

WILLIAMSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

AUGUST 11, 2026 AT 10:00 A.M.

REGULAR BOARD MEETING

STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF WILLIAMSON)

The Williamson County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, August 11, 2026 at 10:01 a.m. at the Williamson County Administrative Building Boardroom, Marion, Illinois, in a meeting of the Williamson County Board of Commissioners with the following members present:

Tim Atkisson, Commissioner

Jim Marlo, Commissioner

Jim Rasor, Commissioner

Motion made by Jim Marlo and seconded by Jim Rasor, approving consent agenda. Roll call vote was taken as follows: Tim Atkisson, Yea; Jim Marlo, Yea; Jim Rasor, Yea. All members present voting Yea; motion carried.

Annual Report was given by ROE #21, Lorie LeQuatte, Regional Superintendent.

Maintenance and Grounds Department update from Supervisor, Mike Cerruti. Eggemeyer and Associates gave a price of \$150,000 to replace door handles in the courthouse. The board agreed they were ready for an ad to be put in the paper to put out for bid. Also, gave an update on the chiller in the jail now being repaired.

Veterans Assistance Commission update given by Tom Harness.

Motion made by Jim Marlo and seconded by Jim Rasor, amending the date from the 18th to the 21st of August on the fireworks application for Walker's Bluff Casino. Roll call vote was taken as follows: Tim Atkisson, Yea; Jim Marlo, Yea; Jim Rasor, Yea. All members present voting Yea; motion carried.

Enterprise Lease Agreement will be discussed at another meeting. The board would like to have a Q&A meeting with Enterprise, dates will be discussed.

Motion made by Jim Marlo and seconded by Jim Rasor, approving the signing of a three year agreement with Local.Gov Renewal with AZAVAR/Visit SI. The Treasurer also stated he will work on getting an IGA setup with Visit SI in the future. Roll call vote was taken as follows: Tim Atkisson, Yea; Jim Marlo, Yea; Jim Rasor, Yea. All members present voting Yea; motion carried.

Motion made by Jim Marlo and seconded by Jim Rasor, appointing Cary Minnis to the Southern Illinois Economic Development Authority board to serve the remainder of the term due to Aaron Smith's resignation. Roll call vote was taken as follows: Tim Atkisson, Yea; Jim Marlo, Yea; Jim Rasor, Yea. All members present voting Yea; motion carried.

Board agreed that Eggemeyer and Associates will put out a bid for the demolition of the old Animal Control Building.

Community Growth and Development #9 update given by Beatrice Walls.

Motion made by Tim Atkisson and seconded by Jim Rasor, approving travel reimbursement for Jim Marlo in the amount of \$217.36. Roll call vote was taken as follows: Tim Atkisson, Yea; Jim Marlo, Abstain; Jim Rasor, Yea. All members present two voting Yea; motion carried.

Board agreed on the purchase of a new refrigerator for the 2nd floor and will be paid for out of capital improvement.

Commissioner Marlo gave an update on the Ram truck for the maintenance department. Still no shipping date has been received at this time.

Board agreed that there will be no Fall Cleanup this year due to budgeting.

Motion made by Jim Marlo and seconded by Jim Rasor to recess and reconvene meeting at 1:30 p.m. Roll call vote was taken as follows: Tim Atkisson, Yea; Jim Marlo, Yea; Jim Rasor, Yea. All members present voting Yea; motion carried.

Meeting reconvened at 1:32 p.m. with the following present: Tim Atkisson, Jim Marlo and Jim Rasor.

Progress and Pay meeting with Eggemeyer and Associates and Fager McGee.

Motion made by Jim Marlo and seconded by Jim Rasor, approving pay request in the amount of \$209,756.82 to Fager McGee. Roll call vote was taken as follows: Tim Atkisson, Yea; Jim Marlo, Yea; Jim Rasor, Yea. All members present voting Yea; motion carried.

Motion made by Jim Marlo and seconded by Jim Rasor to adjourn meeting. Roll call vote was taken as follows: Tim Atkisson, Yea; Jim Marlo, Yea; Jim Rasor, Yea. All members present voting Yea; motion carried.