# RPA-1 TRANSPORTATION POLICY BOARD

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| **Allamakee County** | **Dennis Keatley**<br>County Supervisor | dkeatley@co.allamakee.ia.us | (563) 568-3522 (O) |
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| Alternate: | Joseph Pisney<br>County Supervisor | jpisney@co.howard.ia.us | (563) 547-9204 (O) |
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| **Oelwein** (City) | **Brett DeVore**<br>Mayor | brett.devore@cityofoelwein.org | (319) 283-5440 (O)<br>(563) 608-2110 (C) |
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# RPA-1 TRANSPORTATION TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

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| **Clayton** | **Casey Stickfort**<br>County Engineer | cstickfort@claytoncountyia.gov | (563) 245-1782 (O) |
| **Fayette** | ***Joel Fantz**<br>County Engineer | jfantz@co.fayette.ia.us | (563) 422-3552 (O) |
| **Howard** | **Nick Rissman**<br>County Engineer | nrissman@co.howard.ia.us | (563) 547-2620 (O) |
| **Winneshiek** | **Michael Kueny**<br>County Engineer | mkueny@co.winneshiek.ia.us | (563) 382-2951 (O) |
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| **Allamakee** | **Val Reinke**<br>Allamakee Co. Ec. Dev. | allamakeecountyedt@gmail.com | (563) 568-2624 |
| **Allamakee** | **Susan Snow**<br>Effigy Mounds N.M. | Susan_Snow@nps.gov | (563) 873-3491<br>x 101 |
| **Clayton** | **Ean Popenhagen**<br>Clayton Co.<br>Conservation Dir. | epopenhagen@claytoncountyia.gov | (563) 245-1516<br>(563) 880-1457 |
| **Clayton** | **Darla Kelchen**<br>Clayton Co. Economic Dev. | ccdg@alpinecom.net | (563) 245-2201 |
| **Clayton** | **Norma Thiese**<br>County Resident | nthiese@alpinecom.net | (563) 252-3806<br>(563) 880-0559 |
| **Fayette** | **Heather Gamm**<br>Fayette Co.<br>Conservation Dir. | hgamm@fayettecountyconservation.org | (563) 422-5146 |
| **Fayette** | **Sheryl Struthers**<br>County Resident | strutn@hotmail.com | (563) 422-3459 |
| **Fayette** | **Joshua Johnson**<br>Oelwein Park<br>Superintendent | jjohnson@cityofoelwein.org | (319) 283-5440 |
| **Howard** | ***Jeff Korsmo**<br>Howard Co.<br>Conservation Dir. | jkorsmo@howardcounty.iowa.gov | (563) 547-3634<br>(563) 419-7993 |
| **Howard** | **Craig Fencl**<br>Howard Co.<br>Conservation | cfencl@howardcounty.iowa.gov | |
| **Howard** | **Elaine Govern**<br>County Resident | govern@govern-farms-homes.com | (641) 985-4030<br>(641) 220-2685 |
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