The Board of Supervisors of Shelby County, Iowa, met pursuant to law and rules of said board in Regular Session at 9:00 a.m. in the Supervisors Chambers of the Shelby County Courthouse with the following members present: Steve Kenkel, Chairman; Charles Parkhurst, Vice-Chairperson, Supervisor Darin Haake and Mark Maxwell, Clerk.

The Chair asked that any Conflict of Interest be stated concerning any item on the agenda. No conflicts were stated.

A motion was made by Haake and seconded by Parkhurst to approve the agenda with no additions. AYES: Unanimous NAYES: None

Haake made a motion to approve the claims to be paid upon todays approval. Parkhurst seconded the motion. The motion passed.

A motion was made by Haake with a second by Parkhurst, to approve the minutes of the November 1st meeting. AYES: Unanimous NAYES: None

Melissa Arkfeld, Shelby County Wellness Coordinator, approached the Board concerning the fact that the Board had approved a payment to all employees if everyone enrolled in County Health Insurance coverage also completed the wellness program. One employee did not complete all phases of the wellness program. Kenkel proposed that Shelby County employees that achieve reaching a level of participation in both parts of the program (wellness physicals and assessments) that helped achieved a 5% discount on next years insurance rates that those employees doing the minimum recorded levels of 80% getting physicals and 60% completing the online assessments offered will receive a \$100. If the qualified employees as a group reach 90% completion of the physical and 60% of the assessments completed the will receive \$150.00. If the qualified employees achieve a 100% completion of physicals and 60% online assessments the qualified employees will receive \$200.00. It was further added that the Wellness Coordinator will be paid \$500.00 if the County achieves the 5% insurance discount and 100% physicals completed and 60% assessment participation, only \$400.00 if the County achieves the 5% insurance discount and 90% getting physicals and 60% assessment participation, and only \$300.00 if the County achieves the 5% insurance discount and 80% getting physicals and 60% assessment completion. Haake made a motion to approve the aforementioned awards for calendar year 2022. Parkhurst seconded the motion. All three Supervisors voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed.

Brandon Burmeister, Shelby County Engineer, briefed the Supervisors of ongoing projects and happenings in his department. Burmeister also presented a Utility Permit numbered 2022-11-12 to the Board for approval, the application was made by NIPCO and a motion was made to grant the permit by Haake and seconded by Parkhurst, the motion passed unanimously.

Shelby County Safety Coordinator Jake Holloway presented two updated policies to the Board for consideration. One was a strengthened seat belt policy and the other being a return to work policy. Both policies came recommended by the County's workman's compensation provider. Parkhurst made a motion to approve both policies, Haake seconded the motion, the motion passed with ayes by Haake, Parkhurst and Kenkel.

Shelby County Treasurer, Carolyn Blum, gave a department report for the Treasurer's office as well as presented a 28-E agreement for consideration between the DOT and Shelby County. Haake made a motion to sign the agreement Parkhurst seconded the motion. A vote was held with all three Supervisors voting in favor of signing the agreement. Blum then asked for a tax abatement on a mobile home VIN#33195 that has been moved. The amount adding up to \$55.00 Haake made a motion to approve the abatement Parkhurst seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Wendy Mueller of West Central Development was present to give an update on her organization. Mueller asked the supervisors to increase the funding in fiscal year 2024 in the amount of \$500.00, bringing the total commitment to \$3,500.00. Mueller also updated the Board with data containing her organizations accomplishments last year.

Alex Londo, Shelby County EMA Coordinator, gave the Supervisors an update on the radio project and how the endeavor is progressing in improving the communication in emergency situations.

Todd Valline of the Shelby County Chamber of Commerce and Industry advised the supervisors that the Nishnabotna Valley REC is assisting to decorate the Courthouse grounds for Christmas. His organization is busy scheduling Santa Clause visits in Shelby County as well as other holiday events.

