

POSTVILLE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SPECIAL MEETING 02.23.2026

Postville Community School District  
Special Meeting of the School Board  
02/23/2026 - 04:30 PM  
Postville CSD Fine Arts Center Lobby

MEETING MINUTES

Attendance

Voting Members

Teresa Berg, Board Member  
Mary Huinker, Board Member  
Eric Meyer, Board Vice-President  
Mike Sass, Board Member

1. Call to Order

Vice-President Meyer called the special meeting of the Postville Board of Directors to Order at 4:30 pm.

2. Welcome Visitors

Vice-President Meyer welcomed all visitors.

3. Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve the agenda with a discussion item added.

Motion made by: Teresa Berg

Motion seconded by: Mary Huinker

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

4. Action Items

a. Approve the 2026-2027 At-Risk Drop Out Prevention Plan

Motion to approve the 2026-2027 At-Risk Drop Out Prevention Plan.

Motion made by: Teresa Berg

Motion seconded by: Mike Sass

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

b. Steve Gill Contract Professional Development 26-27

Motion to approve a contract with Steve Gill for Professional Development.

Motion made by: Mary Huinker

Motion seconded by: Teresa Berg

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

c. Discussion Item

A discussion took place regarding the potential location change of the Rise Alternative School.

5. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn at 4:41 pm.

Motion made by: Teresa Berg

Motion seconded by: Mary Huinker

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

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ALLAMAKEE COUNTY BOS • MINUTES 02-23-2026

MINUTES OF THE ALLAMAKEE  
COUNTY BOARD OF  
SUPERVISORS MONDAY,  
FEBRUARY 23, 2026  
(UNOFFICIAL)

Board members present: Keatley, Byrnes; Clark absent. All members voting "AYE" unless noted.

Meeting called to order by Supervisor Byrnes, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

26.075-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to approve today's agenda and minutes from February 16, 2026. Motion Carried.

The following people were present at various times throughout the meeting in person or via Zoom: Joseph Moses – Waukon Standard, Denise Beyer – Auditor and Clerk to Supervisors, Mike Hohenbrink – Postville Herald, Rachele Howe, Val Reinke, Laurie Moody, Stephanie Runkle, Michael Coyle, Jim Pladsen.

Public Comment: Val Reinke reviewed weekend events in the county. Rachele Howe will be going to Des Moines this week and asked Supervisors if there are any topics they would like her to bring up. Supervisors shared concerns regarding how taking away Local

Option Sales Tax money would affect counties and reducing E-911 surcharge funds to counties. Rachele Howe and Michael Coyle

presented same resolution as last week with a different project listed in the grant application. Original project didn't match with the timing of the funds; changed the project to an MRI to replace the current mobile MRI.

26.076-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to approve resolution to support, authorize and submit an application to Congresswoman Ashley Hinson's Community Project Fund on behalf of Veterans Memorial Hospital with project change to MRI machine. Roll call: Keatley-aye; Byrnes-aye; Clark-ABSENT. Motion carried. (Full text of resolution available in Auditor's office)

Val Reinke and others have developed a planning committee for creating a Leadership Institute and are requesting a sponsor for a grant application for funding the Leadership Institute.

26.077-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to approve Allamakee County as fiscal sponsor for Allamakee County Economic Development grant application. Motion carried.

26.078-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to approve resolution of subdivision plat for David T. Lensing. Roll call: Keatley-aye; Byrnes-aye; Clark-ABSENT. Motion carried. (Full text of resolution available in Auditor's office)

26.079-Motion Keatley/Second By-

rnes to approve resolution of subdivision plat for James A. Hanson. Roll call: Keatley-aye; Byrnes-aye; Clark-ABSENT. Motion carried. (Full text of resolution available in Auditor's office)

26.080-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to approve resolution of subdivision plat for Kevin Bentien. Roll call: Keatley-aye; Byrnes-aye; Clark-ABSENT. Motion carried. (Full text of resolution available in Auditor's office)

26.081-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to approve resolution of subdivision plat for Thomas & Angela Weighner. Roll call: Keatley-aye; Byrnes-aye; Clark-ABSENT. Motion carried. (Full text of resolution available in Auditor's office)

26.082-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to approve use of the county credit card for trainings up to \$450 up to three times/individuals. Motion carried.

Department Head updates: Auditor Beyer gave department update. Stephanie Runkle gave planning & zoning updates.

26.083-Motion Keatley/Second Byrnes to adjourn. Motion carried. Dan Byrnes, Chairperson Pro-Tem ATTEST:

Denise Beyer - Auditor  
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