



EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF IOWA

Teleconference Only

Monday, June 02, 2025 at 10:00 AM

MINUTES

The Executive Council met in regular session at 10:00 a.m. via conference call. Governor Kim Reynolds presided over the meeting. Treasurer of State Roby Smith, Secretary of Agriculture Mike Naig and Auditor of State Rob Sand were present. Secretary of State Paul Pate joined at item 2A.

1. Approval of Minutes

Moved by Auditor Sand and seconded by Treasurer Smith that the Council approve of the minutes from the Executive Council meeting held on May 5, 2025 and the Board of Canvass meeting held May 12, 2025.

The vote:	Ayes:	Governor Reynolds Treasurer Smith Secretary Naig Auditor Sand
	Nays:	None

2. Personal Appearances

Moved by Secretary Naig and seconded by Auditor Sand that the Council approve the following request:

- A. Dennis Harper, Recovery Division Administrator, Iowa Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, will be present to request a Contingency Fund Loan for the City of Rock Valley.

The vote:	Ayes:	Governor Reynolds Treasurer Smith Secretary Naig Secretary Pate Auditor Sand
	Nays:	None

Moved by Secretary Pate and seconded by Auditor Sand that the Council approve the following request:

- B. Dennis Harper, Iowa Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, will be present to request additional Disaster Aid in the amount of \$47,069,247.00 pursuant to Iowa Code 29C.6(17) for Presidential Disaster Declarations FEMA-4779-DR, FEMA-4784-DR, FEMA-4796-DR.

The vote:	Ayes:	Governor Reynolds Treasurer Smith Secretary Naig Secretary Pate Auditor Sand
	Nays:	None

3. Iowa Code §7D.10

Moved by Secretary Naig and seconded by Auditor Sand that the Council approve the following request:

- A. Attorney General's office requests Payment for Expenses under Iowa Code §7D.10 in the amount of \$27,200.00.

The vote:	Ayes:	Governor Reynolds Treasurer Smith Secretary Naig Secretary Pate Auditor Sand
	Nays:	None

4. Outside Counsel

Moved by Secretary Naig and seconded by Auditor Sand that the Council approve the following request:

- A. The Department of Justice, Attorney General's Office, requests retention of outside counsel pursuant to Iowa Code section 13.3(1) in *Anderson, Jennifer v. Woodward Resource Center and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee.

Firm:	Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P.
Attorney:	Ryan Clark 505 5th Avenue Suite 729 Des Moines, IA 50309
Rate:	\$175.00 Per Hour

The vote:	Ayes:	Governor Reynolds Treasurer Smith Secretary Naig Secretary Pate Auditor Sand
	Nays:	None

5. Leases

Moved by Secretary Naig and seconded by Auditor Sand that the Council approve the following request:

- A. Lease between DNR and 135-N Legacy Marine
Date of Lease: January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2029

Legal Description: Mississippi River frontage at river mile 486.7 in Section 34, Township 78, North, Range 4 East of the 5th P.M., Scott County, Iowa.

Purpose: Barge loading and unloading

Annual Fee: \$4,195.29

The vote:	Ayes:	Governor Reynolds Treasurer Smith Secretary Naig Secretary Pate Auditor Sand
	Nays:	None

6. Emergency Allocations

Moved by Secretary Naig and seconded by Auditor Sand that the Council approve the following allocations:

- A. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$2,700.83. On April 18, 2025, Vehicle #62 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- B. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$4,901.00. On April 17, 2025, Vehicle #82 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- C. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$2,234.00. On April 17, 2025, Vehicle #346 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- D. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$2,801.65. On April 17, 2025, Vehicle #367 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- E. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$3,235.00. On April 18, 2025, Vehicle #452 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- F. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$2,032.25. On April 17, 2025, Vehicle #476 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- G. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$6,086.83. On April 18, 2025, Vehicle #483 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- H. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$7,051.66. On April 23, 2025, Vehicle #511 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- I. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$8,348.64. On April 17, 2025, Vehicle #975 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- J. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$10,330.07. On April 17, 2025, Vehicle #1791 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.

- K. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$3,585.25. On April 18, 2025, Vehicle #1852 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.
- L. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$5,881.38. On April 13, 2025, Vehicle #1941 was damaged by a fallen tree branch. Request was to cover repair costs.
- M. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$6,745.20. On April 22, 2025, Vehicle #2635 was damaged by a deer. Request was to cover repair costs.
- N. Department of Administrative Services requested an emergency allocation in the amount of \$10,717.75. On April 18, 2025, Vehicle #105487 was damaged by hail. Request was to cover repair costs.

