

WOODBURY COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM(S) REQUEST FORM

Date: 12/1/2023 Weekly Agenda Date: 12/05/2023

ELECTED OFFICIAL / DEPARTMENT HEAD / CITIZEN: Chairman Matthew Ung

WORDING FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Approval to set a roundtable meeting with Iowa's regional legislators

ACTION REQUIRED:

Approve Ordinance

Approve Resolution

Approve Motion

Public Hearing

Other: Informational

Attachments

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

While the media and public are encouraged to attend, the purpose and focus of this roundtable with county supervisors and state legislators is for local and state policymakers to dialogue.

BACKGROUND:

With the 2024 legislative session approaching, our state legislators would benefit from hearing how our counties budget and function to provide essential services to our shared constituents. It would also benefit our supervisors to receive pertinent updates and have the opportunity to answer any questions from state legislators in a collaborative setting.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

I will coordinate with department heads such as the county engineer, finance director, and potentially others in presenting concise legislative requests. In advance of the roundtable, we should also discuss ideas from board members and agree on a few priority items to list on an agenda.

IF THERE IS A CONTRACT INVOLVED IN THE AGENDA ITEM, HAS THE CONTRACT BEEN SUBMITTED AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR AND ANSWERED WITH A REVIEW BY THE COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE?

Yes No

RECOMMENDATION:

Prior to the roundtable, the Woodbury County Board will publish an agenda of topics which will include time for legislative updates. The meeting will be recorded by Woodbury County and made available.

ACTION REQUIRED / PROPOSED MOTION:

Set a public roundtable meeting in the basement boardroom of the Woodbury County Courthouse for December 15 at 3:30pm, and invite Iowa's area legislators and supervisors to attend the roundtable hosted by the Woodbury County Board of Supervisors.