

Working Session-January 12,2026
Board of Supervisors
Board of Supervisors Office, Ottumwa, IA

Roll Call: Chair Darren Batterson; Vice Chair Carrie Teninty; Supervisor Bryan Ziegler, Kelly Spurgeon, Auditor; Don Phillips, Sheriff; Tim Richmond, EMA; Marty Wonderlin, Sheriff Dept; Karen Wilcoxson, Assistant to the Board of Supervisors; Tom Lazio; Peg Lazio; Deb Kent

1:15 p.m. Work Session Meeting called to order by Chair, Batterson. Motion by Supervisor Ziegler; Vice Chair Teninty, seconded. All ayes. Motion Carried.

This budget meeting discussed the county's revenue and expenditure. The discussion also covered union contract negotiations, overtime issues, and the need for a better reimbursement system. The County dipped into the insurance fund this year more than in previous years.

Discussion about an E-911 tower. The need for replacement and the expense it will cost.

Next Budget meeting will be January 22, 2026 @ 12:30 p.m.

4:43 p.m. a motion for the work session to adjourn was made by Vice Chair Teninty; seconded by Supervisor Ziegler. All ayes. Motion Carried.

Minutes submitted by: ksw