

Resolution 2019-14

A Resolution Adopting an Updated Official County Seal that is to be used on all Official Ballots of the County.

WHEREAS, HF 692 sets new requirements for placing the county seal on ballots and removes the facsimile signature of the county commissioner of elections (county auditor) from the ballots.

WHEREAS, House File 692, approved earlier this year, amended Iowa Code §43.36, §49.51, and §49.57 by removing the current requirement in these sections to include a facsimile of the signature of the county commissioner of elections (county auditor) on the ballots subject to these statutes. These bills also added a requirement that the county seal of the county be placed on the ballots provided for in these statutes. HF 692 also amended Iowa Code §49.82 to provide a general bar on placing the name or signature of the commissioner of elections on a ballot except where the commissioner is listed as one of the candidates for election on the ballot.

WHEREAS, the specifications for the county seal are provided by Iowa Code Section §331.552 (4) requiring the following: (1) the seal to be an impression seal (2) on the seal shall be (a) the name of the county, (b) the words "county" and "treasurer" which may be abbreviated, (c) the word "Iowa".

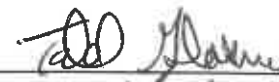




NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Emmet County Board of Supervisors hereby approve adopting an updated Official County Seal to be used on the official ballots of the county with the specifications for the county seal as provided by Iowa Code Section §331.552 (4). Refer to Exhibit A.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 18th day of June, 2019.



Chairperson Board of Supervisors

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Emmet County, Iowa, at a regular meeting held on 6/18/2019, by the following vote:

AYES:  _____ NAYS: _____
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ATTEST:


Amy M. Sathoff
Auditor & Commissioner of Elections

EXHIBIT A

COUNTY HOME RULE IMPLEMENTATION, §331.552

331.552 General duties.

The treasurer shall:

1. Receive all money payable to the county unless otherwise provided by law.
2. Disburse money owed or payable by the county on warrants or checks drawn and signed by the auditor and sealed with the official county seal.
3. Keep a true account of all receipts and disbursements of the county, which account shall be available for inspection by the board at any reasonable time.
4. Keep the official county seal provided by the county. The official seal shall be an impression seal on the face of which shall appear the name of the county, the word "county" which may be abbreviated, the word "treasurer" which may be abbreviated, and the word "Iowa".
5. Account for, report, and pay into the state treasury any money, property, or securities received on behalf of the state as provided in sections 8A.506 to 8A.508.
6. Account for and report to the board the amount of swampland indemnity funds received from the treasurer of state under section 12.16.
7. Register and call tax anticipatory warrants issued for a memorial hospital as provided under section 37.30.
8. Serve on a nomination appeals commission to hear nomination objections filed with the county commissioner of elections as provided in section 44.7.
9. Keep on file the bond and oath of the auditor as provided in section 64.23.
10. Reserved.
11. Serve as treasurer of an area hospital located outside the corporate limits of a city as provided in section 145A.15.
12. Register and call anticipatory warrants related to the sale of limestone as provided in section 353.8.
13. Make transfer payments to the state for school expenses for blind and deaf children and support of persons with mental illness as provided in sections 230.21, 269.2, and 270.7.
14. Transfer funds to pay the expenses of creating or changing the boundaries of a school district as provided in section 275.26.
15. Transfer funds to pay tuition expenses owed by a debtor school district to a creditor school district as provided in section 282.21.
16. Pay to the treasurers of the school corporations located in the county the taxes and other moneys due as provided in section 298.11 and send amounts collected for each fund of a school corporation for direct deposit into the depository and account designated as provided in section 298.13.
17. Pay monthly to the treasurer of state proceeds of public lands sold and escheated estates as provided in section 257B.2 and pay annually on February 1 interest collected from public lands sold on credit as provided in section 257B.5.
18. Maintain a permanent school fund account and records of school funds received as provided in section 257B.31.
19. Carry out duties relating to the sale and redemption of anticipatory certificates for secondary road construction as provided in sections 309.50 to 309.55.
20. Carry out duties relating to the establishment of secondary road assessment districts as provided in chapter 311.
21. Carry out duties relating to the sale and redemption of county bonds as provided in subchapter IV, parts 3 and 4.
22. Notify the chairperson of the county hospital board of trustees and pay to the hospital treasurer the tax revenue collected for the county hospital during the preceding month as provided in section 347A.1.
23. Collect a fee of twenty dollars for issuing a tax sale certificate.
24. Carry out duties relating to the condemnation of property as provided in section 331.656, subsection 4.
25. Carry out duties relating to the funding of drainage districts as provided in chapter 468, subchapter I, parts 1 to 5, chapter 468, subchapter II, parts 1, 5, and 6, chapter 468, subchapter III, and chapter 468, subchapter IV, parts 1 and 2.