

Ford County Highway Committee Minutes

The Ford County Highway Committee met on September 09, 2026 at the Ford County Highway Department in Roberts, Illinois.

Present at this regular scheduled meeting were Tim Nuss, Cindy Ihrke, Lesley King and Neil Rhoades. County Technician Jeremy Putnam was also present. Mr. Nuss called the meeting to order at 7:04 a.m.

Mrs. King moved to accept the Agenda. Seconded by Mr. Rhoades. Motion passed.

First on the agenda was the review of August 05, 2026 minutes. Mrs. King moved and Mr. Rhoades seconded the motion that they be approved. Motion passed.

Mrs. Ihrke entered the meeting. Mr. Nuss moved to seat her at 7:10 a.m. Mrs. King seconded. Motion passed.

Public Comment: Howard Haley had questions about the status of Kempton Road, a pot hole by a bridge and a Beaver Dam. He also stated that he could not find the Highway Committee Meeting Agenda on the county website.

August bills were read and presented by Mr. Putnam. Mr. Nuss moved and Mrs. Ihrke seconded the motion to send the bills to the full board. Motion passed.

The committee then reviewed the fund balance report and the highway appropriations and expenses report.

Old Business:

- Mr. Putnam informed the committee of the activities at the County Highway Department during the month of August and will provide a written report for the full board.

New Business:

- Mr. Putnam discussed the Petition for Aid for culvert replacement for Peach Orchard Township. Mrs. Ihrke moved. Seconded by Mr. Rhoades. Motion passed to send to the full board.

Resolutions:

- Agreement with HLR for engineering services for Kempton Road pavement overlay. Mr. Nuss moved to send to the full board and Mrs. Ihrke seconded. Motion passed.

Next Meeting will be **Wednesday October 7, 2026 at 7:00 a.m.**

Having no further items to discuss, Mrs. King moved to adjourn at 8:08 am. Seconded by Mr. Rhoades. Motion passed.