

Minutes - Board of County Commissioners

ILLINOIS OFFICE SUPPLY E2109546KV

Randolph County Board of Commissioners

April 24, 2026

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF RANDOLPH)

Chairman David Holder called the meeting of the Randolph County Board of Commissioners to order at 9:00 AM on April 24, 2026 at the Boardroom.

PLEDGE

The meeting started with the PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE. The pledge was led by Chairman Holder.

ROLL CALL

Attendance taken at 9:00: David Holder, Present; Andy Gerlach, Present; Ronald G White, Present.

David Holder


Chairman

Andy Gerlach


Member

Ronald G White


Member

ATTEST: 
County Clerk

APPROVAL OF PRIOR MINUTES

After reviewing the minutes from the previous meeting, Ronald G White made a motion to approve prior commission minutes dated 4/10/2026 9:00 AM. Andy Gerlach seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote.

RANDOLPH COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

The HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT held a general discussion with the Board on the current operations of the department and presented the claims for consideration.

Motion/Vote-HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT CLAIMS

Andy Gerlach made a motion to allow and pay all claims as presented. Ronald G White seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote.

CARE CENTER

The CARE CENTER held a general discussion with the Board on the current operations of the facility and presented the claims for consideration.

Motion/Vote - CARE CENTER CLAIMS

Andy Gerlach made a motion to allow and pay all claims as presented. Ronald G White seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The HEALTH DEPARTMENT held a general discussion with the Board on the current operations of the department and presented the claims for consideration.

Motion/Vote - HEALTH DEPARTMENT CLAIMS

Ronald G White made a motion to allow and pay all claims as presented. Andy Gerlach seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote.

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GENERAL ASSISTANCE

The GENERAL ASSISTANCE claims were presented and reviewed for consideration with accounts payable totaling \$300.00.

Motion/Vote - GENERAL ASSISTANCE CLAIMS

Ronald G White made a motion to allow and pay all claims as presented. Andy Gerlach seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote.

CLAIMS

The CLAIMS against the County were presented and reviewed for consideration with the exception of claim number 22792.

Motion/Vote - CLAIMS

Andy Gerlach made a motion to allow and pay all claims except claim number 22792 as presented Ronald G White seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote.

Claim number 22792 made to Total Eclipse, Inc. in the amount of \$2,500.00 was presented for approval.

Motion/Vote - CLAIM 22792

Andy Gerlach made a motion to allow and pay the claim as presented. Chairman David Holder seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Andy Gerlach (Yes), David Holder (Yes), Ronald G White (Abstain).

APPOINTMENTS

Chairman Holder announced the following appointments.

Coulterville Fire District
Jason Schlesinger
Three year term expiring May 1, 2029

Motion/Vote - APPOINTMENT/SCHLESINGER

Ronald G White made a motion to concur with this appointment. Andy Gerlach seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Ronald G White (Yes), Andy Gerlach (Yes), David Holder (Yes).

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David Holder
One year term expiring February, 2027

Motion/Vote - APPOINTMENT/HOLDER

Ronald G White made a motion to concur with this appointment. Andy Gerlach seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Ronald G White (Yes), Andy Gerlach (Yes), David Holder (Abstain).

Utility Coordination Council
Grant Deterding
One year term expiring January 1, 2027

Motion/Vote - APPOINTMENT/DETERDING

Ronald G White made a motion to concur with this appointment. Andy Gerlach seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Ronald G White (Yes), Andy Gerlach (Yes), David Holder (Yes).

Utility Coordination Council
Melanie Johnson
One year term expiring January 1, 2027

Motion/Vote - APPOINTMENT/JOHNSON

Ronald G White made a motion to concur with this appointment. Andy Gerlach seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Ronald G White (Yes), Andy Gerlach (Yes), David Holder (Yes).

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Utility Coordination Council
 Ronald G White
 One year term expiring January 1, 2027

Motion/Vote - APPOINTMENT/WHITE

Andy Gerlach made a motion to concur with this appointment. Chairman David Holder seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Andy Gerlach (Yes), David Holder (Yes), Ronald G White (Abstain).

ELECTED OFFICIALS SALARY ORDINANCE

The following ordinance was presented for approval.

ORDINANCE No. 26-04

ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING COMPENSATION FOR ELECTED OFFICIALS TO BE ELECTED IN 2026 GENERAL ELECTION

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 9(b) of the Illinois Constitution provides, in pertinent part as follows: "An increase or decrease in the salary of an elected officer of any unit of local government shall not take effect during the term for which that officer is elected."; and

WHEREAS, The County Board shall determine the salaries and compensation for those elective officers six months prior to the election of the respective office; and

WHEREAS, the following offices are to be elected during the general election on November 3, 2026:

- A. County Clerk - Four Year Term;
- B. County Assessor - Four Year Term;
- C. County Treasurer - Four Year Term;
- D. County Sheriff - Four Year Term;
- E. County Board (Seat 3) - Six Year Term;

NOW; THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED as follows:

Section 1. That the annual salaries and other terms of compensation for the following County elected officials are established and are to be effective on December 1st of each indicated year as follows:

<u>Office</u>	<u>12/01/26</u>	<u>12/01/27</u>	<u>12/01/28</u>	<u>12/01/29</u>	<u>12/01/30</u>	<u>12/01/31</u>
County Clerk	\$76,000	\$77,520	\$79,070	\$80,650	n/a	n/a
County Assessor	\$72,000	\$76,000	\$78,000	\$80,650	n/a	n/a
County Treasurer	\$76,000	\$77,520	\$79,070	\$80,650	n/a	n/a
County Sheriff	Per State Statute, Currently \$178,920				n/a	n/a
County Board (Seat 3)	\$44,000	\$44,880	\$45,800	\$46,700	\$47,600	\$48,600

Section 2. In addition to the salaries as set forth above, each office holder enumerated above in Section 1 shall receive the following benefits from the County of Randolph during the fiscal years as set forth above:

- A. Health insurance coverage for the individual Office Holder only and as provided to other County employees.
- B. Coverage in the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) - (if coverage is provided by IMRF for the Office held) and as provided to other County employees.

Section 3. Effective date. These salaries and benefits shall become effective for those activities taking place on or after December 1, 2026.

Passed by the County Board this 24th day of April, 2026.

AYES: 3
 NAYS: 0
 PRESENT 3
 ABSTAIN / ABSENT 0

S/Melanie L Johnson, COUNTY CLERK

Passed and Approved this 24th day of April, 2026.

S/David Holder, CHAIRMAN, RANDOLPH COUNTY BOARD

ATTEST: Melanie L Johnson, COUNTY CLERK

Motion/Vote - SALARY ORDINANCE

Ronald G White made a motion to pass ordinance no. 26-04 as presented. Andy Gerlach seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Ronald G White (Yes), Andy Gerlach (Yes), David Holder (Yes).

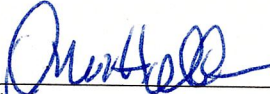
STATE HISTORIC SITE UPDATE

State Historical Site Ranger Shane Wagner and Site Supervisor Jesse Walter met with the Board to give an update on repairs to the Pierre Menard Home and maintenance at the Fort Kaskaskia Park.

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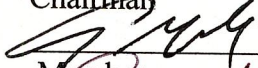
There being no further business to come before the Board, Andy Gerlach made a motion to recess this meeting until 5/8/2026. Ronald G White seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote. This meeting recessed at 9:37 am.

David Holder




Chairman

Andy Gerlach



Member

Ronald G White



Member

ATTEST:
County Clerk

