

Fremont County 2025 Resolutions

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-1

WHEREAS, motion was made by Sheldon to appoint Clint Blackburn as Board Chairman and motion by Dustin Sheldon as Board Vice-Chairman.

WHEREAS, the Board Chairman may make motions and vote as any other member of the Board.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January 2025, that Supervisor Blackburn is appointed Board Chairman and Supervisor Sheldon is appointed to the position of Vice-Chairman.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-2

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January 2025 that the Board will hold its regular meetings on Wednesday of each week in the office of the Fremont County Courthouse, Sidney, Iowa, commencing at 9:00 a.m. until business is concluded. Meetings for 2025 will begin on January 8, 2025.

Motion made by Sheldon.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-3

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January, 2025, that the 2025 committee appointments are as follows:

Supervisor Sheldon – Welcome Center Board, West Central Development, Landfill Commission, Local Emergency Response, Southwest Iowa Juvenile Emergency Services Board, Loess Hills Alliance, and Safety Committee.

Supervisor Blackburn – DECAT Board, DHS Service Advisory Board, Emergency Management Commission, Zion Recovery Board, Fourth Judicial District 28E Board, Board of Health, Corner Counties Early Childhood, Workforce Development, East & West Nishnabotna WMA, and REAP Commission.

Supervisor Shearer – Waubonsie Mental Health, Tourism Board, Loess Hills Authority, Hungry Canyons Authority, Hungry Canyons Alliance, Southwest Iowa Transit, Southwest Iowa Planning Council, SCIA, Regional Planning Affiliate Board, and Local Emergency Response.

Blackburn, Sheldon, and Shearer appointed to E911 Board with one vote.

Motion was made by Sheldon.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-4

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January 2025, that the Fremont-Mills Leader-Beacon and The Hamburg Reporter be designated as the County's official newspapers for 2025.

Motion to approve made by Blackburn.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-5

RESOLUTION APPOINTING EMINENT DOMAIN COMPENSATION COMMISSION

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January 2025, that the following persons are appointed as members of the Eminent Domain Compensation Commission for the year 2025.

PROPERTY VALUE OCCUPATION: Chris Johnson, Sidney, IA 51652, Karen Berry, Sidney, IA 51652, Phil Worcester, Sidney, IA 51652, Nicholas Clark, Tabor, IA 51653, Cindy Gregg, Hamburg, IA 51640, Kendra Johnson, Farragut, IA 51639,

Jay Longinaker, Randolph, IA 51649. REAL ESTATE: Denise Hammer, Tabor, IA 51653, Cory Gordon, Randolph, IA 51649,

Dan Holliman, Hamburg, IA 51640, Nancy Vanatta, Sidney, IA 51652, Jenna Gregory, Sidney, IA 51652, Janell McIntyre, Farragut, IA 51639, Doug Shirley, Sidney, IA 51652. CITY PROPERTY OWNERS: Staci Shearer, Farragut, IA 51639, Rita Lorimor, Sidney, IA 51652, Alan Dovel, Hamburg, IA 51640, Tina Apperson, Hamburg, IA 51640, Kristin Blackburn, Tabor, IA, 51653 Brendon Hardy, Sidney, IA 51652, Paul Hutt, Sidney, IA 51652. FARMERS: John Askew, Thurman, IA 51654,

Bob Benton, Tabor, IA 51653, H. Frances Lorimor, Sidney, IA 51652, Dave Roberts, Sidney, IA 51652, Pat Sheldon, Percival, IA 51648, Steve Lorimor, Farragut, IA 51639, Justin Ewalt, Sidney, IA 51652.

Motion to approve made by Blackburn.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-6

Authorization of County Auditor to Issue Warrants

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Fremont County, Iowa, hereby authorize the Fremont County Auditor, Dee Owen, to issue warrants for fixed charges including, but not limited to freight, postage, utilities, telephone service, contractual services, insurance premiums, and invoices allowing discounts. Any prepayment of civil service fees submitted by the County Attorney's Office or County Sheriff's Office and emergency general assistance claims. These claims shall be audited and allowed at the next regular claim date. The County Auditor is further authorized to issue warrants for salaries and payrolls as approved by the Board of Supervisors, all according to Section 331.506 of the Code of Iowa.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fremont County Board of Supervisors adopt the Resolution - Authorization

of County Auditor to Issue Warrants for 2025.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-7

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January 2025, that the 2024 taxable utilities – payable 25/26 as certified to the Auditor by the Iowa State Department of Revenue and Finance be approved, collected, and disposed of as regular taxes, according to taxing district.