The following Resolution 2022-49 was then presented to the Board for consideration after being read by the Clerk

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SHELBY COUNTY: to partner with Community Stakeholders to develop a County Based Ambulance Service. The following Resolution was passed by the Board of Supervisors of SHELBY COUNTY, at the board meeting on November 15th, 2022:

WHEREAS, ambulance service is an Essential Service and citizens of the County have a reasonable expectation that ambulance services be available in times of need. WHEREAS, the Ambulance Commission of Shelby County through a 28E agreement between the City of Harlan and the Hospital has contracted with Medivac Corp to provide ambulance services. WHEREAS, the owners of Medivac Corp have informed the Commission that they intend to retire in the next 2-4 years and cease operations as an ambulance provider.

WHEREAS, there is a severe shortage of both paid and volunteer EMTs and paramedics nationally, causing the cost of operating an ambulance service to increase significantly.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors should actively engage with community stakeholders including the City of Harlan, Shelby County Chris A. Myrtue Memorial Hospital, Emergency Management Association, fire department, law enforcement, and county EMS volunteers to develop a county-based Ambulance Service and funding mechanism to assure the long-term sustainability of this critical and essential service. The mission statement and goals of the stakeholder group will be the following:

Mission Statement

Provide for a high-quality EMS system which assures a comprehensive approach to best serve the citizens of Shelby County.

Committee Goals

- 1. Develop and establish a plan for a county-wide EMS system in Shelby County that works in cooperation with the County, Cities, Hospital, and all volunteers. This plan would be based on the continuum of emergent patient care including 911 calls, transports to the county hospital, and transports to higher level of care facilities.
- 2. Provide care, at the highest level, in the most cost-effective way to the taxpayers.
- 3. Plan for a sustainable, unified, and fiscally responsible ways to support the volunteer agencies while providing 24/7 ALS.

These minutes constitute a record of the above action taken by the Shelby County Board of Supervisors as of the date set forth above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Resolution has been duly executed on the 15th day of November, 2022

Haake made a motion to approve the resolution Parkhurst seconded the motion to approve. A vote was held with Kenkel, Parkhurst and Haake all voting in favor of passing the resolution. No nays were cast.

It was moved by Parkhurst, seconded by Haake, to designate the Auditor's Office to compile the results from each polling site for the canvass. AYES: Haake, Kenkel, Parkhurst NAYES: None

The canvassed returns for United States Senator, United States Representative - District 4, Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor of State, Treasurer of State, Secretary of Agriculture, Attorney General, State Senator - District 6, and State Representative - Districts 11&12 18 were certified to the Secretary of State as required by Section 50.30, Code of Iowa.

The canvassed returns for elected offices for Shelby County are certified as follows:

United States Senator

Michael Franken, DEM Received One Thousand Two Hundred and Thirteen (1,213) votes
Chuck Grassley, REP Received Three Thousand Four Hundred and One (3,401) votes

Scattering Received Six (6) votes

Total Four Thousand Six Hundred and Twenty (4,620) votes

United States Representative District 4

Ryan Melton, DEM Received One Thousand and Fifty-Four (1,054) votes

Randy Feenstra, REP Received Three Thousand Three Hundred and Eighty-Five (3,385) votes Bryan

Jack Holder, LBC Received One Hundred (100) votes

Scattering Received Five (5) votes

Total Four Thousand Five Hundred and Forty-Four (4,544) votes

Governor and Lt. Governor

Deidre DeJear and Eric Van Lancker, DEM Received One Thousand and Twenty-Three (1,023) votes

Kim Reynolds and Adam Gregg, REP Received Three Thousand Five Hundred and Seventy (3,570) votes Rick

Stewart and Marco Battaglia, LIB Received One Hundred and Three (103) votes

Scattering Received One (1) votes

Total Four Thousand Six Hundred and Ninety-Seven (4,697) votes

Secretary of State

Joel Miller, DEM Received One Thousand One Hundred and Nine (1,109) votes

Paul D. Pate, REP Received Three Thousand Four Hundred and Seventy (3,470) votes

Scattering Received Two (2) votes

Total Four Thousand Five Hundred and Eighty-One (4,581) votes

Auditor of State

Rob Sand, DEM Received One Thousand Two Hundred and Nineteen (1,219) votes

Todd Halbur, REP Received Three Thousand Three Hundred (3,300) votes

Scattering Received Two (2) votes

Total Four Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty-One (4,521) votes

