

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

The Iroquois County Board met in Recessed Session at the Administrative Center on Tuesday, August 8, 2006, at 9:00 A.M.

Chairman Schroeder called the meeting to order and asked County Clerk Mark Henrichs to call the roll.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll Call and Votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On Motion to call roll

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Schroeder, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

County Board member John Dowling introduced Reverend Kevin Windorf, Pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church - Ash Grove, who gave the opening prayer after which the Pledge of Allegiance was recited in unison.

MINUTES

It was moved by Mr. Wilkening and seconded to approve the minutes of the July 2006 Recessed County Board meeting. Motion carried by a voice vote.

PAYROLL

It was moved by Mr. Bills and seconded to approve the payroll. Motion carried by a roll call vote.

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Recessed Session, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve payroll

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

COUNTY BOARD SERVICES

Russell Bills	\$ 275.00
Betty Busick	275.00
Alan DeWitt	189.03
Alan L. Benjamin	275.00
Rick Curtis (2 months)	546.80
John R. Dowling	220.00
Jerry P. Haynes	287.64
Dennis Johnson	355.10
Kevin Hansen	146.49
Beryl V. Luecke	245.10
Harriett Mowrey	631.17
John M. Kuntz	265.14
James H. Meyer	390.70
Ronald Schroeder	771.43
Lowell D. Schmidt	275.00
Merle Lemenager	278.76
Donna L. Wasmer	220.00
John Wilkening	444.84
Phyllis Jameson	197.04
Susan J. Wynn	165.00
Jim Hurt	364.00
Jean L. Hiles	249.92

HEALTH

Mr. Dowling, 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.

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Roll Call and Votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve Health Committee report

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY

County Board, Regular Session
August 8, A.D., 2006

Mr. Chairman and Members of the County Board:

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

Your Committee met at the Administrative Center on July 31, 2006 at 9:00 A.M. Members present were John Dowling, Betty Busick, Jean Hiles, Alan DeWitt, Donna Wasmer, and John Wilkening. Also present: Dr. James Finnell, Animal Control Administrator; Dr. Dennis Hopkins, Executive Director of the Iroquois Mental Health Center; Diann DeWitt, Forensic Coordinator for the Iroquois Mental Health Center; Julie Morgeson, Director of Day Services, ARC of Iroquois County; and Ron Schroeder, County Board Chairman.

Dr. Finnell distributed copies of the Animal Control Report for July 2006. There were a total of 10 stray dog calls, 5 bite cases, 2 animal welfare calls, 3 failure to register citations, and 2 dogs sent for adoption to Vermilion County.

Dr. Finnell reported on an application received for a kennel license. The application is to house ten dogs inside a home. He said he will attend the Regional Planning Commission meeting to be held on Tuesday, August 1st to discuss sanitation issues.

Dr. Finnell discussed the problem of a colony of bats located in a church in Gilman which is to be torn down. He said they are brown bats, which are protected. Since they are a protected species, removal of the bats would have to be in accordance with the law.

The Committee reviewed Dr. Finnell's proposed budget for 2007. It was moved by Donna Wasmer and seconded to present Dr. Finnell's proposed budget to the Finance Committee.

Dr. Dennis Hopkins, Executive Director of the Iroquois Mental Center, reported on improved relations with the court system. He said they have hired six trained DUI evaluators and are looking to expand various services around the county.

Julie Morgeson, Director of Day Services for the ARC of Iroquois County, reported on the greenhouse project. In the future this project will bring in revenue with sales of flowers and vegetables. The structure is near completion with the electrical and plumbing work slated to be completed by the end of this week. They are targeting September 1st to begin planting flowers.

Mrs. Morgeson reported on a software subscription they purchased for the purpose of writing grants. This subscription is for three years at a cost of \$4,000 which will enable the ARC to become more efficient in searching for grants, as well as providing the tools needed to help write them. Training on this grant writing program will begin in mid-August. Mrs. Morgeson also explained there is a six-month money back guarantee on the software program.

Mrs. Morgeson highlighted various departments within the ARC, noting their functions as well as their progress.

The Committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Alan DeWitt and seconded to pay the bills subject to County Board approval. Motion carried.

Chairman John Dowling distributed budget proposals from the Ford-Iroquois Public Health Department. The Committee reviewed the reports.

County Board Chairman Ron Schroeder discussed proposed legislation upon local health departments and county residences concerning private sewage disposal systems. The proposal from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) states that homeowners with private septic systems are in violation of the federal Clean Water Act and threaten contamination to the streams and rivers in the United States. Therefore, the proposal is to have samples taken twice a year to be analyzed within six hours to be considered valid. Samples cannot be sent overnight

therefore, must be couriered to a lab. Homeowners would be responsible for charges incurred and as well as record keeping of these tests. No action was taken.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, a motion was made by Betty Busick and seconded to adjourn at 10:22 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which was respectfully submitted.

s/John Dowling
s/Betty Busick
s/Jean Hiles
s/Alan DeWitt
s/Donna Wasmer
s/John Wilkening

TAX

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

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Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve Tax Committee report

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

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Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

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

Your Committee met at the Administrative Center on August 1, 2006, at 9:00 A.M. Members present were Jerry Haynes, John Kuntz, Kathy Ebert, Jim Hurt, Alan Benjamin, and Dale Schultz. Also present were Mark Henrichs, County Clerk; Bob Yergler, Chief County Assessment Officer; Tom Tuntland, County Programmer; Donna Schmitz, Director of Data Processing; David Perzee, Treasurer; Ron Schroeder, County Board Chairman; and John Wilkening, County Board Vice-Chairman.

County Clerk Mark Henrichs reported good turn-out at the County Fair this year. He distributed and discussed the results of the Clerk's opinion poll, which is conducted annually at the fair.

Mark discussed articles from the Election Administrative Report, concerning election issues experienced in other counties. He briefly talked about the County's current voter registration software and the need to upgrade. He said grant money has been approved for this purchase.

The Committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Kathy Ebert and seconded to pay the bills subject to County Board approval. Motion carried.

Chief County Assessment Officer Bob Yergler reported all assessor changes have been processed by his office. They are currently working on data entry and printing abstracts.

Bob said over 120 omitted parcels in four townships have been completed by himself and two contracted assessors. The work will be billed to the respective townships. The 2006, payable in 2007 taxes will reflect the increased EAV.

Bob discussed the assessment of cell towers and other similar structures in Iroquois County. He said currently there is legislation proposed to tax them according to production level per kilowatt. Some counties have taken a conservative approach and added tower sites to the tax rolls at a reduced rate. Bob said he would like to proceed with a similar approach, beginning with cell tower sites. It was the consensus of the Committee that this procedure would capture some EAV and would be worth pursuing.

