

Friday, January 2, 2026, the Jasper County Board of Supervisors met for a special board meeting at 9:30 a.m. with Supervisors Talsma, Nearmyer and Cupples present and accounted for; Chairman Talsma presiding.

Motion by Talsma, seconded by Nearmyer to appoint Thad Nearmyer as Chairman of Board of Supervisors for 2026 and to nominate Brandon Talsma as Vice Chairman of Board of Supervisors for 2026.

YEA: TALSMA, CUPPLES, NEARMYER

Motion by Nearmyer, seconded by Cupples to adopt Resolution 26-01 Establishing Board Meetings, to continue the first four Tuesdays of each month of 2026 at 9:30 a.m. in the Board of Supervisors room (203) of the Jasper County Courthouse, and in compliance with Iowa Code Chapter 21.

YEA: CUPPLES, TALSMA, NEARMYER

Motion by Nearmyer, seconded by Cupples to designate the Official Newspapers as: Newton Daily News, Jasper County Tribune, and Hometown Press.

YEA: TALSMA, NEARMYER, CUPPLES

Board discussed the Recorder's Office Vacancy.

Motion by Nearmyer, seconded by Cupples to have the Board of Supervisors fill the vacancy in the Recorder's Office by appointment.

YEA: TALSMA, NEARMYER, CUPPLES

Motion by Cupples, seconded by Nearmyer for Board of Supervisors in the appointment process of the Jasper County Recorder to accept applications until January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2026, and set the interview date for said position on January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 2 p.m. in the Board of Supervisors room (203). Decision by the Board of Supervisors will be announced during the January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2026, Board of Supervisors meeting.

YEA: TALSMA, NEARMYER, CUPPLES

Motion by Cupples, seconded by Nearmyer to adjourn the Friday, January 2, 2026, meeting of the Jasper County Board of Supervisors.

YEA: TALSMA, NEARMYER, CUPPLES

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Mackenzie Henning, Auditor Clerk

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Brandon Talsma, Vice Chairman