



# MARION COUNTY BOARD

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Recorder & Clerk of  
the County Board  
Steven A. Fox

Marion County  
Board Secretary  
Lori Linder

AUGUST 20, 2026

## AGENDA

### MARION COUNTY FULL BOARD MEETING

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2026

6:30 P.M.

MARION COUNTY COURTHOUSE, COURTROOM 302

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY MARION COUNTY BOARD CHAIRMAN STEVE WHRITENOUR  
THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG LED BY CHAIRMAN STEVE WHRITENOUR

INVOCATION

ROLL CALL BY LORI LINDER, MARION COUNTY BOARD SECRETARY

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## **RECOGNITION OF GUESTS:**

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## **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. Jay Henke, Little Egypt Festival Chairman – Proposed Utilization of Marion County Parking Lot.
2. Donna Partain and Iuka Concerned Citizens – Bottoms Up Taverns Issues.
3. Neil Smith – Marion County Supervisor of Assessments Issues.

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## **MARION COUNTY BOARD CHAIRMAN STEVE WHRITENOUR**

## **APPOINTMENTS:**

Letter received from Kelly Tinsley on behalf of Nancy Lackey, Marion County Housing Authority Board Chair regarding the MCHA Board Commissioner vacancy due to the resignation of Marva Bledsoe. Recommendation has been made to appoint Cary Henken to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term. The term is due to expire on 9/24/26.

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. Motion to approve the Full Board Meeting Minutes dated July 28, 2026.
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## REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

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### **ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE CO-CHAIRMAN ADAM SMITH**

Information/Discussion/Action

New Business:

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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. Approval of Marion County EMA Policy.
2. Ordinance 2026-05: Creating an Emergency Management Agency Donation/Memorial Fund for Marion County, Illinois.
4. Memorandum of Understanding Between E-Environmental Solutions, LLC and Marion County Emergency Management Agency.

Old Business:

1. Drone Project Funding.
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### **FINANCE: CHAIRMAN CHRISTOPHER KRUPP**

Information/Action/Discussion

1. Review of Finance July, 2026 Bills. (\$192,253.67)
2. Review of Judicial July, 2026 Bills. (\$805,424.37)

New Business:

1. Resolution 2026-43: Permanent Parcel Number: 09-17-315-003 – Delinquent Tax Sales of said property of which the County will receive \$1,556.47 with remaining monies distributed according to law.
2. Resolution 2026-44: Permanent Parcel Number: 09-17-315-004 – Delinquent Tax Sales of said property of which the County will receive \$913.16 with remaining monies distributed according to law.
3. Resolution 2026-45: Establishing Civil Fees, Criminal Fees, and Traffic Assessments to be Charged by the Clerk of the Court.

Old Business:

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### **BUDGET: CHAIRMAN STEVE WHRITENOUR**

Information/Action/Discussion

1. Announcement of the All Day Combined Budget and Finance Committees Meeting scheduled for Friday, August 28, 2026.

New Business:

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### **INSURANCE: CHAIRMAN DAVID IOSSI**

Information/Action/Discussion

1. Approval of Combined Insurance Committee Meeting Minutes dated July 14, 2026.
2. Review of Insurance July, 2026 Bills. (\$45,841.55)

**COUNTY AND COMMUNITY: CHAIRMAN TRACY MURRAY**

Information/Action/Discussion

New Business:

1. Legal Holidays in Fourth Judicial Circuit, Marion County, Illinois.
2. Written Notification of Change in Ownership Interest of Trajectory Energy Partners, LLC - Cervine Solar, LLC to SRE Solar Origination 3, LLC (or an affiliate thereof).

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**BUILDING & HISTORICAL: CHAIRWOMAN DEBORAH REED**

Information/Action/Discussion

New Business:

1. Fire Alarm Systems Inspection Certificate – Public Service/Probation/Public Defenders Bldg.
2. Fire Alarm Systems Inspection Certificate – Marion County Courthouse.

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**LIQUOR: CHAIRMAN STEVE WHRITENOUR**

Information/Action/Discussion

1. Approval of Liquor Committee Meeting Minutes dated July 14, 2026.
2. Renewal of Liquor License for Travis and Becky Sill DBA The Wedding Barn.

Motion to Adjourn with mileage and Per Diem.

Time Adjourned: \_\_\_\_\_

Next Meeting: FULL BOARD MEETING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2026 at 6:30 P.M.