

OFFICIAL REPORT OF  
THE COUNTY BOARD  
OF  
IROQUOIS COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
RECESSED SESSION  
MAY 11, 2021

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May 11, 2021

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**THE  
IROQUOIS COUNTY BOARD  
OFFICIAL REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS**

The Iroquois County Board met in Recessed Session on Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 9 A.M. The meeting was conducted in person and via Zoom, under Phase 4 of the Governor’s Plan to reopen the State of Illinois and Executive Order 2021-09. The phased opening and executive order were issued in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, they require social distancing measures to be taken to stop the spread of the highly contagious virus and also suspend certain provisions of the Illinois Open Meetings Act to allow for public bodies to continue their course of business during the public health emergency. Chairman Shure called the meeting to order and asked County Clerk Breein Suver to call the roll.

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IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll call and votes in Iroquois County

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Chairman Shure

On motion to call the roll

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Coughenour, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Ducat, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

**PRAYER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Chairman Shure introduced Reverend Roy Johnson, Pastor of the First Christian Church in Watseka who gave the opening prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance was then recited in unison, led by the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade class from Crescent City Grade School. After the Pledge of Allegiance, Chairman Shure recognized their teacher, Jody Munsterman, as she will be retiring at the end of the school year.

**AGENDA**

It was moved by Mr. Alt and seconded to approve the agenda. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

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Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the agenda

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Coughenour, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Ducat, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

**MINUTES**

It was moved by Mr. Huse and seconded to approve the minutes from the April 13, 2021 Recessed Session County Board meeting. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

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Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the minutes from the April 13, 2021 Recessed Session County Board meeting

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Coughenour, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Ducat, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

**PAYROLL**

It was moved by Mr. Young and seconded to approve the April payroll. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

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Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the April payroll

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Coughenour, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Ducat, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

**COUNTY BOARD SERVICES**

Charles Alt .....	\$315.00
Roger Bard .....	\$140.00
Lyle Behrends .....	\$336.92
Kevin Bohlmann .....	\$35.00
Paul Bowers .....	\$138.60
Kevin Coughenour .....	\$70.00
Donna Crow .....	\$95.98
Ernest Curtis.....	\$155.40
Leanne Duby .....	\$99.12
Steve Huse .....	\$125.40
Chad McGinnis .....	\$133.58
Barbara Offill .....	\$104.78
John Shure.....	\$730.12
Joe Young .....	\$217.28
John Zumwalt.....	\$180.32

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

There were no public comments.

## **CHAIRMAN COMMENTS**

There were no Chairman comments.

## **OUTSIDE ORGANIZATION REPORTS**

Teri Tincher with CCRPC-Workforce Development reviewed several of the programs offered by her organization. She has 4 adults in occupational training, 2 dislocated workers in training for degrees, 17 youth in training. The youth range in age from 16 years up to 24 years of age; there are currently 14 in school with 4 about to graduate and 3 out of school. She reported that one local employer started “on the job training” with her organization. With this program, CCRPC pays the salary for those in training for 6 months and the worker receives on the job training. Teri also helped one former Stock and Field employee sign up for unemployment benefits. She ended her report by confirming that she will be reporting on a monthly basis at the County Board meetings.

## **POLICY & PROCEDURE**

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### **RESOLUTION NO. R2021-16**

#### **RESOLUTION OPPOSING REDUCTIONS TO LGDF REVENUE**

Chairman Shure gave the report of the Policy & Procedure Committee and presented Resolution No. R2021-16 for approval. It was moved by Mr. McGinnis and seconded to remove from the report, the first paragraph on the second page of the report that refers to the Reapportionment Ordinance. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

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### **IROQUOIS COUNTY**

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Chairman Shure

On motion to remove from the report, the paragraph on the second page of the report that refers to the Reapportionment Ordinance

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Coughenour, Crow, Curtis, DUBY, \*Ducat, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

\*denotes County Board member that arrived via Zoom after the initial roll call

## **MOTION**

At this time, the Board began discussion regarding the Reapportionment Ordinance. Chairman Shure spoke of the need to approve the reapportionment of the County before the deadline of July 1 or the day after the County Board’s regularly scheduled July meeting, whichever is later. Should the Board fail to approve the ordinance, it would be up to a commission made up of the State’s Attorney, County Clerk, leader of the Republican and Democratic parties respectively, and a representative from the Attorney General’s Office to complete the

reapportionment. The commission would be forced to increase the County Board to a number set by statute. The Policy & Procedure Committee has been working on preparing the Ordinance; however, the lack of census numbers has hindered the process. UCCI, United Counties Council of Illinois, has offered advice to their membership to write as much of the reapportionment ordinance as possible to ensure the County Board has a voice in the reapportionment process. Chairman Shure commented that the Policy & Procedure Committee felt a reduction in membership would help to streamline the County Board and would also allow for increases in compensation for the members and the Chairman and Vice Chairman.

Mr. McGinnis felt the reduction in membership would cause quorum issues. Mrs. Crow commented that she did not support reducing the size of the Board and many of her constituents stressed the word representation when discussing the matter. She also stated that she was not in favor of changing the per diem if there was not a lot of cost savings. Ms. Duby felt lesser populated areas have a harder time getting elected and that should be taken into consideration. She said if the amount of pay was raised and the total difference was going to be a wash, it was not worth cutting down the Board. Mr. McGinnis added that he feels the Chairman salary is not adequate for the time invested by the current Chairman. Mr. Bohlmann asked if everything could remain at its current state. He also asked if the Board had the ability of electing the Chairman at large. It was noted that a referendum would be required to change how the Chairman is elected. It was moved by Mr. Bowers and seconded to tentatively accept the Ordinance as written subject to the census numbers. Chairman Shure commented that the commission would still have to draw the maps once the census numbers were available. After further discussion, it was moved by Mr. McGinnis and seconded to amend the previous motion made and table the approval of the Reapportionment Ordinance until June. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

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Chairman Shure

On motion to amend the previous motion made and table the approval of the Reapportionment Ordinance until June

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Coughenour, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Ducat, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Young, Zumwalt

Nay: Shure

Absent: Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

**POLICY & PROCEDURE**

**Balance of Report**

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**RESOLUTION NO. R2021-16**

**RESOLUTION OPPOSING REDUCTIONS TO LGDF REVENUE**

It was moved by Chairman Shure and seconded to approve the balance of the Policy & Procedure Committee report and Resolution No. R2021-16. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

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Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the balance of the Policy & Procedure Committee report &  
Resolution No R2021-16

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Coughenour, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Ducat,  
Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

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Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

Your Committee to whom was referred **Policy & Procedure** would beg leave to submit  
the following report on the matters before them:

Your Committee met at the Administrative Center on April 29, 2021 at 9:00 A.M.  
Members present were County Board Chairman John Shure, Lyle Behrends, Charlie Alt, Roger  
Bard, Barbara Offill and Joe Young. Michael McTaggart was absent. Also present Finance  
Manager Jill Johnson, County Clerk Breein Suver, Deputy Clerk Debra Rudisill, County Engineer  
Joel Moore, Treasurer Kurt Albers, EMA Director Eric Ceci and Myron Munyon with Compass  
Insurance.