County Programmer Tom Tuntland distributed his activity report and answered questions. Tom said he has researched the cost of renewing the County's domain name, iroquois-co.com, which will expire in November of 2007. The cost is nominal at \$70 for a two-year registration; however, Tom said the problem now is that the domain is password locked and cannot be administered. He said a domain name is required for internet email and to publish a web page. Changing the name would present communication issues because of current contacts which use iroquois-co.com. Tom said he will work with the company to see if the password can be "unlocked".

Director of Data Processing Donna Schmitz said training with succeeding Director Cecelia Dixon continues. Cecelia is currently doing much of the human resource work and will soon be learning the tasks relating to the budget process.

Treasurer David Perzee said his successor, Mindy Kuntz-Hagan, has recently met with him to make herself familiar with the processes of the Treasurer's Office, including the budget and tax billing duties.

Dave reported one 50% distribution was made to taxing bodies around July 10th. A second distribution will be made following the second installment due date of September 7th.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, it was moved by John Kuntz and seconded to adjourn at 10:31 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Jerry Haynes
s/John Kuntz
s/Kathy Ebert
s/Jim Hurt
s/Alan Benjamin
s/Dale Schultz

MANAGEMENT SUB-COMMITTEE

Mrs. Mowrey, Chairman of the Management Sub-Committee, gave the two reports of her Committee and moved for adoption. The motion was seconded and carried by a roll call vote.

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Roll Call and Votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve two Management Sub-Committee reports

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

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County Board, Recessed Session

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Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

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

Your committee met at the Administrative Center on July 21, 2006 at 9:30 A.M. Members present were Harriett Mowrey, Dennis Johnson, Betty Busick, Russell Bills, Jim Hurt, and Ron Schroeder. Also present was Sheriff Eldon Sprau.

The Committee discussed leasing County Farm ground to the Watseka Park District for use as a soccer complex. It was mentioned that the soccer complex would have a positive economic impact on the area. However, leasing the proposed area would leave the Administrative Center, Courthouse, and Jail landlocked, limiting the possibility of future expansion. Other issues discussed included parking and sanitation as well as whether children outside the county would have access to the programs provided at the complex. It was noted that a nearby land owner had offered to lease a portion of his land to the Watseka Park District for \$150.00 per acre. It was the consensus of the Committee to support the proposed soccer complex at a different location, whether on County Farm ground or privately-owned land.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, it was moved by Betty Busick and seconded to adjourn at 10:35 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Harriett Mowrey
s/Dennis Johnson
s/Betty Busick
s/Russell Bills
s/James Hurt
s/Ron Schroeder

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Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

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

Your Committee met at the Administrative Center on July 26, 2006, at 9:30 A.M. Members present were Harriett Mowrey, Dennis Johnson, Betty Busick, Jim Hurt, Russell Bills, and Ron Schroeder. Also present was Steve McCullough from the Watseka Park District.

The Committee held extensive discussion regarding leasing county-owned farm ground to the Watseka Park District for use as a soccer complex. Alternate locations for the complex were discussed. Leasing the previously proposed area would interfere with the possibility of any future expansion for the Administrative Center, Courthouse, or Jail.

An area southeast of the Administrative Center was suggested. Mr. McCullough stated this would be a prime location for the seven acre tract. Topography maps and further research and paperwork will be needed.

It was the consensus of the Committee to support the proposed soccer complex and to send the matter on to the Management Committee.

Mr. McCullough noted he would like to attend the September Management Committee meeting with further information.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, it was moved by Jim Hurt and seconded to adjourn at 10:51 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Harriett Mowrey
s/Dennis Johnson
s/Betty Busick
s/Jim Hurt
s/Russell Bills
s/Ron Schroeder

MANAGEMENT

Mrs. Mowrey, Chairman of the Management Committee, gave the report of her Committee and moved for adoption. The motion was seconded and carried by a roll call vote.

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Roll Call and Votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve Management Committee report

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

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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 August 1, 2006, at 9:00 A.M. Members present were Harriett Mowrey, Dennis Johnson, Jean Hiles, Lowell Schmidt, Beryl Luecke, and Merle Lemenager. Also present was Larry Pankey, Maintenance Supervisor.

Management Chairman Harriett Mowrey briefly reported on the outcome of the Management Sub-Committee meetings.

The Watseka Park District would like to lease a seven acre tract southeast of the Administrative Center for the use of a soccer complex. Steve McCullough will be attending next months Management Committee Meeting with further information regarding the project. The consensus of the Committee is to table the matter until next months meeting.

Maintenance Supervisor Larry Pankey reported on the following:

- A claim was sent to the insurance company regarding door systems that were struck by lightening at the Administrative Center. The card readers in the doors must be replaced.
- The maintenance crew, along with Precision Piping, have been working on the air-conditioning system in the Administrative Center. The air-conditioning tower is not large enough to accommodate cooling the air when temperatures are above 100 degrees. Larry stated louvers would help keep the hot air from coming in. He will get quotes on prices of louvers for the Administrative Center.
- Larry stated he would contact Danville Tent and Awning for an estimate to install a vinyl awning above the north entrance of the Administrative Center.
- The Work Force Investment Act, formerly known as J.T.P.A., sent a list of several codes the county is in violation of regarding handicapped laws and accessibility. The violations range from being short a handicapped parking spot to bathroom faucets being modified. Larry stated the Administrative Center is now in compliance with the codes.
- New exit signs have been purchased; the signs have emergency lighting on top of them in the case that a power outage may occur.
- Trees on county grounds were trimmed, one tree was cut down, and three tree stumps were removed.

- Larry has contacted CIPS concerning a power pole near the jail that needs to be replaced. A guard rail will be installed in front of the pole as soon as it is replaced.
- Six computer lines and six phone lines have been installed at the ESDA office for the communication center. The Emergency Operation Center should be completed in ten days.
- Two steel doors have been ordered for the visitation room being built at the jail.

The Committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Jean Hiles and seconded to pay the bills subject to County Board approval. Motion carried.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, it was moved by Beryl Luecke and seconded to adjourn at 10:30 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Harriett Mowrey
s/Dennis Johnson
s/Jean Hiles
s/Lowell Schmidt
s/Beryl Luecke
s/Merle Lemenager

JUDICIAL & PUBLIC SAFETY

Mr. Curtis, 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.

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Roll Call and Votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve Judicial & Public Safety Committee report

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

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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 August 2, 2006, at 9:00 A.M. Members present were Rick Curtis, John Kuntz, Betty Busick, Alan DeWitt, Phyllis Jameson, John Wilkening and

Susan Wynn. Also present were Judge Gordon Lustfeldt; Undersheriff Derek Hagen; Arlene Hines, Circuit Clerk; Carl Gerdovich, ESDA Coordinator; Bill Cheatum, Coroner; Mike Power, Probation Supervisor; Jim Devine, State's Attorney; Dr. Dennis Hopkins, Executive Director of the Iroquois Mental Health Center; Michael Shmikler, MSW Outpatient Therapist for the Iroquois Mental Health Center; Diann DeWitt, Forensic Coordinator for the Iroquois Mental Health Center and Ron Schroeder, County Board Chairman.