Taxable: Railroads 25,152,194, Pipeline 4,349,981, Transmission Lines 2,807,182, Electric 12,969,425, Gas 924,742
Total: 46,203,523

Motion to approve made by Sheldon.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-8

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January 2025, that the following individuals shall be approved as staff for the Office of the Fremont County Auditor, as requested by Fremont County Auditor Dee Owen. The effective date of appointment shall be January 2nd, 2025: Cassie Gilbert – Assistant Auditor; Kristi Clark – Assistant Auditor; Jessica Richardson – Assistant Auditor.

Motion made by Blackburn.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-9

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January, 2025, that the following individuals shall be approved as Deputies for the Fremont County Sheriff's Department, as requested by Fremont County Sheriff Kevin Aistrope. The effective date of employment shall be January 1, 2025:

Timothy Bothwell - Chief Deputy, Andrew Wake – Sergeant, Ashton Luke – Sergeant, Michael Wake – Deputy, Jacob Degase – Deputy, Michael Cisneros – Deputy, Joshua Degase – Deputy, Mitchell Bowden – Deputy, Logan Roberts – Deputy/SRO

Motion was made by Sheldon.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-10

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January, 2025, that the

following individual shall be approved as a Jailer for the Fremont County Sheriff's Department, as requested by Fremont County Sheriff Kevin Aistrope. The effective date of employment shall be October 4, 2025:

Kasie L. Parr

Motion was made by Shearer.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

Resolution No. 2025-11

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 2nd day of January 2025, that Room and Board rates for the Fremont County Jail be increased from \$50 per day to \$80 per day, effective January 1, 2025, as requested by Fremont County Sheriff Kevin Aistrope.

Motion was made by Sheldon.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-12

CONSTRUCTION EVALUATION RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Iowa Code section 459.304(3) sets out the procedure if a board of supervisors wishes to adopt a "construction evaluation resolution" relating to the construction of a confinement feeding operation structure; and

WHEREAS, only counties that have adopted a construction evaluation resolution can submit to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) an adopted recommendation to approve or disapprove a construction permit application regarding a proposed confinement feeding operation structure; and

WHEREAS, only counties that have adopted a construction evaluation resolution and submitted an adopted recommendation may contest the DNR's decision regarding a specific application; and

WHEREAS, by adopting a construction evaluation resolution the board of supervisors agrees to evaluate every construction permit application for a proposed confinement feeding operation structure received by the board of supervisors between February 1, 2025, and January 31, 2026, and submit an adopted recommendation regarding that application to the DNR; and

WHEREAS, the board of supervisors must conduct an evaluation of every construction permit application using the master matrix created in Iowa Code section 459.305, but the board's recommendation to the DNR may be based on the final score on the master matrix or may be based on reasons other than the final score on the master matrix;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF FREMONT COUNTY that the Board of Supervisors hereby adopts this construction evaluation resolution pursuant to Iowa Code section 459.304(3).

ATTEST:

/s/ Kristi Clark
County Assistant Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn
Chair, Board of Supervisors

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-13

RECORD OF HEARING AND DETERMINATION ON THE BUDGET AMENDMENT And CHANGE OF APPROPRIATIONS

On this 15th day of January 2025, the Fremont County Board of Supervisors met in session for the purpose of amending the current operating budget adopted April 23rd, 2024. The notice and time and place of hearing was published on April 11th & April 12th, 2024. The amendment was taken up and considered and taxpayers heard for or against the amendment as follows and the amendment passed unanimously:

Expenditures	From	To	Difference
Public Safety & Legal Services	3,886,094	3,920,605	34,511
Roads & Transportation	5,595,000	5,752,317	157,317
Administration	1,964,217	2,283,513	319,296
Total	11,445,311	11,956,435	511,124
Operating Transfers Out	1,663,354	1,820,671	157,317
Revenues			
Charges for Services	374,465	384,025	9,560
Operating Transfer In	1,663,354	1,820,671	157,317
Total	2,037,819	2,204,696	166,877
Appropriations			
Auditor	370,852	377,587	6735
Sheriff	2,692,389	2,726,900	34,511
Secondary Roads	9,450,000	9,607,317	157,317
Non-Departmental	2,412,734	2,725,295	312,561
Total	14,925,975	15,437,099	511,124

Amendment for health insurance for auditor, ARPA funds, miscellaneous expenses for sheriff's office.

