Tuesday, March 14, 2017 the Jasper County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at 9:30 a.m. with Supervisors Brock, Carpenter and Cupples present and accounted for; Chairman Brock presiding.

Human Resources Director, Dennis Simon, presented to the Board a resolution to hire a part-time female jailer for the sheriff's Office and a site manager for the Elderly Nutrition Department.

Motion by Cupples, seconded by Carpenter to adopt Resolution 17-14, certifying the following appointments to the Auditor for payroll implementation:

<u>DEPARTMENT</u>	POSITION	<u>EMPLOYEE</u>	PAY RATE	RANGE/STEP	EFFECTIVE DATE
Sheriff's Office	Part-Time Female Jailer	Makennah Walters	\$18.10	Hire-in Non-progressive Scale	03/16/2017
Elderly Nutrition	Site Manager (Monroe)	Shawn Dobbs	\$13.19	1 Year Non-progressive Scale	03/14/2017

YEA: CARPENTER, CUPPLES, BROCK

A complete copy of the resolution is on file in the Office of the Jasper County Auditor.

Buildings and Grounds Director, Adam Sparks, presented to the Supervisors quotes for the purchase of a new mower and they are as follows:

52" Toro Zero Turn	Farver True Value	\$ 8,607.84
54" John Deere Z915E	Van-Wall Equipment, Inc.	\$ 8,780.95
52" GrassHopper	Kellogg Lawn & Snow	\$10,598.75
54" Kohler Maverick	Killduff Supply Company	\$ 7,949.00
54" Hustler Fastrax Sox	Smith's Quality Rental	\$ 7,482.00

It was determined by the Board that because of the larger bagger capacity, bigger gas tank, and larger size of engine it would be more cost effective in the long run to purchase the John Deere Z915E and save on man hours.

Motion by Cupples, seconded by Brock to purchase a 54" John Deere Z915E from Van-Wall Equipment, Inc. for the price of \$8,780.95.

YEA: CARPENTER, BROCK, CUPPLES

Motion by Carpenter, seconded by Cupples to approve the Recorder's Monthly report for the period beginning February 1, 2017 and ending February 28, 2017.

YEA: CUPPLES, CARPENTER, BROCK

Motion by Carpenter, seconded by Cupples to approve Board of Supervisors minutes for 03/07/2017.

YEA: BROCK, CARPENTER, CUPPLES

There were no Board appointments.

Motion by Carpenter, seconded by Cupples to adjourn the Tuesday, March 14, 2017 meeting of the Jasper County Board of Supervisors.

YEA: CUPPLES, BROCK, CARPENTER

Dennis K. Parrott, Auditor	Joe Brock, Chairman