

# Worth County Emergency Management Commission

## Agenda

Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026

6 pm

Worth County EOC

99a 9<sup>th</sup> Street North Northwood IA

1. Call to order.
2. Determination of a quorum (simple majority of 5/9 needed)
3. Approval of the agenda
4. Approval of the previous meeting minutes
5. Budget Hearing and adoption
  - a. Recess the regular meeting
  - b. Open the public hearing -
  - c. Comments from the public
  - d. Close the public hearing
  - e. Reconvene the regular meeting
  - f. Commission budget discussion
  - g. Motion for budget adoption
6. Old Business
  - a. EMPG 2025
    - i. Still on hold due to legal issues at the federal level
  - b. Potential new EMA storage facility – Estimated price from Engineer.
  - c. Shelter supplies trailer grant to WCDA. May consider waiting until Fall 2026 grant period to apply. Joice is applying for shelter supplies and a trailer. I do not want to compete against them for that.
  - d. Exercises – I have a Reunification and Recovery TTX planned with N-K Schools May 6<sup>th</sup>. I am looking at scheduling a Wide Area Search class for late March.
  - e. ESF 10 along with RSF Cultural and Natural Affairs will be reviewed in the spring.
7. New Business
  - a. EMPG 2026
    - i. Application has been completed by WC EMA. Awaiting review by Iowa HSEM
  - b. Iowa legislators are hard at work. Several bills have already been introduced. One would eliminate the 911 service boards and put their duties on the EMA commissions. There is another that would simply increase the surcharge and which has much more widespread support. Watch your emails for more information as the session continues.
8. Next Meeting May 21st 2026<sup>th</sup> 6pm
9. Adjournment.

Mark Tomlinson is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Worth County Emergency Management Commission Meeting / 911 Service Board Meeting

Time: Jan 22, 2026 06:00 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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