Judge Lustfeldt addressed the Committee and gave an explanation of some of the claims submitted. He said the net cost of the law library is about half of what it used to be and that the county must have a public law library in order to charge fees. He noted the cost to get internet legal research has risen.

Dr. Dennis Hopkins, Executive Director of the Iroquois Mental Health Center, told the Committee he and his associates were at the meeting to see if everything was going well in the courts. He expressed his appreciation for the good contact going on between IMHC and the courts.

Undersheriff Derek Hagen told the Committee Brandon Legan has graduated from PTI training and is now in the field training program. After his training is complete, the department will be up to full staff. He said a correctional officer will also go for training next month. Derek said the population at the jail is in the low 20's at the present time. He said the department has taken several people to Joliet and there have also been many juvenile transfers. The grant money used for this purpose has run out, so the Sheriffs office must transfer the juveniles.

Mike Power, Probation Supervisor, said his office is over budget in the office supplies line item because of computer problems. He also expressed his concern regarding a memo he had received about Pledge for Life Partnership, which is a federal grant used to reduce underage drinking and suicide rates. He said he feels Iroquois County is being left out because it is looked at as if it were an urban county and not rural. Much discussion followed concerning who the fiscal agent should be and other aspects of this grant. It was determined more information is needed.

State's Attorney Jim Devine said his office has purchased six new computers and three printers. Four of the computers were paid for from drug forfeiture funds, one from the Teen Court fund and the remaining one from the office expense fund. In other matters, Jim said the lawsuit from Douglas Township regarding the McTaggart subdivision has been dismissed. He explained that since the second vote was a super majority, the plaintiff had conceded. Jim briefly discussed County Board voting procedures.

Bill Cheatum, Coroner, distributed his report for the month of July. There were two inquests, two inquests pending, three coroner's certificates issued, fifteen coroner calls transferred to medical death certificates, and two cremation permits issued.

Carl Gerdovich, ESDA Coordinator, distributed his report for July, 2006. Carl said he has just learned another disaster exercise must be done and an evaluation report must be pre-approved before it is carried out. He said he is not against training, but he pointed out that we are not on the same scale of larger cities. He said it is difficult to get the firemen together when most of them have other full-time jobs.

Circuit Clerk Arlene Hines distributed her report for July, 2006.

In other matters, there was some discussion about the jail study and the feasibility of booking fees. There was also a discussion concerning a vacancy on the 708 Board which needs to be filled. The Iroquois Mental Health Center would like to have a member from the County Board fill this vacancy.

The Committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Phyllis Jameson and seconded to pay the bills subject to County Board approval. Motion carried.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, it was moved by Susan Wynn and seconded to adjourn at 10:35 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Rick Curtis
s/John Kuntz
s/Alan DeWitt
s/Phyllis Jameson
s/Betty Busick
s/John Wilkening
s/Susan Wynn

FINANCE

Mr. Schmidt, 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.

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Roll Call and Votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve Finance Committee report

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

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County Board, Recessed Session

August 8, A.D., 2006

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 August 3, 2006, at 9:00 A.M. Members present were Lowell Schmidt, John Dowling, Phyllis Jameson, Susan Wynn, Jim Meyer, Jerry Haynes, and Russell Bills. Also present were Roger Schuldt, Schuldt Insurance; Cecelia Dixon, Data Processing Department; Bob Yergler, Chief County Assessment Officer; Ron Schroeder, County Board Chairman; and John Wilkening, County Board Vice-Chairman.

Roger Schuldt, Schuldt Insurance, reported there were no new claims submitted for the month of July.

Chairman Schmidt introduced Mr. Willard Martin of Onarga. Mr. Martin is interested in obtaining a loan from the County's CDAP Revolving Loan Fund. He would like to set up a manufacturing facility in Onarga to fabricate mulch plates for lawn mowers, which he himself designed. He intends to patent this product, as well as four other of his own inventions. He would like to rent a building in Onarga and purchase used tool and die equipment. He will have four employees including himself. Mr. Martin gave a video demonstration of his product and submitted an application and business plan. He is currently marketing his product and has one order pending. He estimates his start-up financial needs to be approximately \$84,560. Mr. Martin was advised the County is not at liberty to finance 100% of the venture, it must be shared with another lender. They suggested he contact a financial institution which administers small business loans. Additionally, there were some areas of the business plan which need to include more detail. It was the consensus of the Committee to table Mr. Martin's request until which time he is able to meet the requirements of the Revolving Loan Fund.

The Committee briefly discussed an additional request for a loan from the Revolving Loan Fund, submitted by Mrs. Kathy Blunk, President of Illinois Corn Stove, Inc. The applicants were not present and no action was taken at this time.

The Committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Phyllis Jameson and seconded to pay the bills subject to County Board approval. Motion carried.

Succeeding Director of Data Processing Cecelia Dixon reported budget worksheets have been distributed to all department heads. The worksheets are due back by August 11th so that Data Processing may prepare for budget hearings. Cecelia said additionally her office has been assisting the Negotiations Committee with salary projections and other reports.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, it was moved by John Dowling and seconded to adjourn at 10:28 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Lowell Schmidt
s/John Dowling
s/Phyllis Jameson
s/Susan Wynn
s/Jim Meyer
s/Jerry Haynes
s/Russell Bills

**PLANNING & ZONING
and
ORDINANCE 2006-13
Dirks Re-zoning**

(Ordinance has been recorded and placed on file in the County Clerk's Office)

Mr. Benjamin, Chairman of the Planning and Zoning Committee, gave the two reports of his Committee and presented Ordinance 2006-13 for approval. Mr. Benjamin moved for adoption of all, which was seconded and carried by a roll call vote.

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Roll Call and Votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve two Planning & Zoning Committee reports and Ordinance 2006-13

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

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County Board, Recessed Session
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Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

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

Your Committee met at the Administrative Center on July 12, 2006, at 10:00 A.M. Members present were Alan Benjamin, Merle Lemenager, Dale Schultz, Donna Wasmer, Jim Meyer, and Harriett Mowrey. Also present were Gloria Schleeff, Zoning Administrator; Jim Devine, State's Attorney; County Board Chairman Ron Schroeder; and Erin Doss from the *Times-Republic*.

Committee Chairman Alan Benjamin and Zoning Administrator Gloria Schleeff attended the Woodland Town Board Meeting held July 11th. Discussion was held regarding the International Property Maintenance Code with the Woodland board members. The municipality is considering adopting the codes as soon as the proper revisions are made.

The Village of Onarga's attorney is reviewing the International Property Maintenance Codes. The Onarga Board would like to adopt the codes as soon as their attorney is satisfied with the contents.

The International Property Maintenance Code hearings were further discussed. Many municipalities would like to adopt the same wording as the County in order to give them the power to hold hearings. State's Attorney Jim Devine stated he would amend the wording and have the language prepared for the next meeting.