The meeting was called to order.

It was moved by Barbara Offill and seconded by Charlie Alt to approve the agenda. Motion  
carried by a roll call vote.

There were no public comments.

The Committee Chairs gave their monthly reports:

- Management and Judicial Chairman Lyle Behrends reported the Judicial  
Committee will hear their standard reports. The Management Committee will  
take action on putting the north parking lot at the Courthouse out for bid and  
will also discuss farm drainage issues.
- Tax/Planning & Zoning Chairman Roger Bard reported the committee will hear  
their standard reports. The committee will also continue discussion on rural  
homestead sites. Bard said IDA Director Ken Barragree is planning to attend.  
Further discussion on the solar ordinance moratorium will also be held.
- Health Chairman Barbara Offill reported the Health Committee will hear their  
regular reports from the health department.
- I.T. Chairman Joe Young reported the I.T. Committee will hear their standard  
reports from AreaWide.
- County Engineer Joel Moore reported the Highway Committee will be opening  
bids for a bridge and a box culvert. Action will need to be taken on a federal  
agreement for participation for a resurfacing project on Clifton Road. Moore

also received final wording from the Illinois Department of Natural Resources on the movement of the spike mussels.

EMA Director Eric Ceci reported he has been working on the EOP submission which was submitted on March 15<sup>th</sup>. IEMA reviewed the EOP and has sent back revisions to be made and returned by June 11<sup>th</sup>. Hyperreach, the wireless emergency alert system, was used to inform everyone of the vaccine clinic being held at the Iroquois County Fairgrounds. Ceci said EMA has had a low band radio antennae that has never been utilized. The radio has been put on permanent loan with the Iroquois County Amateur Radio Club who will install it in the building they have use of in town.

***(This paragraph was removed for consideration per action taken by the County Board at the May 11, 2021 Recessed Session meeting.)***

*The committee continued discussions regarding County Board redistricting and setting salaries for the County Board to be completed by July 1<sup>st</sup>. UCCI recently conducted a zoom meeting that went over the aspects of redistricting. As of now, it appears the census bureau numbers won't be available until the end of September and UCCI has recommended the County enact an ordinance encompassing all matters of redistricting, except for re-drawing the maps. Shure also spoke with State's Attorney Jim Devine about the ordinance and Devine agrees with an ordinance rather than a resolution to protect against any legal activity involving these changes. Shure said he reviewed the County Code Book with Devine in regards to the requirements of the number of committees and the number of people serving of the committees. The County Code Book does not list these requirements. Although the redistricting doesn't take place until December 2022, reducing the number of members on the committees can take place right away. This gives the Board an opportunity to see how well the restructuring works. On the financial side, a savings of approximately \$4,000 per year is expected by reducing the number of board members from 20 to 16. Possible committee meeting changes include having the department heads report to the Policy & Procedure committee and changing the day of the Policy & Procedure committee meeting. It was moved by Offill and seconded by Behrends to reduce the number of County Board members from twenty to sixteen with four members serving from each district. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried. It was moved by Offill and seconded by Bard to increase the County Board Chairman's salary from \$400 per month to \$600 per month, County Board Vice Chairman's salary from \$80 per month to \$90 per month, and County Board members on a per diem basis of \$35 to \$50, effective December 1, 2022. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried. County Clerk Breein Suver suggested the committee continue with determining the lot as to how County Board members are seated and how their terms are selected. It was moved by Behrends and seconded by Offill to include the wording from section 4 and section 5 from the 2011 Reapportionment Resolution into the Ordinance. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.*

Finance Manager Jill Johnson gave an update on the sexual harassment training. We are at a 77% completion rate so far. Employees can take the training online or another in person training can be scheduled.

Shure discussed the Local Government Distributive Fund. Counties and municipalities receive 10% of total state income tax revenues through this fund. Shure explained that Governor JB Pritzker is proposing to divert revenues from the LGDF to help resolve the State's budget deficit. Shure presented a model resolution opposing the reduction and a letter to the Governor expressing our opposition. It was moved by Bard and seconded by Offill to approve the Resolution opposing reductions to the Local Government Distributive Fund (LGDF) Revenue and also send

a letter to Governor J.B. Pritzker expressing our opposition. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

Correspondence was reviewed with the committee.

During old business, Alt announced his resignation from the Cissna Park library board.

There was no new business.

As there was no further business to come before the committee, it was moved by Bard and seconded by Alt to adjourn at 10:38 A.M. Motion carried by a voice vote.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/John Shure  
s/Lyle Behrends  
s/Charlie Alt  
s/Roger Bard  
s/Barbara Offill  
s/Joe Young

**Resolution No. R2021-16**  
**Resolution Opposing Reductions to LGDF Revenue**

**WHEREAS**, counties provide fundamental and important services to their residents including, but not limited to, justice and public safety services, transportation infrastructure, community health services, human services, parks and recreation opportunities and election administration; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Illinois has a long-standing tradition of helping to support these local services through the collection and distribution of tax revenues on behalf of counties; and

**WHEREAS**, counties rely on these shared revenues in order to invest in services that residents cannot, nor should not, do without; and

**WHEREAS**, these shared revenues are the result of a good faith historical partnership between the state and county governments in Illinois; and

**WHEREAS**, since the State Income Tax was adopted in 1969, the state has shared a percentage of total income tax collections through the Local Government Distributive Fund (LGDF) with counties and municipalities in recognition that local governments are essential service providers for Illinois residents who live, work and play at the local level; and

**WHEREAS**, Governor JB Pritzker has proposed that the State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2022 State Budget include a 10% reduction in the amount of LGDF revenue distributed to counties; and

**WHEREAS**, this revenue reduction is being proposed at a time when counties are already expending additional funds on the COVID-19 emergency response.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that IROQUOIS COUNTY urges the General Assembly and the Governor to protect and preserve existing levels of LGDF revenue and any other



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Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

Your Committee to whom was referred **Management Services** would beg leave to submit the following report on the matters before them:

Your Committee met at the Administrative Center on May 3, 2021 at 9:06 A.M. Members present Lyle Behrends, Charlie Alt, Paul Bowers and John Zumwalt. Kevin Bohlmann, Paul Ducat and Sherry Johnson were absent. Also present County Board Chairman John Shure, Finance Manager Jill Johnson, Maintenance Supervisor Chris Drake and 911 Director Eric Raymond.

The meeting was called to order.

It was moved by Paul Bowers and seconded by John Zumwalt to approve the agenda. Motion carried by a voice vote.

There were no public comments.

Maintenance Supervisor Chris Drake's report included the following:

- The cell door project has been pushed back a few weeks. The tentative start date is within the first week of June.
- Ongoing repairs are being made to the garbage disposal in the Jail kitchen. Drake noted the garbage disposal is still under warranty.
- The fire suppression system was inspected and recertified in the Jail kitchen.
- B&D Electric was onsite to run a new circuit for a condensate pump for the Health Department.
- Heat pump issues were resolved.
- Drake continued painting bathrooms in the Administrative Center.
- After five months into the budget year, 86% is remaining in Maintenance at the Administrative Center and 82% at the Courthouse. Household Supplies and Service Contracts are also on track.
- Roof inspections are expected in May or June.
- The stairs project at the Courthouse and Jail is complete.

