

# IOWA ANGUS ASSOCIATION

## Board Meeting Minutes



**JUN 15, 2024**  
Hardin County Fairgrounds  
Eldora, IA

The Iowa Angus Association Board of Directors met June 15, 2024 at the Hardin County Fairgrounds in Eldora, IA. President Prasil called the meeting to order at 4:45 pm.

Board members in attendance included President John Prasil, Vice President Craig Moffitt, Past President Bubba Chapman, Cheryl Barker (NE at Large), Joe Driscoll (Hawkeye), Mark Matlage (Warren Co), Wes Ruby (Northcentral), Drew Schroeder (Eastern), Terry Swenson (Tall Corn), Dan White (Northeast), and Keith Moser (NW at Large). Board members not in attendance included Tyler Orman (SE Iowa), Wyatt Mobley (SW at Large), Tom Graham (SE at Large), Shelli Mardesen (Johnson County), Weston Brandt (Southern), Kent Musfeldt (Botna Valley), and Chris Wood (Northwest). Also in attendance were Curt Houk, Adam Conover (American Angus Assoc) and Zach Britton (Executive Secretary/Treasurer).

Chapman moved to approve the agenda. Schroeder seconded. Topic was added to discuss the Governor's Charity Steer Show. Motion carried.

Swenson moved to approve minutes from the March 17, 2024 meeting. Corrections were made for the tour being held in Northwest Iowa, and the Angus Phenotype and Carcass Contest. White seconded. Motion carried.

Britton presented the financial report ending May 31, 2024. Chapman motioned to approve the financial report. Schroeder seconded. Motion carried.

Conover provided an update from the American Angus Association.

Moffitt reported on the Beef Breeds Council and the Beef Expo. The council is asking Angus to move their sale time to 10:30am to make room for Simmentals to sell on the same day. Matlage moved to change the sale time to 10:30am. Chapman seconded. Motion carried.

The combined Bull Test & Female Sale was discussed. Chapman offered that Kirkwood can take up to 10 fall bulls and 25 spring bulls. Board decided to feed all bulls at Kirkwood this year. Committee will meet before next meeting to decide on sale details.

Moser reported on the plans for the Iowa Angus Tour in Northwest Iowa to include stops at Moon Creek, K&J Angus, VZR Angus, Otto Cattle Company, and Brookdale Angus.

Britton reported on the 2024 Iowa Angus Preview - 130 head were present.

Discussed state fair awards for juniors and decided to continue giving \$5 cash to each Angus exhibitor.

Chapman motioned to award Kurt Greiman the Bob Schlutz award and Terry Swenson the Lyle Herring Award. Driscoll seconded. Motion carried.

Schroeder motioned to hold the 2025 Iowa Angus Preview in Tipton. Moffitt seconded. Motion carried.

Houk presented that Cheyenne Houk was selected by the Monroe County Cattlemen to be a part of the 2024 Governor's Charity Steer Show. Mark McCully will be showing the steer. Chapman motioned to donate \$200 to the show. Swenson seconded. Motion carried.

Houk also shared that someone on the Governor's Charity Steer Show board asked if Iowa Angus and American Angus would be interested in an ongoing spot in the show. Show committee will discuss.

The next meeting will be Monday, August 12 at the Gammon Barn during the Iowa State Fair.

Chapman moved to go into closed session at 6:46pm. Schroeder seconded. Closed session ended at 6:57pm.

Barker moved to adjourn meeting. Chapman seconded. Motion carried.