Treasurer of State

Michael L. Fitzgerald, DEM Received One Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty-Eight (1,428) votes Roby

Smith, REP Received Three Thousand One Hundred and Fourteen (3,114) votes

Scattering Received One (1) votes

Total Four Thousand Five Hundred and Forty-Three (4,543) votes

Secretary of Agriculture

John Norwood, DEM Received One Thousand and Thirty-Six (1,036) votes

Mike Naig, REP Received Three Thousand Five Hundred and Four (3,504) votes

Scattering Received Three (3) votes

Total Four Thousand Five Hundred and Forty-Three (4,543) votes

Attorney General

Tom Miller, DEM Received One Thousand Three Hundred and Forty-Two (1,342) votes

Brenna Bird, REP Received Three Thousand Two Hundred and Twelve (3,212) votes

Scattering Received Two (2) votes

Total Four Thousand Five Hundred and Fifty-Six (4,556) votes

State Senator District 6

Jason Schultz, REP Received Three Thousand Five Hundred and Ninety-Six (3,596) votes

David M. Davis, LIB Received Seven Hundred and Forty-Three (743) votes

Scattering Received Twelve (12) votes

Total Four Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty-One (4,351) votes

State Representative District 11

Brian Best, REP Received One Thousand Two Hundred and Five (1,205) votes

Scattering Received Twelve (12) votes

State Representative District 12

Steven Holt, REP Received Two Thousand Five Hundred and Ninety-Three (2,593) votes

Scattering Received Fifty-Seven (57) votes

Total Two Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty (2,650) votes

Constitutional Amendment 1

Yes Received Three Thousand Six Hundred and Thirty-Three (3,633) votes

No Received Seven Hundred and Eighty-Eight (788) votes

Total Four Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty-One (4,421) votes

Supreme Court Justice - Matthew McDermott

Yes Received Two Thousand Five Hundred and One (2,501) votes

No Received Seven Hundred and Seventy-Five (775) votes

Total Three Thousand Two Hundred and Seventy-Six (3,276) votes

Supreme Court Justice - Dana L. Oxley

Yes Received Two Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty-Two (2,222) votes

No Received Eight Hundred and Fifty-Nine (859) votes

Total Three Thousand and Eighty-One (3,081) votes

Court of Appeals Judge - Paul B. Ahlers

Yes Received Two Thousand Three Hundred and Forty (2,340) votes

No Received Seven Hundred and Sixty-Three (763) votes

Total Three Thousand One Hundred and Three (3,103) votes

Court of Appeals Judge - Gina Badding

Yes Received Two Thousand One Hundred and Ninety-Nine (2,199) votes

No Received Seven Hundred and Eighty-Four (784) votes

Total Two Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Three (2,983) votes

District 4 Judge - Richard H. Davidson

Yes Received Two Thousand Two Hundred and Sixty (2,260) votes

No Received Seven Hundred and Forty-Two (742) votes

Total Three Thousand and Two (3,002) votes

District 4 Judge - Kathleen A. Kilnoski

Yes Received Two Thousand Two Hundred and Ninety-Six (2,296) votes

No Received Seven Hundred and Forty-Four (744) votes

Total Three Thousand and Forty (3,040) votes

District 4 Judge - Jeffrey L. Larson

Yes Received Three Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty-One (3,231) votes

No Received Five Hundred and Fifty-Five (555) votes

Total Three Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty-Six (3,786) votes

