

**IROQUOIS COUNTY ETSB MEETING**  
**January 7, 2025**  
**Clifford Bury Administrative Center – County Board Room**  
**1001 East Grant St., Watseka, IL**

MEMBERS: Chairman Dave Morgeson, Vice-Chairman Warren Weber, Charles Alt, Curtis Marcott,  
Jim Lehmkuhl, and Todd Schippert

- 1) Opening of the meeting  
Chairman Dave Morgeson opened the meeting at 7:00 PM. Members present were Charles Alt, Jim Lehmkuhl, and Todd Schippert. Absent Curtis Marcott and Warren Weber. Also present, County Board Vice-Chairman Scott Watts and Eric Raymond - ETS Director.  
Roll Call for Mileage:  
Aye: Alt  
Nay: Morgeson, Lehmkuhl, Schippert
- 2) Approval of the January 7, 2025 agenda  
Motion made by Schippert to approve the January 7, 2025 agenda. Seconded by Lehmkuhl.  
Motion carried by a voice vote.
- 3) Approve December 3, 2024 Minutes.  
Motion made by Lehmkuhl to approve the minutes correcting Alt to Lehmkuhl in the claims motion. Seconded by Alt.  
Motion carried by voice vote.
- 4) Public Comment  
Raymond introduced County Board Vice-Chairman and Finance Chairman Scott Watts to the ETSB. Raymond explained that over the past few years it has been the goal of the ETSB to encourage the Iroquois County Board to speak and work together with the Fire and EMS departments about the dispatch fees and the necessity of salary increases per the labor union agreement. Other items discussed included how to distribute the fees between the fire and EMS departments fairly, ETS Director participation in development of reports and fees.
- 5) ETS Director's report
  - Radio Console Tornado Siren testing
  - MABAS reports
  - Box Alarms
  - Dispatch agreements
  - EMD bid form
- 6) Equipment/Facility Operations
  - Battery Backups – no reports
- 7) Committee Reports
  - No Report
- 8) Public Safety
  - 2024 stats were presented.
- 9) Personnel

- Raymond had put the search on hold temporarily due to the holiday season, and now past the holidays will begin interviews again for the current open telecommunicator role.

10) Grant updates

11) Approval of Claims

- A motion made by Schippert and seconded by Lehmkuhl to approve the claims as presented.

- Motion carried by roll call vote:
- Aye: Morgeson, Alt, Lehmkuhl, Schippert
- Nay:

12) Old Business

13) New Business

14) Adjournment

As there was no further business to be brought to the board it was moved by Alt and seconded by Lehmkuhl at 8:04 P.M.

Motion carried by a voice vote.