MINUTES OF THE IOWA COUNTY AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION COUNCIL

March 11, 2014, 6:00 p.m.

The regular meeting of the Iowa County Extension Council was held on March 11, 2014, at the extension office in Williamsburg, Ia. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Russ Collingwood at 6:00 p.m. with the following members attending: Leo Rudolphi, Russ Collingwood, Sean Wetjen, Brent Ness, Erin Meyer, Colleen Conrad Absent: Matt Steinmetz, Brad Glandorf, Joe Semler Others: Gene Mohling

Erin Meyer moved to approve the minutes of the February 11, 2014. 2nd by Leo Rudolphi Carried unanimously.

A motion to approve the treasurer's report balance of $111,499.21 in MM, $50 in the Cash Box and $1974.21 in checking was made by Brent Ness. 2nd by Leo Rudolphi Carried unanimously.

Brent Ness moved to approve checks 10869--10892 plus EFT’s. 2nd by Seam Wetjen. Carried unanimously.

Program Update: PPAT sessions in April, Operation ReLeaf, PQA Plus and TQA Plus, Ag newsletter and Region 15 e-News provided, fruit sales in 4-H, PeeWee Bucket Bottle Show, PeeWee Lamb Show, Rabbit Workshop, March 4 Tune In Tuesday, Ag Newsletter and Regional e-News

Temporary Assistance/ Long Term Visioning
Sean Wetjen moved to approve temporary staff support (Joyce Jones) for the front office as needed for $10 per hour. 2nd by Erin Meyer Carried unanimously. Gene shared a long range vision for approval of a county director with a total of 3 county staff when the mortgage is retired.

Gene shared the 2014 election process and those whose terms will end in 2014.

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Brent Ness moved to adjourn. 2nd by Leo Rudolphi. Carried unanimously.

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Erin Meyer, Secretary