Motion to approve made by Sheldon.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-14

STOP AT INTERSECTION RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: The Board of Supervisors is empowered under authority of Sections 321.236 and 321.255 of the Code of Iowa to designate any secondary road intersection under their jurisdiction as a STOP intersection and to erect STOP signs at one or more entrances to such intersection, and

WHEREAS: Traffic on 400th Avenue is endangered by traffic from the following roads: 3rd St. and 1st St. in Section 10, T70N-R40W in Monroe Township,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors
That 1st St. and 3rd St. approaches from the East be designated as a "STOP approach" to the above-described intersection and that a STOP sign shall be erected accordingly.

Motion to approve made by Sheldon.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye

RESOLUTION No. 2025-15

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors, hereafter referred to as "the Board", believes the FM-CO36(97)--55-36 for L68, FM-CO36(96)--55-36 for L44/Bluff RD, FM-CO36(94)--55-36 for J40/Manti RD, hereafter referred to as "the project" is in the best interest of Fremont, Iowa, and the residents thereof. The project is defined as Seal Coat and Reclamation; and

WHEREAS, the Board has sought appropriate professional guidance for the concept and planning for the project and followed the steps as required by the Code of Iowa for notifications, hearings, and bidding/letting; and

WHEREAS, The Board finds this resolution appropriate and necessary to protect, preserve, and improve the rights, privileges, property, peace, safety, health, welfare, comfort, and convenience of Fremont County and its citizens, all as provided for in and permitted by section 331.301 of the Code of Iowa; and

IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED by Board to accept the bid from MANATT'S INC in the amount of \$1,413,269.48 and awards the associated contract(s) to the same;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all other resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed. If any part of this resolution is adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the resolution or action of The Board as a whole or any part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its approval as provided by law; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Fremont County, Iowa, that after receiving the necessary contract documents, including but not limited to, the contractor's bond and certificate of insurance, Daniel R. Davis, the County Engineer for Fremont County, Iowa, be and is hereby designated, authorized, and empowered on behalf of the Board of Supervisors of said County to execute the contracts in connection with the afore awarded construction project let through the DOT for this county.

Dated at Fremont County, Iowa, this 29th day of January, 2025.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-16

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 12th day of February 2025, that the following individual shall be approved as a Deputy for the Fremont County Sheriff's Department, as requested by Fremont County Sheriff Kevin Aistrope. The effective date of employment shall be February 12, 2025: Steven Dale Owen Deputy

Attest:

/s/ Kristi Clark
Fremont County Assistant Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-17

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF FREMONT, IOWA

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors of Fremont County, Iowa held a duly authorized regular meeting on the 12th day of March, 2025; WHEREAS, at said meeting the following resolution was passed and adopted:
RESOLUTION NO. 2025-17

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF FREMONT, IOWA

That the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fremont, Iowa hereby make the following resolution.

WHEREAS, a resolution has been passed and adopted entitled "Resolution Approving and Authorizing the Execution of a Certain Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement for the Purpose of Creating a Multi-County Housing Authority."

NOW, THEREFORE, Pursuant to the provision of Chapter 28E. Code of Iowa, and by virtue of our office as Supervisors, we hereby appoint Tuesday Leseberg for Three years, as the one (1) person to serve as Commissioner of the Southern Iowa Regional Housing Authority, representing the County of Fremont Iowa, and to serve for the number of years appearing after her name, respectively, from the 9th day of April, 2025.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name as Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fremont, Iowa and caused the official corporate seal of said County of Fremont Iowa to be attached hereto this 12th day of March, 2025.

Fremont County, Iowa

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen, Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn

Chairman of the Board of Supervisors

RESOLUTION 2025-18

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors that the following salaries be in effect commencing on the 1st day of July 2025, for the supervisory and non-union personnel in the Secondary Road Department.

MAINTENANCE SUPERINTENDENT: \$30.45 per hour salary

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: \$25.66 per hour salary

ASSISTANT TO ENGINEER: \$37.03 per hour salary

ENGINEER: \$119,773.00 salary

Motion made by Sheldon and seconded by Shearer.

Approved this 19th day of March, 2025.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen, Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman

aye

/s/ Dustin Sheldon

aye

/s/ Jeff Shearer

aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-19

A RESOLUTION DECLARING SURPLUS PROPERTY AND SETTING DISPOSITION BY PUBLIC AUCTION

WHEREAS, Fremont County, Iowa, is a municipal corporation existing under the laws of the State of Iowa; and,

WHEREAS, Fremont County, Iowa, owns certain real property locally known as 200 Main St., Hamburg, IA and legally described as: Northern Half of Lot Four (N½ Lot 4) and all of Lot 5 (Lot 5), in Block Nineteen (19) in Phelps Addition to the City of Hamburg, Fremont County, Iowa. as shown in the attached Plat of Survey.