Zoning Administrator Gloria Schleeff distributed a map of the arterial roads in Iroquois County submitted by John Devine in 1996. The Committee discussed the building of homes on the roads. They would like to keep the construction of dwellings limited. The Zoning Ordinance does not list a definition of an arterial road. State's Attorney Jim Devine stated he would establish a definition. Following further discussion, a motion was made by Merle Lemenager and seconded to adopt the map of arterial roads in Iroquois County. Motion carried.

Discussion was also held regarding residences on non-arterial roads. Committee Chairman Alan Benjamin prepared a rough draft for a new ordinance revision. The ordinance reads "One single family home built along a non-arterial road where, at the time of adoption of this section, there existed four or more residences within one half mile at the farthest distance between

residences. Such residences shall be located adjacent to existing residential property or no more than 300 feet from an existing residence if located between residences.”

Chairman Benjamin stated the ordinance would help fill gaps between homes. Some concerns were expressed regarding containing the expansion of homes where the ordinance would apply. Further discussion is needed; no decisions were made at this time.

A Zoning Board of Appeals member is still needed in the Danforth area to fill a vacancy.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, it was moved by Dale Schultz and seconded to adjourn at 11:55 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Alan Benjamin
s/Merle Lemenager
s/Dale Schultz
s/Donna Wasmer
s/Jim Meyer
s/Harriett Mowrey

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Mr. Chairman and members of the County Board:

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

Your Committee met at the Administrative Center on August 4, 2006, at 9:00 A.M. Members present were Alan Benjamin, Harriett Mowrey, Donna Wasmer, Jim Meyer, Beryl Luecke, Dale Schultz, and Merle Lemenager. Also present were Gloria Schleef, Zoning Administrator; Debbie Wright, Chief Deputy Zoning Administrator; Jim Devine, State’s Attorney; and Erin Doss from the *Times-Republic*.

Zoning Administrator Gloria Schleef reported on the following:

- Road right of way definitions were briefly discussed. A definition of the distance in set backs will need to be determined. The consensus of the Committee was to table the matter until next months meeting and refer the issue to the County Highway Engineer.
- A Zoning Board of Appeals member will need to be appointed from the Danforth area.
- Barbara Hammill and Robert Nixon appeared before Judge Lustfeldt on July 21st. Ms. Hammill requested more time to remove her dogs. She stated she is currently looking for a new home outside of Iroquois County. The additional sixty days were granted; the next hearing is scheduled for September 22nd.
- The Zoning Office had a complaint regarding a rental property. Iroquois County inspectors found several health violations on the property. The International

Maintenance Code has been adopted, but no citations were issued. Gloria stated she wanted to wait for the hearing wording to be approved before any decisions were made. State's Attorney Jim Devine noted he would revise the ordinance in Section 111. The ordinance will be amended to state that the means of appeal will be the Planning and Zoning Committee and the County Board.

- Supervisor of Assessments Bob Yergler has found a home with an addition that has never obtained permits. The addition was added on approximately three years ago. The consensus of the Committee was to have the homeowners purchase permits and complete needed inspections.
- A flood plain map modernization project is scheduled for August 10, 2006, at 1:00 P.M. in the County Board Room. The meeting will be with a coordinating group and several village officials.
- A Zoning Officials meeting will be held August 31, 2006, at Starved Rock Conference Center in Utica, Illinois.
- Douglas Township has dropped the lawsuit against Iroquois County.
- Gloria briefly discussed the proposed Zoning Office budget with the Committee.

Following a short recess, a public meeting was called to order for the purpose of hearing two Zoning requests.

John Dirks is requesting to rezone a five acre tract from a sixty acre parcel located in Middleport Township. The five acres would then be split into two equal two and a half acre parcels for a two-lot subdivision. Regional Planning voted seven to one to approve the rezoning. Zoning Board of Appeals voted unanimously to approve the request. Following further discussion, a motion was made by Jim Meyer and seconded to **approve** rezoning the five acre tract from A-2 to RR-1. Roll call vote: Meyer: Aye, Luecke: Nay, Schultz: Nay, Lemenager: Aye, Mowrey: Aye, Wasmer: Aye. Motion to **approve** carried.

Serafin Rodriguez is requesting a Conditional Use to replace an existing home site located in Danforth Township. Mr. Rodriguez purchased the twenty acre tract a few months ago and would like to build a home on the property. The remainder of the land will continue to be farmed. Both Regional Planning and Zoning Board of Appeals voted unanimously to approve the conditional use. Following brief discussion, a motion was made by Dale Schultz and seconded to **approve** the Conditional Use. Roll call Vote. Motion to **approve** carried unanimously.

The Committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by Donna Wasmer and seconded to pay the bills subject to County Board approval. Motion carried.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, it was moved by Beryl Luecke and seconded to adjourn at 11:17 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Alan Benjamin
s/Harriett Mowrey
s/Donna Wasmer
s/Jim Meyer
s/Beryl Luecke
s/Dale Schultz
s/Merle Lemenager

ORDINANCE 2006-14

Mr. Benjamin, Chairman of the Planning & Zoning Committee, presented the following ordinance 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, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve Ordinance 2006-14

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

**ORDINANCE 2006-14
ADOPTION OF
THE INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE**

An ordinance of the County of Iroquois adopting the 2003 edition of the International Property Maintenance Code, regulating and governing the conditions and maintenance of all property, building, and structures; by providing the standards for supplied utilities and facilities and other physical things and conditions essential to ensure that structures are safe, sanitary, and fit for occupation and use; and the condemnation of buildings and structures unfit for human occupancy and use, and the demolition of such existing structures in the County of Iroquois; providing for the issuance of permits and collection of fees therefore;

The Iroquois County Board does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That a certain document, three copies of which are on file in the office of the Zoning Administrator, being marked and designated as the *International Property Maintenance Code*, 2003 edition, as published by the International Code Council, be and is hereby adopted as the Property Maintenance Code of Iroquois County, in the State of Illinois for regulating and governing the conditions and maintenance of all property, buildings, and structures; by providing the standards for supplied utilities and facilities and other physical things and conditions essential to ensure that structures are safe, sanitary, and fit for occupation and use; and the condemnation of buildings and structures unfit for human occupancy and use, and the demolition of such existing structures as herein provided; providing for the issuance of permits and collection of permits and collection of fees therefore; and each and all of the regulations, provisions, penalties, conditions, and terms of said Property Maintenance code on file in the office of Iroquois County are hereby referred to; adopted, and made a part hereof, as if fully set out in this ordinance, with the additions, insertions, deletions and changes, if any, prescribed in Section 2 of this ordinance.

Section 2. The following sections are hereby revised:

Section 106.3 Insert: See attached changes

Section 107.2 Insert: See attached changes

Section 111.2 Insert: See attached changes

Section 111.3 Insert: See attached changes

Section 111.4 Insert: See attached changes

Section 3. That this ordinance and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4. That if any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The Iroquois County Board hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause, or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Section 5. That nothing in this ordinance or in the Property Maintenance Code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding impending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any act or ordinance hereby repealed as cited in Section 2 of this ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired, or affected by this ordinance.