Specs for the north Courthouse parking lot have been prepared by the Highway Department. It was moved by Zumwalt and seconded by Charlie Alt to send the north Courthouse parking lot resurfacing out for bid. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

The committee discussed the drainage tile on the County Farm. Zumwalt reported the tile hole has not been fixed yet. The ground has been worked but has not been planted. Management Chairman Lyle Behrends reminded the committee the farm lease will go out for bid in July. If committee members would like to see changes made to the lease, action will need to be taken. Copies of the lease are available in the County Board Office.

Discussion on Clean Energy Design Group is tabled pending approval from State's Attorney Jim Devine.

The committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Paul Bowers and seconded by Alt to pay the claims, subject to County Board approval. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

There was no old business.

During new business, 911 Director Eric Raymond informed the committee of some actionable items on this month's ETSB agenda. One of the items includes discussing the installation of a security door in their server room. The server room is shared with the Treasurer's Office and the Planning/Zoning Office and contains paperwork and archived documents.

Raymond explained the room has two access points, one of which is from outside. For security reasons, the door would be installed halfway through to block any additional access. Also, the ETSB board will be discussing a fire suppression system for the server room. These items will be an ETSB expense.

Also during new business, Alt mentioned Headstart's playground equipment that remains at the Administrative Center. Alt described the equipment as an attractive nuisance and worries children could get hurt if it is not relocated. The shed that belongs to Headstart will also need to be moved. Behrends suggested locks and signage be installed on the gates. Headstart will also be contacted about a timeframe for when they will be able remove these items.

Drake informed the committee the local Kiwanis Club had volunteers add new plants and mulch in front of the Courthouse.

Shure suggested the extra money in the maintenance budget should cover the cost to spray weeds at the County buildings. Behrends noted a quote was received a few years ago and the County Board opted not to use the weed spraying service. Drake will reach out to vendors for up to date quotes.

Zumwalt requested an update on the phones. As of today, the phones are still down. An AT&T technician was onsite and determined the issue was fiber related. Another AT&T technician was dispatched which resulted in the error being internal, their router is not communicating with us. The service ticket has been escalated and is being worked on by AT&T engineers. Finance Manager Jill Johnson has also reached out to Ruder Technology again for assistance. AreaWide has also assisted with the outage.

As there was no further business to come before the committee, it was moved by Zumwalt and seconded by Bowers to adjourn at 9:32 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted

s/Lyle Behrends  
s/Charlie Alt  
s/Paul Bowers  
s/John Zumwalt

## **HEALTH**

Mr. Bard, Vice Chairman of the Health Committee, gave the report of his committee and moved for adoption. The motion was seconded and carried by a roll call vote.

## **STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY**

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Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the Health Committee report

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Coughenour, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Ducat, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

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Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

Your Committee to whom was referred **Health** would beg leave to submit the following report on the matters before them:

Your committee met at the Administrative Center on May 4, 2021 at 9:00 A.M. Members present were Barbara Offill, Roger Bard, Kevin Coughenour, Ernie Curtis, Leanne Duby, Thomas Lynch and John Zumwalt. Also present County Board Chairman John Shure, Finance Manager Jill Johnson and ICPHD Administrator Dee Schippert.

The meeting was called to order.

It was moved by Roger Bard and seconded by John Zumwalt to approve the agenda. Motion carried by a voice vote.

The committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Kevin Coughenour and seconded by Thomas Lynch to pay the claims, subject to County Board approval. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

There were no public comments.

ABRA provided a quarterly report for the committee to review.

ICPHD Administrator Dee Schippert reported an increase in COVID-19 cases with twelve new cases being reported over the past three days. As of Monday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, there have been 23 first dose clinics held and 16 second dose clinics held in Iroquois County. A walk-in clinic is scheduled for Thursday, May 6<sup>th</sup> with the Johnson & Johnson vaccine. The Illinois National Guard clinic was held April 19<sup>th</sup>. There were 600 doses available but only 100 were given. Schippert said 26.12% of the population is fully vaccinated. In Iroquois County, there have been 7,284 residents 65 and older vaccinated, which amounts to 62.35%. In the age group of 16-64, there have been 7,912 vaccinated, which amounts to 25.17%. At this time individuals 16 and younger cannot be vaccinated. Schippert said she has not been informed of any adverse reactions from the vaccine. As far as a booster with the vaccine, that is unknown at this time.

Many communities are contacting the health department regarding festivals, field trips and school dances. Schippert said she is allowing these to take place but is also explaining the social distancing guidelines. We are still in phase 4 of the mitigation plan, which only allows gatherings of 50 people.

COVID insurance for events being held was discussed. Schippert said, to her knowledge, the State is not requiring COVID insurance. Schippert added that the health department is only issuing temporary food permits to establishments that have a walk-up, drive-through or can seat less than 50 people.

Schippert spoke about a law in effect, 410 ILCS 210, that allows anyone in the State 12 years or older can seek medical attention without parental consent. Schippert implemented a policy stating the health department would not give anyone under the age of 18 any treatment without parental consent.

Schippert distributed the monthly summary report of programs. The 2022 tobacco grant for \$20,000 has been submitted. The health department has also received \$8,000 from the Opioid Prevention grant.

There was no old business.

During new business, Zumwalt encouraged Dr. Youssef to attend the next Health committee meeting.

As there was no further business to come before the committee, it was moved by Leanne Duby and seconded by Zumwalt to adjourn at 9:29 A.M. Motion carried by a voice vote.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Barbara Offill  
s/Roger Bard  
s/Kevin Coughenour  
s/Ernie Curtis  
s/Leanne Duby  
s/Thomas Lynch  
s/John Zumwalt

**TAX/PLANNING & ZONING,  
ORDINANCE NO. 2021-1  
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE-SETBACK VARIANCE  
LUDLOW COOPERATIVE ELEVATOR CO. PARCEL 15-33-300-005 & 22-04-101-002,  
&  
RESOLUTION NO. R2021-17  
AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF PROPERTY ACQUIRED THROUGH THE  
DELINQUENT TAX PROCESS PARCEL #  
(Ordinance No. 2021-1 and Resolution R2021-17 has been recorded and placed on file in the  
County Clerk's Office.)**

Mr. Bard, Chairman of the Tax/Planning & Zoning Committee, gave the report of his committee and presented Ordinance No. 2021-1 and Resolution No. R2021-17 for approval. Mr. McGinnis spoke regarding the current moratorium on the Solar Ordinance. He said he is torn on how to vote regarding the continuance of the moratorium because he feels like the State has done a good job laying out the guidelines that are to be followed. He encouraged the members of the committee to review the guidelines and asked that County Board Executive Assistant Amanda Longfellow email the document out to the entire Board for review. Mr. Lynch asserted that the committee used the guidelines but wanted to have some sort of guarantee should the potential solar company file for bankruptcy. It was moved by Mr. Bard and seconded to approve the Tax/Planning & Zoning report, Ordinance No. 2021-1, and Resolution No. R2021-17. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

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Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the Tax/Planning & Zoning Committee report, Ordinance No. 2021-1, and Resolution No. R2021-17

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Coughenour, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Ducat, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt  
Absent: Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

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Mr. Chairman and Members of the County Board:

Your Committee to whom was referred **Tax/Zoning** would beg leave to submit the following report on the matters before them:

Your Committee met at the Administrative Center on May 4, 2021 at 9:33 A.M. Members present were Roger Bard, John Zumwalt, Kevin Coughenour, Ernie Curtis, Leanne Duby and Thomas Lynch. Also present County Board Chairman John Shure, Finance Manager Jill Johnson, County Treasurer Kurt Albers, County Clerk Breein Suver, Deputy Clerk Debra Rudisill and Supervisor of Assessments Bob Yergler.