The vote:

Ayes:

Governor Reynolds
Treasurer Smith
Secretary Naig
Secretary Pate
Auditor Sand

Nays:

None

7. Payment of Cost Items

Moved by Secretary Pate and seconded by Auditor Sand that the Council approve the following cost items:

- A. Department of Natural Resources\$1,849.31
 Drainage Assessments Pursuant to Iowa Code Section 468.43:

Hamilton	\$19.54
Polk	\$1,819.77
Sac	\$10.00
- B. Board of Regents - University of Iowa\$12,192.60
 On January 17, 2024, Field House was damaged by frozen and burst fain coil. Request was to cover repair costs. This represents full and final payment.
- C. Board of Regents - University of Iowa\$18,562.79
 On January 16, 2024, Jefferson Building was damaged by a frozen sprinkler pipe. Request was to cover repair costs. This represents full and final payment.
- D. Board of Regents - University of Iowa\$5,917.00
 On October 2, 2024, a window was broken at the Main Library. Request was to cover repair costs. This represents full and final payment.
- E. Board of Regents - University of Iowa\$5,678.82
 On January 24, 2024, gutters at Medical Education Building were damaged due to weight of snow/ice melting from the roof. Request was to cover repair costs. This represents full and final payment.

- F. Board of Regents - University of Iowa\$16,222.71
On January 18, 2024, Performing Arts Annex was damaged due to frozen and burst fan coil.
Request was to cover repair costs. This represents full and final payment.
- G. Board of Regents - University of Iowa\$25,185.15
On January 17, 2024, Van Allen Hall was damaged by a fan coil failure. Request was to cover
repair costs. This represents full and final payment.
- H. Department of Administrative Services\$3,900.37
On March 19, 2025, Vehicle #286 was damaged due to blizzard. Request was to cover repair
costs. This represents full and final payment, \$602.00 will be reverted and this allocation
closed.
- I. Department of Administrative Services.....\$5,117.73
On March 21, 2025, Vehicle #305 was damaged by a deer. Request was to cover repair costs.
This represents full and final payment, \$305.52 will be reverted and this allocation closed.
- J. Gray Miller Persh, LLP.....\$90.40
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Iowa PBS
- K. Richard J. Bennett, Sr.....\$630.00
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- L. Davis, Brown, Koehn, Shors & Roberts, P.C.....\$366.73
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Des Moines, IA 50309-3993
Legal Services to state agencies on issues related to the visa status of prospective state
employees
- M. Dentons Davis Brown Law Firm.....\$514.80
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Des Moines, IA 50309
Special Counsel Dentons Davis Brown Unclaimed Property Fund
- N. Marquess & Hoyer Law Office, P.C.....\$6,000.00
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Criminal Prosecution for Meskwaki Settlement Matters
- O. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$398.50
729 Insurance Exchange Building
505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Beitz, Michael v. Public Defense and State of Iowa, Second Injury Fund of Iowa

- P. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$32.00
729 Insurance Exchange Building
505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Therese Blake v. Woodward Resource Center and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- Q. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$920.00
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505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Chance, Diana v. University of Iowa and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- R. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$691.00
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505 Fifth Avenue
Suite 729
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Karen Crew v. University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, State of Iowa, Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- S. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$541.00
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505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Furnish, Lloyd v. Woodward Resource Center and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- T. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$676.00
729 Insurance Exchange Building
505 Fifth Avenue
Suite 729
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Gabel-Reisen, Regina v. Anamosa State Penitentiary and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- U. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$522.00
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505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Grilli, Charles v. Eldora State Training School and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- V. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$1,326.75
729 Insurance Exchange Building
505 Fifth Avenue
Suite 729
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
John Larson v. Newton Correctional Facility and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

- W. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$206.00
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505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
McInroy, Mark v. Iowa Department of Natural Resources and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- X. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$112.00
729 Insurance Exchange Building
505 Fifth Avenue
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Mendenhall, Mark v. Clarinda Correctional Facility and State of Iowa, Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- Y. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$32.00
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505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Shana Overstreet v. University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- Z. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$577.50
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505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Peppers, Amber v. Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- AA. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$720.00
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Starrett, Christopher v. Department of Public Safety and State of Iowa, Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- BB. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$32.00
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Brad Stevenson v. Iowa Department of Transportation, State of Iowa, Second Injury Fund of Iowa
- CC. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$192.00
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505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Stine, Phillip v. Mt. Pleasant Correctional Facility and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund

DD. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$112.00
729 Insurance Exchange Building
505 Fifth Avenue
Suite 729
Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Douglas Stufflebeam v. University of Northern Iowa and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

EE. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$792.50
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505 Fifth Avenue
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Valipouralmasi, Azam v. University of Iowa and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

FF. Patterson Law Firm L.L.P.....\$531.00
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Des Moines, IA 50309-2390
Katherine Williams v. 6th Judicial District and Second Injury Fund of Iowa

The vote:	Ayes:	Governor Reynolds Treasurer Smith Secretary Naig Secretary Pate Auditor Sand
	Nays:	None

8. Information Items

- A. Fremont County made their fifth Contingency Loan payment of \$15,000.00. This loan was approved for \$131,250.00 on October 19, 2020, and is prorated not to exceed twenty years. Total repayment to date: \$52,562.50

Adjourn Meeting

Moved by Secretary Pate and seconded by Auditor Sand that the meeting adjourns.

Respectfully submitted,

Kristi Onstot

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