WHEREAS, Fremont County, Iowa, no longer has a use for the above-described real estate parcel listed above; it should be declared surplus and sold at public auction with all proceeds from the sale deposited in the general fund of Fremont County, Iowa. THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the above-described real estate is declared surplus property and shall be disposed of at public auction.

Passed and approved by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors on April 9, 2025.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen, Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye

/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye

/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-20

A RESOLUTION DECLARING SURPLUS PROPERTY AND SETTING DISPOSITION BY PUBLIC AUCTION

WHEREAS, Fremont County, Iowa, is a municipal corporation existing under the laws of the State of Iowa; and,

WHEREAS, Fremont County, Iowa, owns certain real property locally known and legally described as:

Lots 6 and 7, Block 124, in the City of Hamburg, Fremont County, IA

as shown in the attached Plat of Survey. WHEREAS, Fremont County, Iowa, no longer has a use for the above-described real estate parcel listed above; it should be declared surplus and sold at public auction with all proceeds from the sale deposited in the general fund of Fremont County, Iowa. THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the above-described real estate is declared surplus property and shall be disposed of at public auction.

Passed and approved by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors on April 9, 2025.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen, Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman aye

/s/ Dustin Sheldon aye

/s/ Jeff Shearer aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-21

RESOLUTION FOR SALARY RECOMMENDATIONS

WHEREAS, the Fremont County Compensation Board meets annually to recommend a compensation schedule for elected officials for the fiscal year immediately following, in accordance with Iowa Code Chapters 331.905 and 331.907, and

WHEREAS, the Fremont County Compensation Board has recommended an increase of pay of 10% for all Elected Officials, and

THEREFORE, be it resolved, after considerable discussion, that the raises from the Fremont County Board of Supervisors are as follows for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025:

<u>Elected Official</u>	<u>Current Salary</u>	<u>Proposed Increase</u>	<u>Recommended Salary</u>
Auditor	\$67,072	3.5%	\$69,420
County Attorney	\$88,821	3.5%	\$91,930
Recorder	\$66,457	3.5%	\$68,783
Sheriff	\$94,019	7.5%	\$101,070
Supervisors	\$35,504	3.5%	\$36,747
Treasurer	\$66,457	3.5%	\$68,783

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fremont County Board of Supervisors approve the following salary adjustments for the above-elected officials for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025.

Motion made by Shearer.

ATTEST:

/s/ Kristi Clark, Assistant Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman

aye

/s/ Dustin Sheldon

aye

/s/ Jeff Shearer

aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-22

RESOLUTION FOR APPROPRIATIONS

WHEREAS, it is desired to make appropriations for each of the different officers and department for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025, in accordance with Section 331.434, Subsection 6, Code of Iowa.

THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors on this 16th day of April, 2025, the following:

1. The amounts itemized by fund and department on the attached schedule are hereby appropriated from the resources/funds as shown.
2. Subject to the provisions of other county procedures and regulations, and applicable state law, the appropriations authorized under number 1 shall constitute an authorization for the department/officer listed to make expenditures or incur obligations from the itemized fund, effective July 1, 2025.
3. In accordance with 331.437, Code of Iowa, no Department/Officer shall incur any liability in excess of the amount appropriated to this resolution.
4. If, at any time during the 2025/2026 budget year the Auditor ascertains that the available resources of a fund will be less than said fund's total appropriations, he/she shall immediately inform the Board and recommend appropriate corrective action.
5. The Auditor shall establish separate accounts for the appropriations authorized in number 1. The Auditor shall report the status of such accounts to the applicable Departments/Officers monthly during the 2025/2026 budget year.
6. All appropriations authorized pursuant to this resolution lapse at the close of business on June 30, 2026. The above and foregoing resolution was adopted by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors on Wednesday, April 16th, 2025.

The Fremont County Board of Supervisors, meeting in session on this 16th day of April, 2025, do hereby resolve to appropriate the amounts itemized by department for the fiscal year 2025/2026.