The meeting was called to order.

It was moved by Barbara Offill and seconded by Ernie Curtis to approve the agenda. Motion carried by a voice vote.

The committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by John Zumwalt and seconded by Offill to pay the claims subject to County Board approval. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

There were no public comments.

The department heads gave their monthly reports:

- County Clerk Breein Suver reported her office is waiting on the State for the final multiplier in order to be able to send out tax computation reports to all of the units of local government. Letters for liquor license applications went out last Friday and are due by the end of May for approval at the June board meeting. There are 28 certified letters that are being mailed for people that have not filed their statement of economic interest. Beginning May 1<sup>st</sup> through May 15<sup>th</sup>, the first penalty of \$15 will be assessed. May 16<sup>th</sup> through May 31<sup>st</sup>, the fee will increase to \$100 per day. Lastly, the Clerk's office will begin printing voter cards to send out for the biennial purge.
- County Treasurer Kurt Albers reported mobile home bills were due May 3<sup>rd</sup>. Of the 388 bills mailed out, 279 have been collected.
- Supervisor of Assessments Bob Yergler reported he has completed the final questions for the State Department of Revenue.

The Planning & Zoning report for April was distributed to the committee as follows:

- Building Permits – April 2021
  - Agriculture – 2
  - Residential – 10
  - Wind Towers – 0
- Building Permits – FY2021
  - Residential – 34

- Agriculture – 10
- Wind Towers – 10
- Building Inspections – April 2021
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Discussion was held on the variation request for a setback for the new grain office in La Hogue for Ludlow Coop. Yergler explained the current setback is 80 feet and Ludlow Coop would like to adjust it to 50 feet to accommodate their plans. Zoning Board of Appeals met last week but they didn't have a quorum. However, a recommendation was made to approve the setback from the ZBA. It was moved by Zumwalt and seconded by Leanne Duby to approve the variance on a setback for the new office in La Hogue for Ludlow Coop. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

Building permit enforcement fines and penalties were tabled for the next meeting.

Last month, County Board Chairman John Shure requested the committee offer suggestions on how to best publicize available properties in rural areas without expending a lot of money. Shure offered suggestions such as written notices, letters to the editor and social media. Yergler spoke to the committee also, stating the Zoning Department, Zoning Committee and County Board used to be very reluctant to rezone any type of property that was on productive farm ground. The perception is out there that if you don't have around 75 acres in the country, you can't build a house. Yergler said that simply is not true as there are plenty of sites across the County that are very attractive to build a home on and would generate substantially more tax dollars. The committee will continue to discuss this matter.

The Solar Farm Ordinance Moratorium passed two months ago expires on May 13<sup>th</sup>. Shure said he has had many discussions with Representative Tom Bennett regarding the Consumers and Climate First Act the Governor has sent into legislature. It takes into account the County's ability to control local zoning, especially pertaining to solar farms and wind farms. The moratorium was enacted to allow the County to review the solar ordinance and make changes if necessary. Shure said the area of decommissioning should be reviewed. The community solar we have now is \$28,000 for decommissioning and that doesn't seem to be enough. At this time, the County doesn't know the cost to decommission a solar farm. Shure recommended the committee extend the moratorium. It was moved by Zumwalt and seconded by Thomas Lynch to extend the solar farm ordinance moratorium through June 9, 2021. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

There was a resolution from the trustee showing a parcel that has been sold. The property is a lot located in Loda Township, Lake Iroquois. It was moved by Duby and seconded by Lynch to approve the resolution to authorize the sale of property located in Loda Township, Lake Iroquois. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

There was no old business.

There was no new business.

As there was no further business to come before the committee, it was moved by Duby and seconded by Kevin Coughenour to adjourn at 10:37 A.M. Motion carried by a voice vote.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Roger Bard  
s/John Zumwalt  
s/Kevin Coughenour  
s/Ernie Curtis  
s/Leanne Duby

s/Barbara Offill  
s/Thomas Lynch

### **JUDICIAL & PUBLIC SAFETY**

*(The Probation and ETSB reports have been recorded and placed on file in the County Clerk's Office.)*

Mr. Behrends, Chairman of the Judicial & Public Safety Committee, gave the report of his committee and moved for adoption. The motion was seconded and carried by a roll call vote.

### **STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll call and votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, May 11, 2021

Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the Judicial & Public Safety Committee report

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Ducat, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Coughenour, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

### **STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY**

County Board, Recessed Session

May 11, A.D., 2021

Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

Your Committee to whom was referred **Judicial & Public Safety** would beg leave to submit the following report on the matters before them:

Your Committee met at the Courthouse on May 5, 2021 at 3:00 P.M. Members present were Lyle Behrends, Paul Ducat, Roger Bard, Steve Huse, Chad McGinnis and David Penny. Donna Crow was absent. Also present Probation Supervisor Barb King, Judge Mike Sabol, Circuit Clerk Lisa Hines and 911 Director Eric Raymond.

The meeting was called to order.

It was moved by Paul Ducat and seconded by Steve Huse to approve the agenda. Motion carried by a voice vote.

There were no public comments.

Judge Mike Sabol reported a four day jury trial was held. Grand Jury sessions began in March. All trials follow social distancing guidelines. A new bailiff has been hired due to a bailiff retiring in July.

Probation Supervisor Barb King reviewed the Probation & Court Services activity report for April with the committee.

Circuit Clerk Lisa Hines distributed her monthly report for April to the committee for their review. A total of \$50,957.88 was received in fines and fees, \$7,041.93 was received from Credit Collection Partners and \$555.74 was received from IDROP.

911 Director Eric Raymond distributed his monthly ETSB report to the committee. Raymond noted the 911 vacancy has been filled.

There was no old business.

There was no new business.

The committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Ducat and seconded by Chad McGinnis to pay the Judicial & Public Safety claims, subject to County Board approval. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried

As there was no further business to come before the committee, it was moved by Ducat and seconded by McGinnis to adjourn the meeting at 3:13 P.M. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Lyle Behrends  
s/Paul Ducat  
s/Roger Bard  
s/Steve Huse  
s/Chad McGinnis  
s/David Penny

#### **FINANCE**

Mr. Alt, Vice Chairman of the Finance Committee, gave the report of his committee and moved for adoption. The motion was seconded and carried by a roll call vote.

