March 26, 2024

The Mahaska County Board of Supervisors met on the above date at 6:00 pm at William Penn University in Oskaloosa. Present were the following board members: Chairman – Mark Groenendyk; Vice Chairman – Steve Wanders and Member – Chuck Webb. Also present were Dr. Ed Hurl, Craig Alexander, Charles Argo, Dale Baltimore, Wayne DeBruin, Dave Figland, Larry Gordy, Larry Lewis, Jeff Pierson, Bill Schinkel, Don Vos and Teri Rogers, County Auditor.

The Ruritan Club members were brought up to speed on the following topics of interest taking place in Mahaska County:

- ♣ County-wide rural broadband service that the county is undertaking with MCG who is currently laying the fiber optic network.
- ♣ The budget statement notice regarding property taxes that was sent out by the Auditor's office last week as required by HF718 passed in May 2023.
- ♣ The adoption of the wage compensation plan for county employees and the FY25 percentage increase in salaries for Mahaska County's elected officials.
- ♣ Emergency services, 911 coverage and 28E agreements which govern these services.
- Mahaska County and the City of Oskaloosa are working together on the SE Connector bypass project.

No decisions were made.	
Attest:	
Teri Rogers	Mark Groenendyk
Mahaska County Auditor	Mahaska Co. Board of Supervisors