



EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETINGS

Meetings. The Executive Council met on Monday, February 20, and Monday, February 27, 2017.

February 20, 2017, Meeting. At the meeting on February 20, the Executive Council approved the following actions:

- Emergency allocations totaling approximately \$190,000, of which a total of \$36,600 was paid to the Iowa Communications Network (ICN) for ICN cable repair in Hancock and Adams counties, and \$153,400 was paid to the Department of Public Safety (DPS). The DPS total included \$135,000 to repair water damage to Iowa State Patrol Post 4 in Denison, and the remainder was for damage repairs for five State Patrol cars.
- Cost items totaling \$70,400 from various funds.

February 27, 2017, Meeting. At the meeting on February 27, the Executive Council approved the following requests for retention of outside counsel:

- A request from the Department of Justice, Attorney General's Office, to retain special counsel to provide legal service to the State Treasurer's Office, Unclaimed Property Division, in regard to probate issues in connection with the disposition of unclaimed property. Attorney fees and costs will be paid from the Unclaimed Property Fund.
- A request from the Department of Justice, Attorney General's Office, to retain special counsel to represent Iowa Public Television (IPTV) in matters before the Federal Communications Commission. Attorney fees and costs will be paid from funds of IPTV.
- A request from the Department of Justice, Attorney General's Office, to retain outside counsel pursuant to Iowa Code section [13.3\(1\)](#) to represent the State and State agencies in AFSCME Council 61 vs. State of Iowa civil case number CVCV053572. Attorney fees and costs will be paid from the State General Fund.

Next Meeting. The next scheduled meeting of the Executive Council is Monday, March 6, 2017.

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