#### **STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll call and votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, May 11, 2021

Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the Finance Committee report

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Ducat, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Coughenour, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

#### **STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY**

County Board, Recessed Session

May 11, A.D., 2021

Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

Your Committee to whom was referred **Finance** would beg leave to submit the following report on the matters before them:

Your committee met at the Administrative Center on May 6, 2021 at 9:00 A.M. Members present were Charlie Alt, Paul Bowers, Ernie Curtis, Steve Huse and Joe Young. Michael McTaggart and Sherry Johnson were absent. Also present County Board Chairman John Shure, Finance Manager Jill Johnson, County Clerk Breein Suver, Deputy Clerk Debra Rudisill, 911

Director Eric Raymond, Treasurer Kurt Albers, Myron Munyon with Compass Insurance and Suzie Werner with HomeStar Insurance.

The meeting was called to order.

It was moved by Paul Bowers and seconded by Steve Huse to approve the agenda. Motion carried by a voice vote.

There were no public comments.

Myron Munyon with Compass Insurance reported they are working on submitting their insurance bid packet for the County. Compass Insurance is a broker and Bliss McKnight is the current agency being utilized. Compass Insurance has access to other companies but an Agent of Record (AOR) will be needed from the County to be able to receive additional quotes.

Suzie Werner with HomeStar Insurance reported they are also working on the insurance bid packet for the County. Werner also reported on the Cobra Assistance that has been signed by President Biden. Any employee that has been voluntarily termed from employment from November 1, 2019 until current is eligible for the assistance program. The employee is able to get back onto the plan as of April 1<sup>st</sup> and will not have to pay the COBRA premium through September 30<sup>th</sup>. Employers will receive a tax credit for the premiums that were paid out. Werner said an email has been sent to the Finance office with a list of employees that have been termed since November 1, 2019. The Finance office will need to inform Werner if the employees were involuntarily termed or voluntarily termed. If the employees left on their own, they are not eligible for the assistance. In order to be eligible, the employee must have an involuntary termination, not be eligible for Medicare and not be eligible for coverage under any other group health plan.

The department heads gave their monthly reports. They are as follows:

- Finance Manager Jill Johnson reported bid packets for health insurance and property and liability insurance have been advertised. Johnson said she has received some feedback from brokers stating they would require 90 days to bid to allow them to bid more accurately. It was moved by Bowers and seconded by Joe Young to extend the bid packet due date for health insurance and property and liability insurance to September 3, 2021. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried. The audit process is still ongoing. CliftonLarsonAllen is testing for the single audit. Johnson said they are looking to present the audit at the Finance meeting in June. The phones have been repaired. AT&T had damaged equipment in the area, which caused other businesses to lose their service as well. Two technicians were onsite at our location to test our equipment. Johnson also requested assistance from Ruder Technology. After tracing lines for two days, Ruder Technology discovered PRI lines were hooked up incorrectly by AT&T during their testing. Lastly, the BB&T account closure is still in progress.
- Treasurer Kurt Albers reiterated the BB&T account closure is still in progress. The County Offices are waiting on the State to mail in the multiplier in order to send out tax bills.
- 911 Director Eric Raymond reported the ETSB board is working through their capital improvement projects. The items approved at last night's ETSB meeting include a remote tower, generator for 911 and a fire suppression system for their server room.
- County Clerk Breein Suver reported the Clerk's office continues to wait for the final multiplier from the State. Once received, they will mail out tax comp reports to all of the municipalities and units of local government. When confirmation is

received from them, the office will be able to finish extension and roll the process to the Treasurer's Office for tax bills to be printed.

County Board Chairman John Shure discussed the recent phone outage and recommended the Finance committee embark on finding another phone carrier.

The committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Bowers and seconded by Huse to pay the claims subject to County Board approval. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

There was no old business.

There was no new business.

As there was no further business to come before the committee, it was moved by Young and seconded by Huse to adjourn at 9:13 A.M. Motion carried by a voice vote.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Charlie Alt  
s/Paul Bowers  
s/Ernie Curtis  
s/Steve Huse  
s/Joe Young

#### **I.T.**

Mr. Young, Chairman of the I.T. Committee, gave the report of his committee and moved for adoption. The motion was seconded and carried by a roll call vote.

#### **STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll call and votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, May 11, 2021

Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the I.T. Committee report

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Ducat, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Coughenour, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

#### **STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY**

County Board, Recessed Session

May 11, A.D., 2021

Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

Your Committee to whom was referred **I.T.** would beg leave to submit the following report on the matters before them:

Your committee met at the Administrative Center on May 6, 2021 at 9:30 A.M. Members present were Joe Young, Paul Bowers, Steve Huse and John Shure. Michael McTaggart was absent. Also present Finance Manager Jill Johnson, Michael Taber with AreaWide, County Clerk

Breein Suver, Deputy Clerk Debra Rudisill, 911 Director Eric Raymond and County Board member Charlie Alt.

The meeting was called to order.

It was moved by John Shure and seconded by Paul Bowers to approve the agenda. Motion carried by a voice vote.

There were no public comments.

Michael Taber with AreaWide reported the County is prepared to disconnect from AT&T internet once the contract expires. Wireless access points have been ordered and their installation is in progress. The new Highway Department workstations are in and are scheduled to be installed next week. AreaWide continues to work with Finance Manager Jill Johnson on the upgrade to the Abila server. After the meeting today, a free security assessment from the State is being done and they will provide recommendations to the County.

Discussion was held on the recent phone outage with AT&T which caused the phones at the Administrative Center and Courthouse to be down for three weeks. Johnson said the outage was due to damage to equipment in the area which caused other businesses to lose service as well. Two technicians were onsite at the Administrative Center to test the equipment. Johnson also requested assistance from Ruder Technology. During their testing, Ruder Technology found the PRI cables disconnected by AT&T were reconnected incorrectly. Once reconnected in the correct manner, all services were back to normal.

Taber said he will work with Johnson on getting quotes from other phone providers. Shure noted the County is overdue on receiving competitive bids for a phone carrier.

Lastly, Taber continues to work with Johnson on identifying the remaining Windows 7 workstations throughout the County.

There was no old business.

There was no new business.

As there was no further business to come before the committee, it was moved by Bowers and seconded by Steve Huse to adjourn at 9:40 A.M. Motion carried by a voice vote.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Joe Young  
s/Paul Bowers  
s/Steve Huse  
s/John Shure

**TRANSPORTATION & HIGHWAY,  
AUTHORIZATION FOR INCIDENTAL TAKE AND IMPLEMENTING AGREEMENT,  
&**

**LOCAL AGENCY AGREEMENT FOR FEDERAL PARTICIPATION  
CH4 RESURFACING (17-00315-00-RS)**

*(The Authorization for Incidental Take and Implementing Agreement and Local Agency Agreement for Federal Participation have been recorded and placed on file in the County Clerk's Office.)*

Mr. Alt, Chairman of the Transportation & Highway Committee, gave the report of his committee and presented an Authorization for Incidental Take and Implementing Agreement, and

a Local Agency Agreement for Federal Participation for approval. He moved for adoption of all, which was seconded and carried by a roll call vote.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS**  
**IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll call and votes in Iroquois County  
Recessed Session, May 11, 2021  
Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the Transportation & Highway Committee report, the Authorization for Incidental Take and Implementing Agreement, and a Local Agency Agreement for Federal Participation

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Crow, Curtis, DUBY, Ducat, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Coughenour, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

**STATE OF ILLINOIS**  
**IROQUOIS COUNTY**

County Board, Recessed Session  
May 11, A.D., 2021

Mr. Chairman and members of the County board:

Your Committee to whom was referred **Transportation & Highway** would beg leave to submit the following report on the matters before them:

Your committee met at the Administrative Center on May 7, 2021 at 9:00 A.M. Members present were Charlie Alt, Joe Young, Paul Ducat, John Zumwalt and Donna Crow. Sherry Johnson and Chad McGinnis were absent. Also present County Engineer Joel Moore, County Board Chairman John Shure, Dillon Carley with Iroquois Paving and Brad Hill with White Construction.