Section 6. That this ordinance and the rules regulations provisions, requirements, orders, and matters established and adopted hereby shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after the date of its final passage and adoption.

Adopted this 8th day of August, 2006.

s/Ronald Schroeder
Ronald Schroeder
Iroquois County Chairman

ATTEST:

s/Mark R. Henrichs
Mark R. Henrichs, Iroquois County Clerk

Ayes 21 Nays 0

TRANSPORTATION & HIGHWAY

Mr. Wilkening, Chairman of the Transportation & Highway 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, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve Transportation & Highway Committee report

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY

County Board, Recessed Session

August 8, A. D., 2006

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 Iroquois County Highway Building on Friday, August 4, 2006. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 A.M. Members present were: John Wilkening, Chairman, Russell Bills, Kevin Hansen, Rick Curtis, Jim Hurt, Dennis Johnson. Also present were Joel Moore, County Engineer; and Ron Schroeder, County Board Chairman.

The Committee examined the claims and financial reports for the month of July 2006. After reviewing all claims, it was moved by Russell Bills and seconded to pay the following claims, subject to County Board approval.

County Highway	\$ 96,863.88
County MFT	\$ 14,391.44
County Bridge	\$ 2,812.27
Township MFT	\$165,375.45

Motion carried.

Kevin Hansen moved and it was seconded to transfer preliminary engineering agreements with Ozyurt & Stone, Inc. to Fehr-Graham & Associates. Motion carried.

County Engineer Joel Moore discussed 06/07 budget proposals with the Committee.

Following discussion on the computer needs of the County Highway Department, it was moved by Rick Curtis and seconded to allow up to \$15,000 for the purchase of new updated computers and equipment, to be compatible with a new state program which will be furnished by IDOT at no charge. Motion carried.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, Jim Hurt moved and it was seconded to adjourn the meeting at 10:02 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/John Wilkening
s/Russell Bills
s/Kevin Hansen
s/Rick Curtis
s/Jim Hurt
s/Dennis Johnson

POLICY & PROCEDURE

Mr. Schroeder, Chairman of the Board, gave the Policy & Procedure report. It was moved by Mr. Curtis and seconded to approve the report. Motion carried by a roll call vote.

STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY

Roll Call and Votes in Iroquois County

Recessed Session, August 8, 2006

Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve Policy & Procedure Committee report

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

STATE OF ILLINOIS IROQUOIS COUNTY

County Board, Recessed Session
August 8, A.D., 2006

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 August 7, 2006, at 9:00 A.M. Members present were Ron Schroeder, John Wilkening, Jerry Haynes, Harriett Mowrey, John Dowling, Lowell Schmidt, Rick Curtis, and Alan Benjamin. Also present were Mike Power, Probation Supervisor; Jim Devine, State's Attorney; Barb Witte, Administrative Assistant to the County Board; Gloria Schleefer, Zoning Administrator; Donna Schmidt, Director of Data Processing; Cecelia Dixon, Succeeding Director of Data Processing; Mark Henrichs, County Clerk; and Carl Gerdovich, ESDA Coordinator.

The Committee reviewed the claims. It was moved by John Dowling and seconded to pay the bills subject to County Board approval. Motion carried.

Chairman Schroeder reported AFSCME Council 31, by letter, has notified the County of their desire to arrange for collective bargaining.

The County has received a copy of the audit report for the Iroquois/Kankakee Regional Office of Education for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005. The report will be placed on file in the County Clerk's Office.

In an effort to modernize the nation's Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs), the Federal Emergency Management Agency has partnered with the Illinois Department of Natural Resources to convert the state's FIRMs to a countywide Geographic Information System (GIS) format. Iroquois County is scheduled for map conversion this year. Because Iroquois County does not have GIS in electronic format this presents a challenge. We are likely not equipped with the money, equipment, or personnel to handle this project. Zoning Administrator Gloria Schleef reported a meeting is scheduled to address local flood mapping issues and to help uncover local data that might aid the project.

The Committee discussed at length the functions and operations of the Iroquois County 708 Board, the Iroquois County Mental Health Board, and the Iroquois Mental Health Center. Recently the Health Committee has considered the recommendation of a County Board member to fill a vacancy which exists on the Mental Health Board. Other issues concerning the Iroquois Mental Health Center were discussed as well. Chairman Schroeder said the Policy & Procedure Committee will refer all issues relating to the Mental Health Board and Mental Health Center to the Health Committee.

ESDA Coordinator Carl Gerdovich reported he continues to have difficulty complying with the requirements of the Illinois Emergency Management Agency and Homeland Security. He said even if the position were full time, as the State would like to see, rural counties face the unique problem of many first responders, such as fire departments, being volunteer making it difficult to get everyone to the table. Counties must be NIMS certified in order to be considered for grants. Additionally, if counties cannot comply with all requirements they will lose their state funding, currently approximately \$12,000 to Iroquois County. The Committee agreed the requirements for small rural counties are not realistic, logical, or reasonable. They considered the consequences of not complying with the nearly impossible demands. Following discussion, it was moved by Rick Curtis and seconded to ask State's Attorney Jim Devine to draft a letter to Mr. Dan Smith, Regional ESDA Director, inviting him to attend the September 11th Policy & Procedure Committee to discuss these issues. Roll Call Vote. Wilkening: Aye; Haynes: Aye; Mowrey: Aye; Dowling: Nay; Schmidt: Nay; Benjamin: Aye; Curtis: Aye. Motion carried. It was the consensus of the Committee to invite Ford County Board Chairman Debbie Smith to the meeting as well.

Each Committee Chairman highlighted their report and answered questions. It was noted due to Labor Day falling on the 4th of September, the Health Committee will meet on Friday, September 1st at 9:00 A.M.

As there was no further business to come before the Committee, it was moved by John Dowling and seconded to adjourn at 10:43 A.M. Motion carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

s/Ron Schroeder
s/John Wilkening
s/Jerry Haynes
s/Harriett Mowrey

s/John Dowling
s/Lowell Schmidt
s/Alan Benjamin
s/Rick Curtis

**APPOINTMENTS
and
TRUSTEE BOND**

Chairman Schroeder presented the following Appointments and Trustee bond for approval. It was moved by Mr. Kuntz and seconded to approve the appointments and bond. Motion carried by a voice vote.

Jeffrey McGehee of 1172 N 900 East Rd, Onarga, IL to Drainage Commissioner of Onarga Drainage District No. 5 for a term to expire on the 1st Tuesday of September 2009.

Mark Wilkening of 354 N 1300 East Rd, Cissna Park, IL to Drainage Commissioner of #53 - Pigeon Grove & Fountain Creek Drainage District No. 1 for a term to expire on the 1st Tuesday of September 2009.

