The Board met in session at the Linn County Jean Oxley Public Service Center. Present: Chairperson Walker and Vice Chairperson Rogers and Supervisor Oleson. Board members voting “AYE” unless otherwise noted.

Chairperson Walker called the meeting to order.

Motion by Walker, seconded by Rogers to approve minutes of September 25, 2019 as printed.

The Board heard updates from the following Elected Officials:

Jerry Vander Sanden, Attorney – addressed additional office space needs in the Courthouse; Supervisor Rogers suggested the Vet’s Memorial building; will be asking for two new assistants and a legal assistant as well as an exhibit technician for the increase in video evidence.

Joan McCalmant, Recorder – annual Iowa Dept. of Public Health inspection took place last week; REAL ID has increased traffic to their office; birth and death records are now digitized; Sheriff Gardner chosen to be 3rd Vice President of ISAC.

Sharon Gonzalez, Treasurer – another tax season is complete; voiced her concerns regarding Facilities denying her request to move overhead bins in her office; blackout plates are very popular; cross county titling is an ISAC proposal for the Treasurer’s Association.

Supervisor Oleson stated that he received an anonymous letter about her office and Gonzalez stated that she would meet with the Supervisor’s individually to discuss.

Joel Miller, Auditor and Rebecca Stonawski, Deputy Auditor – discussed HAVA complaint that was filed on the Secretary of State regarding inadequate security of TVoters; Miller asked for representation from the County Attorney’s Office and his request was denied.

Stonawski continued: still waiting for signature on MOU with Vet’s Memorial; City/School election mailer has been sent out; NPPO (Non-party Political Organizations) filing dates have changed.

Miller continued: 18 of 19 Township AFR’s (annual financial reports) due on September 30th have been received; will be on Ethical Perspectives Program regarding election integrity.

Adjournment at 9:50 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

JOEL D. MILLER, Linn County Auditor
By: Amanda Hoy, Executive Assistant

Approved by:

STACEY WALKER, Chairperson
Board of Supervisors