



2026 FARMLAND ASSESSMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE MINUTES

Pamela Bruens, Ford County CCAO, Chairman

200 W. State St., Paxton, Illinois

Wednesday, June 11, 2025

9:00 a.m.

The 2026 Ford County Farmland Assessment Committee was called into session at 9:02 a.m. June 11, 2025. Members present were Pamela Bruens, Chief County Assessment Officer; Johnathan Powers, Ford County Board of Review Chairman; Ronald Bork, committee member; Kevin Buhs, committee member; and Dallas Glazik, committee member. Brenda Matherly from the Illinois Farm Bureau and Kacie Claire from the Ford-Iroquois Farm Bureau were in attendance.

Mr. Bork made the motion to approve the 2026 Agenda as presented; Mr. Powers seconded. All present in favor.

Mr. Powers motioned approval of the 2025 meeting minutes; Mr. Glazik seconded. All present in favor.

The 2026 Certified Farmland Assessment Values from the Department of Revenue were presented along with the outline of the 2026 valuation process. There was no public comment. Brenda Matherly from the Illinois Farm Bureau elaborated on how the certified values are determined. After discussion of values and the valuation process, Mr. Bork made the motion to approve and adopt the 2026 Farmland Certified Values; Mr. Powers seconded the motion. Committee Chairman, Mrs. Bruens and committee member Mr. Glazik voted in favor. Mr. Buhs opposed.

No further business to come before the committee, Mr. Buhs moved and Mr. Glazik seconded to adjourn the meeting. Meeting was adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

Dated: June 11, 2025

Submitted By: _____

Pamela Bruens

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Ford County Farmland Assessment Review Committee, Chairman

Approved: June 9, 2026