Gail Kaufman of 1739 E 2200 North Rd, Watseka, IL to Drainage Commissioner of #30 - Iroquois Drainage District No. 1 for a term to expire on the 1st Tuesday of September 2009.

Jacob E. Salm of 1914 E 2850 North Rd, Martinton, IL to Drainage Commissioner of Papineau Drainage District No. 3 for a term to expire on the 1st Tuesday of September 2009.

Larry Ballinger of 721 E 200 North Rd, Loda, IL to Drainage Commissioner of #54 - Pond Lily Drainage District No. 1 for a term to expire on the 1st Tuesday of September 2009.

Dean Lemenager of 2516 N State Rt. 49, Clifton, IL to Drainage Commissioner of Ashkum Drainage District No. 1 for a term to expire on the 1st Tuesday of September 2009.

Donald Ikins of PO Box 125, Onarga, IL to Drainage Commissioner of #41 - Onarga Drainage District No. 2 for a term to expire on the 1st Tuesday of September 2009.

**TRUSTEE BOND
- Loda Sanitary District -**

Brendan Foley of 108 Sunrise Dr., Loda, IL - Trustee of Loda Sanitary District for a term to expire on the 1st Monday of May 2009.

CLAIMS

The following claims were presented for payment. It was moved by Mrs. Hiles and seconded to approve the claims. Motion carried by a roll call vote.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
IROQUOIS COUNTY**

Roll Call and Votes in Iroquois County
Recessed Session, August 8, 2006
Chairman Schroeder

On motion to approve claims

Aye: Benjamin, Bills, Busick, Curtis, DeWitt, Dowling, Hansen, Haynes, Hiles, Hurt, Jameson, Johnson, Kuntz, Lemenager, Luecke, Meyer, Mowrey, Schmidt, Wasmer, Wilkening, Wynn

Absent: Ebert, Schuldt, Schultz

COUNTY HIGHWAY - GROUP INSURANCE

DAVID L PERZEE, CO TREASURER 31,200.00

COUNTY HIGHWAY - GAS & OIL

HERITAGE FS, INC 1,027.83

PENCE OIL COMPANY 438.55

SCOTCHMONS STORES 1,079.77

COUNTY HIGHWAY - OFFICE EXP PRINT & PUBLISHING

CINGULAR WIRELESS 179.84

CITYBLUE TECHNOLOGIES LLC 106.60

CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC 212.50

DEAN'S SUPERIOR BLUEPRINT 30.00

MARTIN WHALEN OFFICE SOLUTIONS 187.50

DAVID L PERZEE, CO TREASURER 140.87

PRAIRIE INET 149.85

COUNTY HIGHWAY - ROAD SUPPLIES CONSTRUCTION CST

HALL SIGNS INC 3,723.28

LANDAUER, INC 122.28

PAXTON READY MIX INC 65.00

VARSITY STRIPING & CONSTRUCTION 36,147.36

COUNTY HIGHWAY - REPAIRS & SHOP SUPPLIES

THE FASTENAL COMPANY 683.43

WATSEKA CHRYSLER, PLYMOUTH 103.74

AILEY'S 3 WELDING 218.60

BIG R STORES 97.37

BROWN AUTO & HARDWARE 32.68

HICKSGAS WATSEKA, INC 20.80

KAPER'S HARDWARE & BUILDING 3.80

LINDE GAS LLC 94.59

MARTIN EQUIPMENT OF IL INC 332.60

WATSEKA FORD-MERCURY-LINCOLN 621.77

WATSEKA NAPPA 43.89

COUNTY HIGHWAY - BUILDING MAINTENANCE

C & C PLUMBING & HEATING 117.80

CANADY LABS, INC	41.15
EASTERN ILLINI ELECTRIC COOP	690.89
NICOR GAS	91.98
DAVID L PERZEE, CO TREASURER	32.14
PLUMB MART	19.99

COUNTY HIGHWAY - MISCELLANEOUS

IL EPA, DIV OF WATER POLUTION	250.00
ROBERT ARDEN & ASSOCIATES INC	40.00
CRAIG MASSEY	200.00

COUNTY BRIDGE - CONST OF BRIDGES & ROADS & ETC

HUTCHISON ENGINEERING INC	2,812.27
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COUNTY MOTOR FUEL TAX - SALARY - COUNTY ENGINEER

DAVID L PERZEE, CO TREASURER	6,334.60
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COUNTY MOTOR FUEL TAX - PAYROLL

DAVID L PERZEE, CO TREASURER	4,120.48
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COUNTY MOTOR FUEL TAX - CONTRACTORS & SUPPLIES

GENERAL MATERIALS CORP	3,936.36
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TOWNSHIP MOTOR FUEL TAX - CONTRACTORS & SUPPLIES

BEAVER TOWNSHIP TREASURER	9,181.73
CONRAD TRUCKING, INC	3,567.68
GASAWAY DISTRIBUTORS INC	5,874.53
GENERAL MATERIALS CORP	18,675.45
IROQUOIS TRUCKING CO.,INC	14,939.36
MARTINTON TWP TREASURER	16,522.40
METAL CULVERTS, INC	9,427.68
MILFORD TOWNSHIP TREASURER	10,056.91
MORRISON & BENOIT CONSTRUCTION	52,129.71
SHELDON TOWNSHIP	25,000.00

SHERIFF - MAINTENANCE OF RADIO EQUIPMENT

KENNETH J CAILTEUX	55.15
RAY O'HERRON CO., INC	173.39

SHERIFF - LEADS

COMMUNICATIONS REVOLVING FUND	295.75
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SHERIFF - DIET OF PRISONERS

ARAMARK SERVICES INC	4,860.80
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SHERIFF - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

BAIER PUBLISHING CO	274.00
CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC	113.91
DONNA ARSENEAU	14.40

SHERIFF - GAS & OIL

CASEY'S GENERAL STORES INC	28.90
PENCE OIL COMPANY	6,221.30

SHERIFF - MEDICINE

CVS PHARMACY	227.30
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SHERIFF - PRISONER SUPPLIES

BOSTON MEDICAL CORPORATION	374.20
MEDIACOM	84.94
WALMART COMMUNITY BRC	14.24

SHERIFF - INVESTIGATION EXPENSE

CDW GOVERNMENT INC	107.99
RANDY EIMEN	6.35
JONATHAN RIECHES	211.00
SCOTCHMONS STORES	16.97
WALMART COMMUNITY BRC	33.42

SHERIFF - UNIFORM & WEAPON ALLOWANCE

BIG R STORES	21.50
HUXMAN ADVERTISING	276.00
RAY O'HERRON CO., INC	345.79
SUPERIOR CLEANERS	5.00

SHERIFF - MAINTENANCE OF AUTOS

C & C TIRE AND AUTO SERVICE	156.40
DRALLE CHEV-CAD-OLDS & GEO INC	130.00
JONCO PRODUCTS INC	26.00
PENCE OIL COMPANY	237.31