The meeting was called to order.

There were no public comments.

It was moved by Joe Young and seconded by Donna Crow to approve the agenda. Motion carried by a voice vote.

County Engineer Joel Moore opened bids for Stockland Road District Section 19-26138-00-BR as follows:

- Iroquois Paving \$359,877.26
- White Construction \$370,847.00

County Engineer Joel Moore opened bids for Concord Road District Section 18-08108-01-DR as follows:

- Iroquois Paving \$158,936.14
- White Construction \$234,203.50
- Scanlon Excavating \$185,885.00

Moore said he will have the bid tabs this afternoon and they will be ready for final approval at the County Board meeting on May 11<sup>th</sup>.

The claims and financial reports for the month were reviewed. It was moved by John Zumwalt and seconded by Young to pay the bills subject to County Board approval. A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

County Highway	\$60,279.74
County Bridge	\$6,860.86
County Matching	\$6,435.61
TBP	\$0.00
County MFT	\$53,508.69
Township MFT	\$215,793.23

Moore reviewed the Authorization for Incidental Take and Implementing Agreement. He explained some wording had been changed regarding the movement of the spike mussels, which will occur a minimum of a week before construction begins. It was moved by Crow and seconded by John Zumwalt to approve the final Incidental Take and Implementing Agreement (11-00047-01-BR). Motion carried by a voice vote.

Moore presented a local public agency agreement for federal participation on CH 4 for resurfacing. The County will pay approximately 10% of the cost, State match will pay 10% and Federal match will pay 80%. It was moved by Young and seconded by Zumwalt to approve the Local Public Agency Agreement for Federal Participation CH4 resurfacing (17-00315-00-RS). A roll call vote was taken. Motion carried.

The committee discussed the possible purchase of an F750 truck. Moore located a 2019 truck at a dealership costing \$88,581.60. Additional items such as warning lights would need to be added to the vehicle after the purchase and will cost approximately \$6,000. After the purchase, Moore said roughly \$21,000 will remain in the purchase of equipment line item which will be adequate for the year. It was moved by Zumwalt to purchase the F750 as proposed by County Engineer Joel Moore. Motion failed due to the lack of a second.

There was no new business.

There was no old business.

As there was no further business to come before the committee, it was moved by Paul Ducat and seconded by Crow to adjourn at 9:44 A.M. Motion carried by a voice vote.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Charlie Alt  
s/Joe Young  
s/Paul Ducat  
s/John Zumwalt  
s/Donna Crow

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON BIDS RECEIVED FOR BRIDGE PROJECTS IN STOCKLAND AND CONCORD ROAD DISTRICTS**

County Engineer Joel Moore presented the bids that were received and opened at the Transportation & Highway Committee meeting for bridge projects in Stockland and Concord Road Districts. It was moved by Mr. Young and seconded to accept the low bidder on both of the bridge projects. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS  
IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll call and votes in Iroquois County  
Recessed Session, May 11, 2021

Chairman Shure

On motion to accept the low bidder on both of the bridge projects

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Crow, Curtis, DUBY, Ducat, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Coughenour, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Chairman Shure noted that there were technical difficulties with Zoom and there was a public comment left from Sophia Bos-Shodi with the Illinois Prisoner's Rights Coalition as follows:

“Hello, I'm here to give a public comment but have another meeting, so I'm writing my comment here for the record. I am here on behalf of the Illinois Prisoner Rights Coalition with the intention of reiterating the requests that myself and my colleagues have made to you all over the past months. You have refused to comment on these issues due to a dragged out investigation that is coming to a close. This investigation will be closing as we approach the one year anniversary of deaths in the jail. Since appeals to your humanity have been wholly ineffective, this month I encourage you all to ask yourselves, when statewide or even national attention turns towards the abuses happening under your noses will you be able to say you've done everything in your power to ensure that the budget you approve is being implemented to help and not harm people? Will you be able to reassure the press that you've done your duty of touring the jail to assess conditions? We know you haven't, and encourage you to take those steps.”

### **APPOINTMENTS**

Chairman Shure presented the following appointments for approval. It was moved by Mr. Curtis and seconded to approve the appointments. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

### **STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll call and votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, May 11, 2021

Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the appointments

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Crow, Curtis, DUBY, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Coughenour, Ducat, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

### **Drainage District Appointments:**

Steven Schoth of 3079 N 1850 E Road, PO Box 6, Martinton, IL 60951, as Drainage Commissioner of the Papineau-Martinton Drainage District, No.1 for a term to expire on the first Tuesday of September, 2023.

Michael J. Williams of 343 E 2200 N, Danforth, IL 60930, as Drainage Commissioner of the Union Drainage District No.1 of Danforth & Douglas Townships for a term to expire on the first Tuesday of September, 2024.

**Fire Protect District Appointments:**

Troy Meier of 101 N Widhom, PO Box 384, Ashkum, IL 60911, as Trustee of Ashkum Fire Protection District, for a term to expire on the first Monday of May, 2024.

Todd D Schippert of 1179 N 1600 E Rd, Milford, IL 60953, as Trustee of Milford Fire Protection District, for a term to expire on May 1, 2024.

Nicholas Adsit of 2532 E 300 North Road, Wellington, IL 60973, as Trustee of Wellington Greer Fire Protection District, for a term to expire on the first Monday in May 2024.

**Drainage District Resignation:**

Ronald Zachgo has resigned as Drainage Commissioner of the Union Drainage District No 1 of Danforth & Douglas Townships, effective May 1, 2021.

