

Marshall County Conservation Board
Regular Meeting December 13, 2021
Grimes Farm and Conservation Center.....5:00 p.m.

President, Tom Deimerly called the regular meeting of the Marshall County Conservation to order on Monday, December 13 at the Grimes Farm and Conservation Center at 5:02 p.m.

Board members present were Pam Paone, Tom Mack, Tom Deimerly, Steve Armstrong, and Rich Naughton. Staff present was Mike Stegmann, Jeremiah Manken, and Tami Krough. Public present was Corey Damman from C&C Farms, Ed Paone, Chad Southard, and Heather Ward.

No changes were made to the agenda.

No public comment.

On a motion by Mack, seconded by Naughton, the Board approved the list of claims as presented with addendums. Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Deimerly, Armstrong, and Mack. Motion carried.

Sealed bids for 89.27 acres of cropland at Klauenberg, 19.21 acres will be managed as part of the ISU STRIPS program, were opened. Bidders present had the option to raise their bid if they desired after bid opening.

Bidders were:

- Chad Southard - \$225/acre

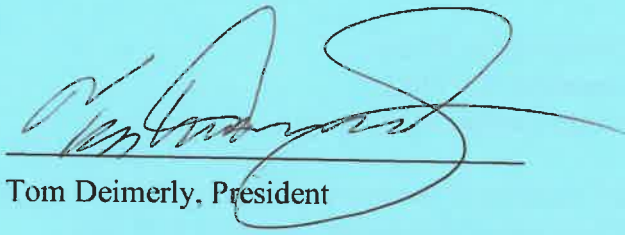
Corey Damman from C&C Farms chose to raise their bid to \$240/acre. Southard raised his bid to \$250/acre. Damman raised his bid to \$260/acre. Southard raised his bid to \$275/acre. Damman raised his bid to \$285/acre. Southard raised his bid to \$290/acre. Damman raised his bid to \$300/acre. Southard raised his bid to \$310/acre. Damman raised his bid to \$315/acre. Paone moved to accept the bid of C&C Farms for \$315/acre. Seconded by Naughton. Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Deimerly, Armstrong, and Mack. Motion carried.

Stegmann presented the lease for the undeveloped section of the Heart of Iowa Trail. Stegmann stated once the board approves it, it goes back to the County Attorney to present to the Pickards and use of UTVs will be for business purposes only. Stegman also stated, before any trees are cut, Pickards must call MCCB first. Paone moved to accept the lease for the undeveloped section of the Heart of Iowa. Armstrong seconded. Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Deimerly, Armstrong, and Mack. Motion carried.

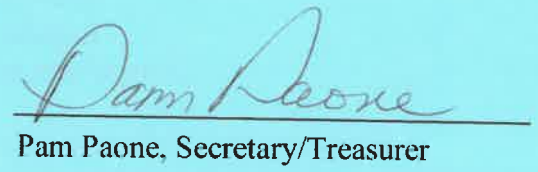
Stegmann asked for the board to approve to the Fiscal Year 2023 budget requests. Stegmann stated that the budget defense will be December 21 at 1:30 p.m. in the Election Center. Mack Moved to approve the FY23 budget requests. Naughton seconded. Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Deimerly, Armstrong, and Mack. Motion carried.

Non-action items: Sand Lake acquisition

Mack moved to adjourn at 5:22 p.m. Paone seconded Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Deimerly, Armstrong, and Mack. Motion carried.



Tom Deimerly, President



Pam Paone, Secretary/Treasurer