SHERIFF - TRAINING

ILLINOIS SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION	275.00
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS - GAR	3,910.53

SHERIFF - DOCTOR FEES

IROQUOIS EMERGENCY MED SPEC	154.55
IROQUOIS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	682.25

MEDICAL CONSULTANTS LTD	10.75
DAVID C. NAGELE, D.D.S	253.00
PHILIP ZUMWALT MD	287.84

CORONER - AUTOPSIES & X-RAYS & ETC

WILLIAM K BELCHER	135.00
AIT LABORATORIES	165.00
AUTOPSY PATHOLOGY CONSULTANTS	1,450.00
JOHN SCOTT DENTON MD	750.00
KANKAKEE COUNTY CORONERS	450.00

CORONER - EDUCATION & DUES EXPENSE

IL CORONERS & MED EXAM ASSOC	450.00
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STATES ATTORNEY - CRIMINAL PROSECUTION

BERKOT SUPER FOODS #305	18.08
JENNIFER L SCHUNKE	171.00
WEST GROUP PAYMENT CENTER	100.00
YAHOO!	20.39

STATES ATTORNEY - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

AQUALITY SOLUTIONS	15.50
CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC	485.32
AMY JO HUFFORD	74.30
MARTIN WHALEN OFFICE SOLUTIONS	195.00
RICK OLDRIDGE	242.86
TIGER DIRECT	1,735.32

STATES ATTORNEY - PUBLICATIONS/CONTINGENT

TWIN STATES PUBLISHING INC	35.00
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STATES ATTORNEY - DUES

ILLINOIS STATE BAR ASSOCIATION	406.00
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E.S.D.A. - SUPPLIES & EXPENSES

CARL GERDOVICH	159.70
IL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY	130.00
NEXTEL PARTNERS INC	69.91

COURTS - BAILIFF SALARY

DAN SAWYER	1,408.00
DONALD R KING	528.00
ROSCOE MASON	1,496.00
SCOTT BROWN	176.00

COURTS - SPECIAL ATTORNEY HIRE

JENNIFER SIMUTIS, ATTY AT LAW 255.00
SCOTT R RIPLEY 592.50
RONALD BOYER 2,883.75

COURTS - JUDGES EXPENSE

CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC 20.54
ILLINOIS STATE BAR ASSOCIATION 590.00
GORDON L. LUSTFELDT 21.00

COURTS - BAILIFF EXPENSE

RAY O'HERRON CO., INC 13.90

COURTS - LIBRARY

LAW BULLETIN PUBLISHING 229.00
MATTHEW BENDER & CO, INC 47.70
WEST GROUP PAYMENT CENTER 2,170.82

COURTS - COURT SERVICES

JOSE DAMIA 150.00
MARY GUARDIOLA 48.69
IROQUOIS MENTAL HEALTH CENTER 550.00
JENNIFER L SCHUNKE 48.60

PROBATION - MILEAGE & TRAVEL

CRISSY BARNETT 84.55
GREG BARRETT 93.45

PROBATION - JUVENILE BOARDING

VERMILION COUNTY TREASURER 425.00

PROBATION - EARLY INTERVENTION (JUVENILE)

IROQUOIS MENTAL HEALTH CENTER 460.00

PROBATION - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

SOLUTION SPECIALTIES INC 339.30
AQUALITY SOLUTIONS 15.00
CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC 34.53
NEXTEL COMMUNICATIONS 133.94
REGEL ASSOCIATES 1,031.25

CIRCUIT CLERK - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

BAIER PUBLISHING CO 998.00

CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC	76.88
ARLENE HINES	50.58
PRODUCTIVE CORPORATION	236.60

PUBLIC DEFENDER - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

DALE STROUGH, ATTORNEY AT LAW	666.67
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ZONING AND PLANNING - BOARD ZONING APPEALS PER DIEM

BARB TEIG	55.00
ELIZABETH THOMPSON	55.00
MYRL MARSHALL	55.00
TERRY BURTON	55.00
WAYNE WAGNER	55.00

ZONING AND PLANNING - REGIONAL PLANNING PER DIEM

ALAN BENJAMIN	55.00
BRYAN LUKE	55.00
CHARLES LEITZ	55.00
DON DEANY	55.00
JOHN WEIDERT	55.00
MERLE LEMENAGER	55.00
BERYL LUECKE	55.00
MIKE MORAN	55.00

ZONING AND PLANNING - BOARD OF APPEALS TRAVEL

GLORIA SCHLEEF	11.13
BARB TEIG	11.13
ELIZABETH THOMPSON	19.58
TERRY BURTON	6.23
WAYNE WAGNER	28.48
DEB WRIGHT	4.45

ZONING AND PLANNING - INSPECTIONS

MELVIN ALCORN	950.00
BATES BROWN	2,750.00
INTERNATIONAL CODE COUNCIL	123.00
LUKE WRIGHT	250.00
MYRL MARSHALL	1,150.00

ZONING AND PLANNING - ADMINISTRATION TRAVEL & EDUCATION

IACZO KRISTAL DEININGER TREAS	50.00
DEB WRIGHT	15.13

ZONING AND PLANNING - REGIONAL PLANNING TRAVEL

GLORIA SCHLEEF	11.13
BRYAN LUKE	25.81
CHARLES LEITZ	12.46
MERLE LEMENAGER	14.69
BERYL LUECKE	26.70
MIKE MORAN	11.57
DEB WRIGHT	4.45

ZONING AND PLANNING - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC	94.12
HUXMAN ADVERTISING	97.76

ZONING AND PLANNING - PUBLICATIONS

THE ADVOCATE	16.75
THE GILMAN STAR, INC	18.60
TWIN STATES PUBLISHING INC	44.80

COUNTY CLERK - MAINTENANCE/CONTRACTS

MARTIN WHALEN OFFICE SOLUTIONS	896.78
TIGER DIRECT	1,058.04

COUNTY CLERK - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC	468.46
RICK OLDRIDGE	8.44

OTHER PUBLIC & COUNTY SERVICES - INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT ASSN

IDA	12,500.00
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OTHER PUBLIC & COUNTY SERVICES - GRANT CTR AGAINST SEXUAL ABUSE

IROQUOIS SEXUAL ASSAULT	1,000.00
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BOARD OF REVIEW - MILEAGE & TRAVEL

RONALD KOLLMAN	25.81
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BOARD OF REVIEW - EDUCATION

EASTLAND SUITES	156.80
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COUNTY TREASURER - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC	9.64
QUILL CORPORATION	26.93

POSTAGE FOR COUNTY OFFICES - POSTAGE

DAVID L PERZEE, CO TREASURER	4,000.00
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POSTAGE FOR COUNTY OFFICES - POSTAGE METER MAINTENANCE