**CLAIMS**

The following claims were presented for approval. It was moved by Mr. Zumwalt and seconded to approve the claims. The motion carried by a roll call vote.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS  
IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll call and votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, May 11, 2021

Chairman Shure

On motion to approve the claims

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Huse, Lynch, McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Coughenour, Ducat, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny

<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>210 - Sheriff</b>	
<u>Name</u>	<u>Check Amount</u>
Alexander Lumber	251.64
Angel Pest Control LLC	77.00
Aramark Services INC	4,797.27
BP	5,230.14
BP	5,217.66
C & C Tire & Auto Service	1,108.85
Canady Building Maintenance	462.28
Caseys General Stores Inc	256.18
CVS Pharmacy	88.13
DEALER PERFORMANCE SERVICES, INC	66.42
DRALLE'S OF WATSEKA	1,491.73
Shane Eades	75.00

The Fastenal Company	31.31
Getz Fire Equipment	108.50
Hiltz Portable Sanitation Inc.	315.00
KANKAKEE DISPOSAL	100.00
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Iroquois Memorial Hospital	468.88
LEAF	139.21
LEAF	139.21
Mediacom LLC	228.21
Mediacom LLC	228.21
David C. Nagele, D.D.S.	269.00
NATIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY INFO. BUREAU	149.00
Quill Com	63.96
Ray O'Herron Co., Inc.	1,232.53
ILLINOIS SECRETARY OF STATE	151.00
TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT REV FUND	531.24
Walmart Community BRC	99.00
Warehouse Direct Inc	70.65
Watseka Sign Company	782.00
Wex Bank	<u>42.63</u>
<b>Total 210 - Sheriff</b>	<b>24,371.84</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>220 - States Attorney</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
KANKAKEE VALLEY PUBLISHING	508.95
Quill Com	450.19
Jennifer L Schunke	645.00
Thomson Reuters West	200.00
US Band Equipment Finance	<u>105.00</u>
<b>Total 220 - States Attorney</b>	<b>1,909.14</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>225 - Emergency Mgmt Agency</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Pence Oil Company	50.42
Verizon Wireless	49.33
Verizon Wireless	<u>49.35</u>
<b>Total 225 - Emergency Mgmt Agency</b>	<b>149.10</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	

<b>230 - Courts</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Lance Cagle Law Office PC	600.00
Quill Com	234.51
Jennifer L Schunke	228.00
Thomson Reuters West	<u>4,536.84</u>
<b>Total 230 - Courts</b>	<b>5,599.35</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>240 - Probation</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
BP	34.75
Cam Systems	104.00
Quill Com	397.19
Vermilion County Treasurer	1,700.00
Witham Toxicology Laboratory	<u>215.00</u>
<b>Total 240 - Probation</b>	<b>2,450.94</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>250 - Public Defender</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Else Schilling	<u>1,500.00</u>
<b>Total 250 - Public Defender</b>	<b>1,500.00</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>310 - Zoning And Planning</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Byron Christiansen	104.16
The Gilman Star, Inc.	22.50
JEFF MEYER	900.48
Warehouse Direct Inc	<u>19.14</u>
<b>Total 310 - Zoning And Planning</b>	<b>1,046.28</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>410 - County Clerk</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Bruce Harris & Associates INC	270.00
Quill Com	67.07
ULINE	188.33
Warehouse Direct Inc	<u>134.76</u>
<b>Total 410 - County Clerk</b>	<b>660.16</b>

<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>415 - Elections</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
MARY BOHLMANN	22.40
GBS Inc.	13,389.43
Kankakee Valley Publishing	3,086.90
Breerein Suver	<u>34.72</u>
<b>Total 415 - Elections</b>	<b>16,533.45</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>420 - Assessment Office</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Bruce Harris & Associates INC	100.00
CDW Government Inc	82.14
LEAF	175.31
Warehouse Direct Inc	<u>582.95</u>
<b>Total 420 - Assessment Office</b>	<b>940.40</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>425 - Board Of Review</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
DAVID PRUITT	185.68
JAMES SHEARL	404.64
Peggy Shoufler	<u>73.92</u>
<b>Total 425 - Board Of Review</b>	<b>664.24</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>435 - Postage For County Offices</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Midwest Mailing & Shipping Systems Inc.	195.47
Postmaster	<u>5,061.38</u>
<b>Total 435 - Postage For County Offices</b>	<b>5,256.85</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>440 - Animal Control</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Watseka Animal Hospital	<u>1,710.00</u>
<b>Total 440 - Animal Control</b>	<b>1,710.00</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	

<b>510 - Finance/IT</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Area-Wide Technologies INC	5,212.28
LEAF	225.25
Quill Com	300.78
<b>Total 510 - Finance/IT</b>	<b>5,738.31</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
<b>610 - County Board</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
ABILA Checks & Forms	517.65
Clifton Larson Allen LLP	5,926.56
<b>Total 610 - County Board</b>	<b>6,444.21</b>
<b>110 - General Fund</b>	
710 - Maintenance	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Alexander Lumber	105.46
A T & T	2,236.80
A T & T	2,194.49
B & D Enterprises INC	285.86
Canady Building Maintenance	285.68
City of Watseka (Water & Sewer)	813.50
City of Watseka (Water & Sewer)	1,198.88
Hall's Lawn & Garden Center	1,459.38
ILLINOIS POWER MARKETING dba	3,780.21
ILLINOIS POWER MARKETING dba	4,140.38
KANKAKEE DISPOSAL	140.00
KANKAKEE DISPOSAL	140.00
Nicor Gas	1,628.57
Nicor Gas	1,397.26
Walmart Community BRC	69.76
<b>Total 710 - Maintenance</b>	<b>19,876.23</b>
<b>115 - Group Insurance Trust Fund</b>	
<b>615 - Other</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Benefit Planning Consultants	537.50
Benefit Planning Consultants	537.50
Health Alliance Medical Plans	76,994.00
Health Alliance Medical Plans	3,651.00

HOMESTAR INSURANCE SERVICES	2,875.00
<b>Total 615 - Other</b>	<b>84,595.00</b>
<b>145 - County Capital Improvement Fund</b>	
<b>710 - Maintenance</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Weber Plumbing & Heating Inc	637.50
<b>Total 710 - Maintenance</b>	<b>637.50</b>
<b>200 - Public Safety Tax Fund</b>	
<b>615 - Other</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Axon Enterprise INC	3,360.00
EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM BOARD	1,564.61
K C COMMUNICATIONS	13,692.00
Ray O'Herron Co., Inc.	11,561.28
<b>Total 615 - Other</b>	<b>30,177.89</b>
<b>310 - Sheriff's Public Safety Fund</b>	
<b>210 - Sheriff</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Verizon Wireless	442.77
Warehouse Direct Inc	630.00
<b>Total 210 - Sheriff</b>	<b>1,072.77</b>
<b>335 - Coroner Automation Fund</b>	
<b>215 - Coroner</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
WILLIAM NUTTER	200.00
JEREMY SNODGRASS	200.00
<b>Total 215 - Coroner</b>	<b>400.00</b>
<b>352 - Drug Free Communities Fund</b>	
<b>220 - States Attorney</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
CARLEY ADVERTISING SPECIALTIES	176.60
I-Kan	65.00
WGFA & WIBK Radio	12,349.00
JENNIFER MCTAGGART	2,163.73
SARAH PREE	48.16
<b>Total 220 - States Attorney</b>	<b>14,802.49</b>

