

**September 25, 2023**

The Mahaska County Board of Supervisors met in work session on the above date at 2:30 p.m. at the DHS building on S. 11th St. Present were the following board members: Chairman – Mark Groenendyk; Vice Chairman – Steve Wanders and Member – Chuck Webb. Also present were Jody Wolver, Social Work Supervisor for the Iowa Dept of Health and Human Services, Troy Bemis, Maintenance Director; Channing Rucks, Oskaloosa Herald and Michelle Kent, Elections Deputy.

Discussion centered around solutions for updates to the inside and outside of the office building. Topics discussed were stained ceiling tiles, broken and missing floor tiles in the atrium and lobby, outdated and old paint, stained and frayed carpet. The appearance of the outside of the office is weather damaged and the back of the office has overgrown vines and weeds all over the building and in the gutters.

Options discussed were to either consider another location for this department to operate out of or develop a plan for renovations over the next few years.

No decisions were made.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Michelle Kent  
Mahaska County Elections Deputy

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Mark Groenendyk  
Mahaska Co. Board of Supervisors