reported operations

are going well and have a new regular customer. He also reported the intakes and most of the hydrants have been painted Motion by CM Sobolik second by CM

Geerdes to table the comprehensive and zoning plan update until further notice. All ayes carried. Motion by CM Kollasch second by CM Geerdes to table the 314 & 316

carried. Council discussed electronic speed signs and stop signs. Motion by CM Perdue second by CM Geerdes to place temporary three way stop at Ash Ave and P-30. All ayes carried. Council discussed 2025 cost of living

at length. Mayor Zielske reminded

item until further notice. All ayes

performance cannot discussed in a public meeting and the employees can request a closed session. Mayor Zielske also noted 2.5% was included in the budget. CM Kollasch apologized for her absence and reported information she had collected esearching other local communities CM Geerdes stated Lakota and Buffalo Center didn't give cost of living. CM Kollasch made a motion for 4% cost of may be beneficial but more information living CM Hove seconded CM Geerdes

noted how costly the employee benefits are but stated he didn't ask other towns about benefits. CM Kollasch stated she doesn't feel the fully burdened rate should be a factor. CM Perdue voiced his desire for a dollar amount rather than a percentage. Ayes Sobolik, Kollasch, & Hoye. Nays Geerdes & Perdue. Motion carried. CM Sobolik that the percentage vs. dollar amount be discussed at budget time to figure it out so Randy can be more comfortable with it. Alycia stated she would put a note in the budget file for the upcoming

Council reviewed proposed EMS signage for one of the firehall doors Mayor Zielske reported she had reviewed with Fire Chief Crookshank and he is in favor. Motion by CM Kollasch second by CM Hoye to approve the proposed EMS signage on the firehall door. All ayes. Carried. ĬSG Lenny with reported

preconstruction meeting went well and they are waiting on BABA certifications for some things. Construction may be delayed due to rain. CM Sobolik expressed the need to be cautious of the cost of sludge removal. Lenny stated Bedrock will have to measure during removal. Lenny also reported the increased bid was due to BABA and tariffs but will be applying for WFTAP again. Lenny also reviewed the change order which was a decrease due to a change in fencing and building

Motion by CM Geerdes second by CM Perdue to approve change order #1. All aves carried Motion by CM Hoye second by CM

Kollasch to approve Resolution 11-2025; Resolution to fix date for a public hearing on proposal to enter into a Sewer Revenue Loan & Disbursement Agreement & to borrow money thereunder in a principal amount not to exceed \$5,200,000 for August 20th at 6:30 pm. Roll call all ayes. Council discussed the proposed sewer

rate increase at length. Alycia reminded council a rate study is completed by the financial advisor and he takes everything into consideration and provides a recommendation. Council reviewed the project is mandated by the DNR and increases are necessary to cover the cost of the project. Motion by CM Sobolik second by CM Hoye to approve the first reading of Ordinance 630; An ordinance amending the code of ordinances of the City of Swea Citysewer rate, by increasing the monthly sewer rate provided therein -increase the DS by \$45.50 and increase the usage of all over 1,000 used per month to \$9.00 per 1,000 gallons. Roll call all

Motion by CM Hoye second by CM Sobolik to waive the second and third readings of Ordinance 630. All ayes carried. Motion by CM Hoye second by CM

Kollasch to approve Ordinance 630. Roll call all ayes. Carried. Motion by CM Kollasch second by CM Perdue to approve Resolution 12-

2025; Resolution approving the 2nd half transfers for FY 24-25. All ayes carried. Mayor Zielske noted putting a service in on the west side of the park table second by CM Geerdes. All ayes. Carried. Mayor Zielske provided the most

recent pool design and estimate of around 1.3 million. Mayor Zielske

reminded council it would be a decision

for Parks & Rec in conjunction with

council. CM Geerdes noted the group is working on grants but that's a lot of CM Geerdes stated he would like it if the City guys could look into getting certified to spray. Tylor noted he is checking into it. Mark also inquire about Kossuth County EMS meeting

stated she would look into it. With no further business, motion to adjourn was made by CM Perdue, second by CM Geerdes. All ayes carried.