<b>355 - Probation Services Fee Fund</b>	
<b>240 - Probation</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Cam Systems	88.00
LEAF	119.00
Solution Specialties Inc.	<u>152.88</u>
<b>Total 240 - Probation</b>	<b>359.88</b>
<b>375 - Automation County Recorder</b>	
<b>410 - County Clerk</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
LEAF	<u>232.00</u>
<b>Total 410 - County Clerk</b>	<b>232.00</b>
<b>385 - Election Grants Fund</b>	
<b>415 - Elections</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
CDW Government Inc	752.60
GBS Inc.	<u>1,422.80</u>
<b>Total 415 - Elections</b>	<b>2,175.40</b>
<b>395 - GIS Fund</b>	
<b>420 - Assessment Office</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Bruce Harris & Associates INC	<u>500.00</u>
<b>Total 420 - Assessment Office</b>	<b>500.00</b>
<b>710 - Joint Dispatch Center Fund</b>	
<b>811 - Joint Dispatch</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Aquality Solutions	46.50
Aquality Solutions	<u>38.00</u>
<b>Total 811 - Joint Dispatch</b>	<b>84.50</b>
810 - County Public Health	
910 - Administration-Public Health	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
TAYLOR EADES	84.09
LEAF	400.00

LEAF	159.17
LEAF	400.00
Quill Com	112.78
DEE ANN SCHIPPERT	<u>87.59</u>
<b>Total 910 - Administration-Public Health</b>	<b>1,243.63</b>
<b>810 - County Public Health</b>	
<b>920 - Senior Services-Public Health</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Verizon Wireless	<u>58.25</u>
<b>Total 920 - Senior Services-Public Health</b>	<b>58.25</b>
<b>810 - County Public Health</b>	
<b>925 - Community Health</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
All American Athlete	640.00
Allied 100	293.12
Aquality Solutions	55.75
Aquality Solutions	61.75
Berkot's Super Foods No 321	475.29
Teresa Castonguay	74.32
Eric Ceci	159.46
Central Illinois Radiology	71.41
Custom Data Processing Inc	709.34
GLAXOSMITHKLINE PHARMACEUTICALS	2,034.20
HEALTHLINK INC	19.33
Iroquois Memorial Hospital	101.20
IROQUOIS MEMORIAL	180.89
AUBREY IRWIN	11.20
JUDY MCCANN	217.84
MONICAL'S PIZZA	370.84
JANE NEWELL	151.61
Quill Com	309.16
Riverside Medical Center	127.79
SANOFI PASTEUR	261.14
SANOFI PASTEUR	2,311.40
SANDRA SIKMA	77.84
STERICYCLE INC.	970.83
ALISSA STEVENS	334.37
John C Tricou MD LLC	180.66
Verizon Wireless	58.25

VERK'S SIGN	<u>162.50</u>
<b>Total 925 - Community Health</b>	<b>10,421.49</b>
<b>810 - County Public Health</b>	
<b>940 - Environmental Health</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Clarke Mosquito Control Products Inc	1,408.00
Custom Data Processing Inc	369.60
KATE MUELLER	397.60
PDC LABORATORIES INC	202.50
Quill Com	195.26
RYAN TORBET	453.60
UPS	95.26
Verizon Wireless	211.46
Warehouse Direct Inc	3,377.00
Ryan Wheeler	<u>52.08</u>
<b>Total 940 - Environmental Health</b>	<b><u>6,762.36</u></b>
<b>Report Total</b>	<b><u>248,373.66</u></b>
<b>610 - County Highway</b>	
<b>815 - County Highway Department</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
A T & T Mobility	482.34
Doug Butzow	93.63
Canady Labs Inc	102.40
Clauss Specialties Inc	1,144.94
CLIFTON CHEMICAL CO., INC.	13.50
CMW EQUIPMENT	95.47
Eastern Illini Electric Coop	738.73
Emulsicoat Inc.	10,716.78
ENVIRONMENTAL SYSTEMS RESEACH INSTITUTE, INC	3,423.00
FAST AG SOLUTIONS	273.14
The Fastenal Company	613.00
FP MAILING SOLUTIONS	179.75
FRATCO	66.45
HALEY BROTHERS EXCAVATION INC.	12.47
John Deere Financial	431.79
KANKAKEE DISPOSAL	121.41

KURT ALBERS CO TREASURER	3,245.96
Lawson Products	139.11
Mediacom LLC	307.48
LISA MILLER	400.00
Napa Auto Parts	583.07
Nicor Gas	536.01
Pence Oil Company	59.89
SHELIA'S CLEANING SERVICE	400.00
JOHN SMITH	146.50
JOHN SMITH	400.00
Warehouse Direct Inc	428.83
KEVIN WOODYBY	<u>224.11</u>
<b>Total 610 - County Highway</b>	<b>25,379.76</b>
<b>615 - County Bridge</b>	
<b>815 - County Highway Department</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Hampton, Lenzini & Renwick Inc.	1,041.87
Hutchison Engineering Inc.	<u>5,818.99</u>
<b>Total 615 - County Bridge</b>	<b>6,860.86</b>
<b>620 - Matching Tax</b>	
<b>815 - County Highway Department</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Donald J Dropek	2,500.00
Hutchison Engineering Inc.	3,010.61
Wamble Mountain Farm, LLC	<u>925.00</u>
<b>Total 620 - Matching Tax</b>	<b>6,435.61</b>
<b>625 - County Motor Fuel Tax</b>	
<b>815 - County Highway Department</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
Emulsicoat Inc.	15,454.06
Iroquois Co Highway Department	4,313.22
Iroquois Co Highway Department	5,247.08
Iroquois Co Highway Department	4,313.22
Iroquois Co Highway Department	5,163.52
Iroquois Co Highway Department	4,313.22
Iroquois Co Highway Department	5,163.52
Metal Culverts, Inc.	<u>19,101.15</u>
<b>Total 625 - County Motor Fuel Tax</b>	<b>63,068.99</b>

<b>635 - Township Motor Fuel Tax</b>	
<b>815 - County Highway Department</b>	
<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Check Amount</u></b>
CNC Farms & Trucking	15,067.78
CNC Farms & Trucking	7,140.54
CNC Farms & Trucking	20,160.80
CNC Farms & Trucking	29,403.00
Conrad Trucking Inc	9,033.65
Conrad Trucking Inc	1,784.78
General Materials Corp	22,793.49
General Materials Corp	10,133.20
General Materials Corp	11,417.53
Langley Trucking	13,110.08
Langley Trucking	5,580.71
Metal Culverts, Inc.	4,967.76
Metal Culverts, Inc.	1,632.96
Metal Culverts, Inc.	1,013.75
Metal Culverts, Inc.	5,715.36
Metal Culverts, Inc.	1,100.83
Metal Culverts, Inc.	9,016.48
Milford Township Treasurer	8,080.59
Weber Trucking Inc	<b><u>38,639.94</u></b>
<b>Total 635 - Township Motor Fuel Tax</b>	<b><u>215,793.23</u></b>
<b>Report Total</b>	<b><u>325,245.89</u></b>

**OLD BUSINESS**

There was no old business.

**NEW BUSINESS**

There was no new business.

**ADJOURNMENT**

As there was no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Mr. Bowers and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 10:57 A.M. The motion carried by a roll call vote. The next County Board meeting will be held in Watseka, IL on Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at 9 A.M.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS**

**IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll call and votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, May 11, 2021

Chairman Shure

On motion to adjourn

Aye: Alt, Bard, Behrends, Bohlmann, Bowers, Crow, Curtis, Duby, Huse, Lynch,  
McGinnis, Shure, Young, Zumwalt

Absent: Coughenour, Ducat, Johnson, McTaggart, Offill, Penny