District 4 Associate Judge - Charles D. Fagan

Yes Received Two Thousand Three Hundred and Eighty-Three (2,383) votes

No Received Six Hundred and Ninety-Eight (698) votes

Total Three Thousand and Eighty-One (3,081) votes

County Board of Supervisors At Large

Bryce Schaben, REP Received Four Thousand One Hundred and Fourteen (4,114) votes

Scattering Received Forty-Three (43) votes

Total Four Thousand One Hundred and Fifty-Seven (4,157) votes

County Treasurer

Carolyn Blum, REP Received Four Thousand and Eleven (4,011) votes

Scattering Received Seventy-Two (72) votes

Total Four Thousand and Eighty-Three (4,083) votes

County Recorder

Geralyn S. Greer, REP Received Four Thousand One Hundred (4,100) votes

Scattering Received Thirty-Five (35) votes

Total Four Thousand One Hundred and Thirty-Five (4,135) votes

County Attorney

Marcus Gross Jr., DEM Received Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-Seven (2,887) votes

Scattering Received One Hundred and Ninety-Six (196) votes

Total Three Thousand and Eighty-Three (3,083) votes

Cass Township Trustee

James Voge Sr. Received Seventy-Two (72) votes

Scattering Received One (1) votes

Total Seventy-Three (73) votes

Cass Township Clerk

Kenneth Stein Received Eighty-Three (83) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total Eighty-Three (83) votes

Center Township Trustee

Steve Ineson Received One Hundred and Sixty-Nine (169) votes

Scattering Received Four (4) votes

Total One Hundred and Seventy-Three (173) votes

Center Township Clerk

Keith Burchett Received One Hundred and Eighty-Six (186) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total One Hundred and Eighty-Six (186) votes

Clay Township Trustee

Received One Hundred (100) votes Gene Mardesen

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

One Hundred (100) votes Total

Clay Township Clerk

Steve Jacobs Received One Hundred and Five (105) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total One Hundred and Five (105) votes

Douglas Township Trustee

H. Jay Nielsen Received Ninety-Two (92) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total Ninety-Two (92) votes

Douglas Township Clerk

Suzanne Rasmussen Received Eighty-Five (85) votes

Scattering Received One (1) votes

Total Eighty-Six (86) votes

Fairview Township Trustee

Received Eight (8) votes Scattering **NEIL OHMS** Received Six (6) votes LESLIE NIELSEN Received Two (2) votes

Total Sixteen (16) votes

Fairview Township Clerk

Received Four (4) votes Scattering **RON LEE** Received Nine (9) votes LESLIE NIELSEN Received Two (2) votes **KYLIE GROSS** Received Two (2) votes

Total Seventeen (17) votes

Greeley Township Trustee

Received Seventy-One (71) votes Norman Campbell

Received Two (2) votes Scattering

Total

Seventy-Three (73) votes

Greeley Township Clerk

Scattering Received One (1) votes **PATTY SAUNDERS** Received One (1) votes

Total Two (2) votes

Grove Township Trustee

Gaylord Gross Received Sixty-Six (66) votes Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total Sixty-Six (66) votes

Grove Township Trustee To Fill Vacancy

Joseph Jonathan KleinReceived Sixty-Five (65) votesScatteringReceived Zero (0) votes

Total Sixty-Five (65) votes

Grove Township Clerk

Brad Gross Received Sixty-Seven (67) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total Sixty-Seven (67) votes

Jackson Township Trustee

Mark Rold Received One Hundred and Four (104) votes

Scattering Received One (1) votes

Total One Hundred and Five (105) votes

Jackson Township Trustee To Fill Vacancy

Troy Doonan Received One Hundred and Four (104) votes

Scattering Received Three (3) votes

Total One Hundred and Seven (107) votes

Jackson Township Clerk

Dan Buman Received One Hundred and Seven (107) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total One Hundred and Seven (107) votes

Jefferson Township Trustee

Lyle Campbell Received Seventy-Eight (78) votes

Scattering Received One (1) votes

Total Seventy-Nine (79) votes

Jefferson Township Clerk

Cathy Clark Received Seventy-Six (76) votes

Scattering Received One (1) votes

Total Seventy-Seven (77) votes

Lincoln Township Trustee

Duane Errett Received One Hundred and Sixty-Six (166) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total One Hundred and Sixty-Six (166) votes