MIDWEST MAILING & 61.41
NEOPOST INC 540.00

ASSESSMENT OFFICE - CONTRACT ASSESSORS

NANCY ELLIOTT 477.50
CARL SPARENBERG CIAO 1,560.00

ASSESSMENT OFFICE - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

CRAIG KEITH 125.00
CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC 394.46
MARSHALL & SWIFT 370.95
MICROLOGIC BUSINESS SYSTEMS 91.00
PENCE OIL COMPANY 44.24
ROBERT A YERGLER 29.98

ASSESSMENT OFFICE - PUBLICATIONS

THE GILMAN STAR, INC 27.00
MILFORD HERALD, INC 44.80
THE LONE TREE LEADER 27.00
TWIN STATES PUBLISHING INC 34.30

ASSESSMENT OFFICE - PROF EDUCATION EXPENSE & TRANS

LOUISE BRUENS 52.76
IL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT INST 560.00
WILLIAM KELCH 29.37
ARMAND W POSKIN 17.80
LEONARD TUTTLE 4.45

ASSESSMENT OFFICE - TAX MAPS SERVICE

THE SIDWELL COMPANY 1,072.51

COURTHOUSE, JAIL, & ADMIN CTR - TELEPHONE

AT&T 2,766.79
CINGULAR WIRELESS 183.56
I-KAN 247.21
NEXTEL PARTNERS INC 313.65
SBC LONG DISTANCE 457.75

COURTHOUSE, JAIL, & ADMIN CTR - ELECTRICITY

AMEREN CIPS 12,894.33

COURTHOUSE, JAIL, & ADMIN CTR - WATER

CITY OF WATSEKA 1,541.00

COURTHOUSE, JAIL, & ADMIN CTR - HEATING

NICOR GAS	256.00
VANGUARD ENERGY SERVICES LLC	484.11

COURTHOUSE, JAIL, & ADMIN CTR - MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS

BELL ELECTRIC	846.00
BIG R STORES	93.16
CREATIVE OFFICE SYSTEMS, INC	170.65
HANFORD CARPET SERVICE	92.00
HILTZ PORTABLE SANITATION	170.00
HUXMAN ADVERTISING	112.46
J B COMMUNICATIONS	128.97
KAPER'S HARDWARE & BUILDING	1,706.10
MARQUIS TREE SERVICE INC	1,850.00
MODERN GLASS COMPANY	88.00
PLUMB MART	17.97
PRECISION PIPING	4,501.48
TIMOTHY GOODMAN DBA	3,298.46
WALMART COMMUNITY BRC	244.53
WATSEKA NAPPA	48.25

COURTHOUSE, JAIL, & ADMIN CTR - SERVICE CONTRACTS

ALLIED WASTE SERVICES #726	363.79
ANGEL PEST CONTROL LLC	220.00
AQUALITY SOLUTIONS	193.25

COURTHOUSE, JAIL, & ADMIN CTR - HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES

CANADY BUILDING MAINTENANCE	2,046.61
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COUNTY BOARD - SUPPLIES & EXPENSES

JOHN DOWLING	68.35
TOM JONES DBA	28.50
BARBARA WITTE	16.05

COUNTY BOARD - PUBLISHING EXPENSES

TWIN STATES PUBLISHING INC	332.50
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ELECTIONS - BALLOTS & SUPPLIES & EQUIPMENT

TWIN STATES PUBLISHING INC	49.50
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ELECTIONS - VOTER CANVASSING EXPENSE

IROQ CO AGRIC. & 4-H CLUB FAIR	180.00
KAPER'S HARDWARE & BUILDING	17.81

DATA PROCESSING - OFFICE SUPPLIES

MARY ANN MOLNAR 3.21

DATA PROCESSING - COMPUTER & COPIER PAPER SUPPLY

PRECISION DATA PRODUCTS 137.88

QUILL CORPORATION 35.98

DATA PROCESSING - MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS

TOM TUNTLAND 10.98

ANIMAL CONTROL - SALARIES - WARDENS

DAN GARNER 925.00

WILLIAM GARNER 130.00

ANIMAL CONTROL - ANIMAL CARE

PIPER CITY VETERINARY CL 40.00

WILLIAM A GARNER DBA 1,968.00

ANIMAL CONTROL - OFFICE SUPPLY/VACCINATION TAGS

DR JAMES FINNELL 31.38

HASCO TAG COMPANY 520.70

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS - BLDGS/GROUNDS - CAPITAL EXPENS

PRECISION PIPING 5,121.38

TEEN COURT FUND - EXPENSE OF OFFICE

TIGER DIRECT 1,735.32

RETIREMENT - COUNTY SHARE OF FICA

FORD-IROQ PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT 5,367.78

RETIREMENT - CO SHARE OF RETIREMENT (IMRF)

FORD-IROQ PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT 8,162.92

HISTORICAL DOCUMENT - TRANSFER FROM GENERAL FUND

IROQUOIS CO HISTORICAL SOCIETY 7,024.00

LIABILITY INSURANCE - INSURANCE

S & A CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION 500.00

AUTOMATION COUNTY RECORDER - AUTOMATION EXPENSES

COTT SYSTEMS 1,524.38

AUTOMATION COUNTY TREASURER - AUTOMATION EXPENSES

MARTIN WHALEN OFFICE SOLUTIONS 1,650.00

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL - TELEPHONE

AT&T 57.01

R H DONNELLEY 73.50

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL - HEATING & ELECTRICITY

AMEREN CIPS 74.06

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL - PURCHASE OF RECYCLABLES

DAVID L PERZEE, CO TREASURER 6,000.00

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL - GENERAL OPERATIONS

AQUALITY SOLUTIONS 15.50

BIG R STORES 23.74

BP 453.53

HICKSGAS WATSEKA, INC 52.80

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL - MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS

KKK SANITARY DISPOSAL, INC 307.46

M H EQUIPMENT CORPORATION 96.19

DRUG ABUSE FUND - CONTINGENT

ELDON SPRAU, SHERIFF 1,500.00

INHERITANCE TAX - CONTINGENT

JUDY BARR TOPINKA,ST TREASURER 575,265.00

PROBATION SERVICES FEE - JUVENILE CLOTHING

KANKAKEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE 82.50

PROBATION SERVICES FEE - DRUG TESTING

WITHAM TOXICOLOGY 92.00

COURT SECURITY FEE - TRANSFER TO RETIREMENT FUND

DAVID L PERZEE, CO TREASURER 778.55

COURT SECURITY FEE - COURT SECURITY - DUI EXPENSES

APPLIED CONCEPTS INC 499.16

GROUP INSURANCE TRUST FUND - MONTHLY FIXED COSTS - HEALTH

BENEFIT ADMINISTRATIVE SYSTEMS 76,604.60

ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Mrs. Jameson and seconded to adjourn at 10:29 A.M. Motion carried by a voice vote. The next County Board meeting will be held in Watseka, Illinois at the Administrative Center on Tuesday, September 12, 2006 at 9:00 A.M.