The Board of Supervisors met as per adjournment in regular session at 9:00 a.m. with all members present. This meeting is being held electronically due to the COVID-19 pandemic and restrictions imposed on the number of people allowed to assemble.

Moved by Bootsma, seconded by Friedrichsen to approve the proceedings of October 20, 2020. Motion carried by all ayes.

Moved by Friedrichsen, seconded by Bootsma to approve renewing the employee health insurance contract with Wellmark for 2021 with the current plan design and stop loss coverages and to increase the premiums by $10 per month for each single plan and $20 per month for each family plan. Motion carried by all ayes.

Moved by Bootsma, seconded by McDowell to continue the dental plan with Delta Dental for 2021. Motion carried by all ayes.

Moved by Friedrichsen, seconded by Vanden Hull to approve the utility construction application of Windstream Iowa Communications LLC near the intersection of 480th Street and Iowa 143. Motion carried by all ayes.

Moved by Friedrichsen, seconded by Bootsma to approve pay estimate number 3 to King Excavation in the amount of $151,629.66 for work completed on Drainage District No. 5. Motion carried by all ayes.

At 10:00 a.m. bids for the County Farm tillable land were received. The following submitted bids: Kevin Jenness & Joshua Haack - $325.50 per acre; Tony & Heather Einck - $301.00; Jeff & David Statema - $285.00 and Jeremiah Straub - $285.00 per acre.

Moved by Vanden Hull, seconded by McDowell to accept the bid of Kevin Jenness & Joshua Haack for the County Farm tillable land for a 2-year lease at $325.50 per acre and to authorize the Chairman to sign the lease. Motion carried by all ayes.

Moved by Vanden Hull, seconded by Friedrichsen to adjourn to November 10, 2020. Motion carried by all ayes.

Attest: Maureen Thompson John Steensma
Deputy County Auditor Chairman