Lincoln Township Clerk

H. David Boettger Received One Hundred and Fifty-Seven (157) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total One Hundred and Fifty-Seven (157) votes

Monroe Township Trustee

John Clayton Received Eighty-Three (83) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total Eighty-Three (83) votes

Monroe Township Clerk

Bryan Greve Received Eighty-One (81) votes

Received Zero (0) votes Scattering Total Eighty-One (81) votes

Polk Township Trustee

Karl Hanson Received Sixty-Five (65) votes Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total Sixty-Five (65) votes

Polk Township Clerk

Matt Bartelson Received Sixty-Six (66) votes Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total Sixty-Six (66) votes

Shelby Township Trustee

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes ROBERT HALL Received Three (3) votes ROBERT RICHMOND Received One (1) votes **BRAD BLUM** Received One (1) votes MARK EVANS Received One (1) votes **EUGENE WAHLING** Received One (1) votes **BONNIE MYERS** Received One (1) votes **GARY COLLINS** Received One (1) votes

Total Nine (9) votes

Shelby Township Clerk

Received Ninety-Five (95) votes **Chris Evans**

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total Ninety-Five (95) votes

Union Township Trustee

Neal Gaul Received Seventy-Two (72) votes

Scattering Received Two (2) votes Total

Seventy-Four (74) votes

Union Township Trustee To Fill Vacancy

Brandon Scheuring Received Sixty-Five (65) votes Scattering Received Four (4) votes

Sixty-Nine (69) votes Total

Union Township Clerk

Received Sixty-Four (64) votes Jim Scheuring Scattering Received Three (3) votes

Total Sixty-Seven (67) votes

Washington Township Trustee

Scattering Received Seven (7) votes
TYLER SCHWERY Received Five (5) votes
LARRY ASSMAN Received Two (2) votes
DAVE KEANE Received Two (2) votes

Total Sixteen (16) votes

Washington Township Trustee To Fill Vacancy

Scattering Received One (1) votes
DAVE MAGES Received Four (4) votes
JOE MIKELS Received One (1) votes
SAMUEL KENKEL Received One (1) votes
STEVE WEGNER Received One (1) votes
PHIL SCHWERY Received One (1) votes

Total Nine (9) votes

Washington Township Clerk

Connie Klein Received Eighty-Three (83) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total Eighty-Three (83) votes

Westphalia Township Trustee

Anthony Goetz Received One Hundred and Thirty (130) votes

Scattering Received Zero (0) votes

Total One Hundred and Thirty (130) votes

Westphalia Township Clerk

Scattering Received Five (5) votes ED GOETZINGER Received Five (5) votes

Total Ten (10) votes

Hospital Trustee

Kathleen KohorstReceived Three Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty-One (3,231) votes TerryR. TornetenReceived Two Thousand Six Hundred and Ninety-Five (2,695) votes JanisNorgaardReceived Two Thousand Six Hundred and Twenty-Three (2,623) votes TomCannonReceived Two Thousand Three Hundred and Sixty-Seven (2,367) votes

James B. Zimmerman Received Three Thousand and Forty-Nine (3,049) votes

Scattering Received Forty-Three (43) votes

Total Fourteen Thousand and Eight (14,008) votes

Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioner

Cathy Johannsen Received Two Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-One (2,981) votes Allan Reinig Received Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-Six (2,866) votes

Scattering Received Twenty-Three (23) votes

Total Five Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy (5,870) votes

County Agricultural Extension Council Member

Mike Kolbe Received Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-Three (2,883) votes

Elaine Baughman Received Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-Four (2,834) votes

Katelin Weis Received Two Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty-One (2,421) votes

Kristina Larsen Received Two Thousand Four Hundred and Seventy-Eight (2,478) votes

Brenda Arkfeld Received Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-Three (2,853) votes

Scattering Received Fifty-Two (52) votes

Total Thirteen Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty-One (13,521) votes

There being no further business appearing, the Chairman declared the meeting adjourned at 10:58

Steve Kenkel, Chairman

am.

ATTEST:

Mark L. Maxwell

Clerk to the Board of Supervisors