All appropriations authorized pursuant to this resolution lapse at the close of business June 30, 2026:

Board of Supervisors 204,971

Medical Examiner 45,000

Auditor 388,010

Court Administration 0,000

Treasurer 389,614

District Court 5,000

County Attorney 340,962

County Library 48,135

Sheriff 2,882,648

Communications 597,470

Recorder 310,519

Courthouse 150,820

County Farm 10,000

Data Processing 324,354

General Assistance 21,838
Local Option Tax Fund 419,530
Secondary Road 8,366,000
Veterans Affairs 68,405
Conservation Board 345,186
Health Board/Sanitation 54,955
Weed Eradication 6,620
Social Services 22,200

GRAND TOTAL: \$18,789,870

Motion made by Shearer.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 16th day of April, 2025.

Elections 80,850
Bonds (LEC & ISICS) 586,548
Juvenile Court Services 97,263
Home Health 169,254
Emergency Management 115,510
Landfill 55,736
Non-Departmental 2,682,472

ATTEST:

/s/ Kristi Clark, Assistant Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman

aye

/s/ Dustin Sheldon

aye

/s/ Jeff Shearer

aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-23

ADOPTION OF BUDGET AND CERTIFICATION OF TAXES

Fiscal Year July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026

At the meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Fremont County, held during public hearing as required by law, on April 16, 2025, the proposed budget for July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026, was adopted as summarized and tax levies voted on all taxable property of this County.

The property tax levies will be levied as follows:

GENERAL BASIC	3.70085
GENERAL SUPPLEMENTAL	2.45000
RURAL BASIC	3.20388
DEBT SERVICE	0.75436

And approved a 7.5% increase for the Sheriff, a 3.5% increase for the Attorney, Auditor, Recorder, Treasurer, and Supervisors as follows:

Attorney	\$91,930
Auditor	\$69,420
Recorder	\$68,783
Treasurer	\$68,783
Supervisors	\$36,747
Sheriff	\$101,070

Motion made by Shearer and approved April 16, 2025.

ATTEST:

/s/ Kristi Clark, Assistant Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman

aye

/s/ Dustin Sheldon

aye

/s/ Jeff Shearer

aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-24

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 23rd day of April, 2025, that the following order for destruction of noxious weeds be effective June 1, 2025.

1. That each owner and each person in the possession or control of any land in Fremont County shall cut, burn, spray, or otherwise destroy all noxious weeds thereon and shall prevent weed seeds from blooming or coming to maturity, and shall keep said lands free from such growth of any other weeds as shall render the streets or highways adjoining said land unsafe for public travel.

Noxious weeds shall be cut, burned, sprayed, or otherwise destroyed on or before the following dates and as often thereafter as is necessary to prevent seed production:

Group 1: June 1, 2025 - for Leafy Spurge, Perennial Peppergrass, Sour Dock, Sheep Sorrow, Canada Thistle, Russian Knapweed, Buckhorn, Wild Mustard, Musk Thistle, Bull Thistle, and all other species of thistle

Group 2: July 1, 2025 - for Field Bindweed, Wild Carrot

Group 3: August 1, 2025- for Horse Nettle, Perennial Sow Thistle, Quack Grass, Butter Print, Puncture Vine, Cocklebur, Hemp, Shatter Cane, Wild Sunflower, and Palmer Amaranth

2. That each owner and person in possession or control of any lands in Fremont County, infested with any noxious weeds, including Quack Grass, Perennial Sow Thistle, Canada Thistle, Field Bindweed, Horse Nettle, Leafy Spurge, Perennial Peppergrass, Russian Knapweed, Hemp, any species of Thistle, and Palmer amaranth shall adopt a program of weed destruction described by the Weed Commissioner, which in five years may be expected to destroy and will immediately keep under control such infestations of said noxious weeds.

3. That if the owners or persons in possession/control of any land in Fremont County fail to comply with the foregoing order, the Weed Commissioner shall cause this to be done and the expense of said work, including costs of serving notice and other costs, if any, to be assessed against the land and the owners thereof.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman	aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon	aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer	aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-25

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 23rd day of April 2025, that the following transfer of funds be approved and made: \$15,000.00 from the General Basic Fund to the State Contingency Debt Service Fund for loan payment #4 for the 2019 Flood Debris Removal.

Motion to approve transfer made by Shearer.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman	aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon	aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer	aye

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-26

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fremont County Board of Supervisors this 23rd day of April, 2025, that the following individual shall be approved as a Deputy for the Fremont County Sheriff's Department, as requested by Fremont County Sheriff Kevin Aistrophe. The effective date of employment shall be April 21, 2025:

Justin Phillips - Deputy

Motion was made by Shearer.

ATTEST:

/s/ Dee Owen
Fremont County Auditor

/s/ Clint Blackburn, Chairman	aye
/s/ Dustin Sheldon	aye
/s/ Jeff Shearer	aye

