



MARION COUNTY BOARD

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JULY 24, 2026

AGENDA

MARION COUNTY FULL BOARD MEETING

TUESDAY, JULY 28, 2026

6:30 P.M.

MARION COUNTY COURTHOUSE, COURTROOM 302

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY MARION COUNTY BOARD VICE CHAIRMAN TRACY MURRAY
THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG LED BY VICE CHAIRMAN TRACY MURRAY

INVOCATION

ROLL CALL BY LORI LINDER, MARION COUNTY BOARD SECRETARY

RECOGNITION OF GUESTS:

THOSE WHO WISH TO ADDRESS THE BOARD:

Please note that each guest is given the opportunity to address the board with a 5-minute time limit

1. Marion County Supervisor of Assessments Mark Miller – Marion County Board of Review Appointment.
2. Richard Brown – Marion County Tax Issues.

MARION COUNTY BOARD VICE CHAIRMAN TRACY MURRAY

1. Approval of Matt Huelskoetter to the Open Position District 1 Board Seat.

APPOINTMENTS:

Letter received from Kenny Eagan, Fire Chief of the Iuka Fire Protection District regarding the reappointment of Tom Reese to the Iuka Fire Protection District Board of Trustees to an additional term.

Letter received from S.M. Squibb, Salem Fire Protection District Board President regarding the appointment of Joseph Steven Murphy to the Salem Fire Protection District Board of Trustees for the remainder of the 3-year term vacated by James T. Somer. This term will expire on April 30, 2029.

Letter received from Lonnie Mc Daneld, Marion County Emergency Telephone System Board Chairman regarding the vacancy due to the resignation of Jeff Day. Recommendation has been made to appoint Blake Perez, Centralia Fire Chief to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Motion to approve the Full Board Meeting Minutes dated June 23, 2026.
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REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE CO-CHAIRMAN ADAM SMITH

Information/Discussion/Action

New Business:

1. Resolution 2026-36: Engineering Services Agreement - Bernard Road Township Bridge.
 2. Resolution 2026-37: Engineering Services Agreement – Sullens Road Township Bridge.
 3. Resolution 2026-38: Engineering Services Agreement – Zion Hill Township Bridge.
 4. Resolution 2026-39: Intergovernmental Agreement Between the County of Marion, Illinois and the Village of Sandoval, Illinois for Bridge Inspection Services – Structure No. 061-5007.
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LAW ENFORCEMENT: CHAIRWOMAN SHARON WOODWARD

Information/Action/Discussion:

Sub-Committee 911/EMA: Liaison Cody Rose

Information/Discussion/Action

New Business:

1. Resolution 2026-42: Resolution Surplus Marion County EMA Vehicles.

Old Business:

1. Drone Project Funding.
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FINANCE: CHAIRMAN CHRISTOPHER KRUPP

Information/Action/Discussion

1. Review of Finance July, 2026 Bills. (\$156,199.47)
2. Review of Judicial July, 2026 Bills. (\$794,087.13)

New Business:

1. Resolution 2026-35: Adopting Cost of Living Adjustment for Marion County State's Attorney, Public Defender, and Sheriff.
2. Resolution 2026-40: Permanent Parcel Number: 14-00-060-840 – Delinquent Tax Sales of said property of which the County will receive \$300.00 with remaining monies distributed according to law.
3. Resolution 2026-41: Permanent Parcel Number: 14-00-064-745 – Delinquent Tax Sales of said property of which the County will receive \$300.00 with remaining monies distributed according to law.
4. Marion County Trustee Program Impact Summary.

Old Business:

1. Marion County FY 2025 Audit.
 2. Marion County Circuit Clerk FY 2025 Audit.
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BUDGET: CHAIRMAN STEVE WHRITENOUR

Information/Action/Discussion

1. Approval of Budget Committee Meeting Minutes dated June 8, 2026.

New Business:

INSURANCE: CHAIRMAN DAVID IOSSI

Information/Action/Discussion

1. Approval of Combined Insurance and Finance Committees Meeting Minutes dated June 8, 2026.
2. Review of Insurance July, 2026 Bills. (\$40,325.60)

New Business:

1. Approval of Cyber Insurance Policy Invoice (\$21,783.00 – Dimond Brothers Insurance).
2. Approval of Pollution Insurance Policy Invoice (\$2,236.00 – Dimond Brothers Insurance).

COUNTY AND COMMUNITY: CHAIRMAN TRACY MURRAY

Information/Action/Discussion

1. Approval of Budget Committee Meeting Minutes dated June 8, 2026.
2. Review of County & Community July, 2026 Bills. (\$14,957.41)

New Business:

1. Approval of a Motion to Appoint and Send the Names of Marion County Election Judges, by Party and Precinct, to the Marion County Circuit Court for Confirmation. (Resolution/Ordinance not required)
2. Written Notification of Change in Ownership of Commercial Solar Energy-Special Use Permit-SG Community Beach PV, LLC.

BUILDING & HISTORICAL: CHAIRWOMAN DEBORAH REED

Information/Action/Discussion

1. Approval of Building & Historical Committee Meeting Minutes dated June 8, 2026.
2. Review of Building & Historical July, 2026 Bills. (\$51,069.61)

New Business:

REPORTS FROM SPECIAL COMMITTEES:

708 NTAL HEALTH BOARD: JUDITH MEEKS-HAKIM / DAVID IOSSI, BOARD REPRESENTATIVES

1. New Members

Motion to Adjourn with mileage and Per Diem.

Time Adjourned: _____

Next Meeting: FULL BOARD MEETING TUESDAY, AUGUST 25, 2026 at 6:30 P.M.