
FISCAL UPDATE Article

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EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING — OCTOBER 5, 2020

Meeting. The Executive Council met on Monday, October 5, 2020. The following are highlighted agenda items before the Council:

- The Council approved a request from the Attorney General's Office to retain Ryan Clark of Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., as outside counsel pursuant to Iowa Code section [13.3\(1\)](#) at a rate of \$140 per hour to provide legal services in *Michael Timm v. IMMC and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*.
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- The Council approved supplemental and emergency allocations for approximately \$815,000, including allocations for the following departments and purposes:
 - Emergency allocations of approximately \$53,000 to the Department of Public Safety (DPS) for vehicle repairs.
 - Supplemental emergency allocation of approximately \$4,000 to the Department of Natural Resources to repair damage caused by vandalism to the lodge at Palisades Kepler State Park.
 - Emergency allocations of approximately \$90,000 to the Department of Administrative Services to repair vehicle and building damage.
 - Emergency allocation of approximately \$4,000 to Iowa Workforce Development to repair damage caused by vandalism to the building located at 150 Des Moines Street.
 - Emergency allocation of approximately \$2,000 to the Department of Corrections – Anamosa State Penitentiary to repair storm damage to the taut wire system.
 - Emergency allocation of approximately \$19,000 to the Iowa Communications Network (ICN) to cover the costs of a damaged underground cable.
 - Emergency allocations of approximately \$643,000 to Board of Regents for building repairs on the University of Iowa and Iowa State University campuses caused by various events which took place between September 9, 2019, and July 20, 2020. The events included a lightning strike, a fire, burst and leaking water pipes, and a burglary.
 - The Council also approved approximately \$21,000 for the payment of cost items for the following purposes:
 - Approximately \$7,000 to the DPS for vehicle repairs.
 - Approximately \$14,000 to various law firms for fees and services.
- The Council approved a request from the Department of the Navy to extend the loan of the USS Iowa (BB-61) ship model from November 1, 2020, to November 1, 2021.

Additional Information. Additional information is available from the Legislative Services Agency upon request.

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