and asked for an update. CM Kollasch

Alycia Wolterman, City Clerk Wendy Zielske, Mayor

WARRANTS JUNE 2025GARBAGE

TOTAL

BW GAS & CONVENIENCE FUEL KOSSUTH COUNTY TRANSFER STATION, LANDFILL \$2,453.63 PMC ADVANTAGE INSURANCE \$10,799.71 VISA, VARIOUS \$395.89IA DEPT OF REV. \$175.35 SALES TAX \$14,410.35

GENERAL ALLIANT, UTILITIES \$250.60 SWEA CITY HERLAD PRESS \$335.60 PUBLISHING MARCO, COPIER \$169.85 HAWKINS, CHEMICALS RINGTEL, UTILITES

\$102.32 RVT, COMPUTER MADISON NATIONAL LIFE \$79.95 LIFE INSURANCE \$32.25 STOREY KENWORTHY SUPPLIES \$299.81 WELLMARK BC/BS \$2,278.19 INSURANCE PMC ADVANTAGE

PREMIUM \$35,092.33 RWC, LG CLASSES \$730.00 \$1,416.69 A WOLTERMAN INSURANCE \$292.84 IRS. FED FICA MC \$1,234.31 IPERS, RETIREMENT \$846.68 \$46,081.51 TOTAL

ALLIANT ENERGY \$168.12 UTILITES VISA, VARIOUS \$1,047.68 PMC ADVANTAGE INSURANCE \$21,694.32 TOTAL \$22,910.12

ROAD USE ALLIANT ENERGY \$308.49 UTILITIES BW GAS & CONVENIENCE FUEL

\$493.58 DAHLS TREE SERVICE TREE REMOVAL \$1,660.00 NUWAY K&H, SUPPLIES \$460.35 CHILD SUPPORT, SUPPORT \$236.76 CHILD SUPPORT, SUPPORT \$236.76 IRS, FED FICA & MC \$984.38IPERS, RETIREMENT \$629.20

\$5,578.70

BOKF, WATER TOWER BOND \$16,618.75

CEDAR RAPIDS BANK & TRUST CONS BOND IA FINANCE AUTHOITY \$52,949.75 WATER BOND \$40,820.00 IA FINANCE AUTHOITY SEWER BOND

\$29,320.00 WATER

ALLIANT ENERGY UTILITIES \$965.96 RINGTEL, UTILITES WELLMARK BC/BS INSURANCE \$731.53 DSG. SUPPLIES \$60.81 COMPASS MINERALS SUPPLIES \$5,103.71

CNH PRODUCTIVITY PLUS \$18.26 FREIGHT IA DEPT OF REVENUE WET TAX \$628.73 PMC ADVANTAGE INSURANCE \$20,755.59 VISA, VARIOUS NUWAY K&H, SUPPLIES \$187.79

HAWKINS, SUPPLIES IPERS, RETIREMENT \$40.00 \$61.47 IRS, FED, FICA, MC \$30.62 \$28,989.87 TOTAL SEWER ALLIANT ENERGY \$315.61 UTILITIES ISG, ENGINEERING \$5,650.55 PMC ADVANTAGE \$1,366.88 NUWAY K&H, SUPPLIES \$373.95

STATE HYGENIC LABORATORY TESTING \$426.50 IPERS, RETIREMENT \$693.01 IRS, FED, FICA, MC \$1,025.95 \$9,852.45 STORM SEWER VISA, VARIOUS IA EPT OF REVENUE \$32.98 \$8.61 SALES TAX TOTAL \$41.59

LOST-ST ALLIANT, STREET LIGHTS \$1.641.67 TOTAL \$1,641.67

LIBRARY ALLIANT ENERGY, UTILITES RINGTEL, PHONE VISA, SUPPLIES

\$155.93

\$234.89

\$6,729.27

\$53.91

\$72.80

\$186.86

\$7,433.66

\$6510.65

\$9176.62

\$8851.75

\$71080.76

\$16755.68

\$10034.24

\$824.39

\$6981.72

\$6553.46

\$0

\$0

\$36936.41

PMC ADVANTAGE INSURANCE I TOKHEIM, MILEAGE IRS, FICA & MC TOTAL

RECEIPTS CAP PROJECTS-GARBAGE-GENERAL-FIRE-ROAD USE-DEBT SERVICE-

WATER-SEWER-DEPOSIT LIBRARY

AMBULANCE-STORM SEWER-EMERGENCY-

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