

DATE: July 18, 2016

**HEALTH & ENVIRONMENT, ZONING,  
RABIES (DOG POUND), EMERGENCY SERVICES, 9-1-1,  
CENTRAL DISPATCH, TOURISM, ECONOMIC, DEVELOPMENT,  
BI-COUNTY HEALTH BOARD, INSURANCE & SUPERVISOR OF ASSESSMENTS  
DECEMBER, 2015 THRU NOVEMBER, 2016  
FIRST AND THIRD MONDAYS OF THE MONTH  
COUNTY BOARD ROOM AT THE COURTHOUSE AT 4:45 P.M.**

COMMITTEEMAN:

- (~~o~~) Tom Vaughn - Chair - Central Dispatch
- (~~o~~) Neil Hargis - Economic Development - Animal Control
- (~~o~~) Steve Leek - Supervisor of Assessments - Mapping
- (~~o~~) Jack Warren - ADA/Zoning
- (~~o~~) Danny Melvin - Bi County Health Board - Solid Toxic Waste
- (~~o~~) David Rea - Emergency Services - 911
- (~~o~~) Kenny Hungate - Economic Development
- ( ) Alan Price & Tom Vaughn - Tourism/Economic Development
- (~~o~~) Randall Crocker - County Board Chair - Insurance

MINUTES: The meeting was called to order at 4:56 p.m. by chair, Tom Vaughn. Not present was Alan Price, in attendance were, Franklin County Sheriff, Don Jones, Franklin County Clerk, Greg Woolard, Franklin County Circuit Clerk, Nancy Hobbs, Franklin County Coroner, Marty Leffler, Regional Superintendent of Schools, Matt Donkin, Franklin County Engineer, Mike Rolla, Franklin County Supervisor of Assessments, Cindy Humm, Franklin County Board Administrative Assistant, Gayla Sink, Franklin County Recycling Coordinator, Keith Ward and other interested parties.

Tom Vaughn reported on the Animal Control and Tourism and stated visitation at Rend Lake was up 12% this year.

Dr Bee a private practicing medical doctor explained his position on the Franklin Hospital, discussion followed.

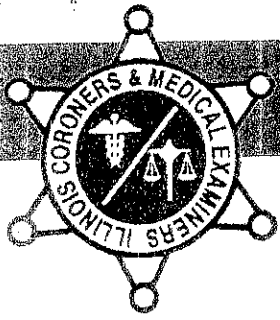
Regional Superintendent of Schools, Matt Donkin reported on a recent annual state meeting.

Franklin County Coroner, Marty Leffler submitted the June coroner report and reported on activities in his department. A copy of said report is hereby attached as a part of these minutes.

Randall Crocker reported on the drone acquired by the Emergency Management department and discussed the need for insurance covering it, discussion followed.

Discussion was held concerning upcoming Franklin Hospital appointments.

The meeting adjourned at 5:35 p.m.



# Franklin County Coroner

County of Franklin, Illinois

411 East Main Street  
Benton, Illinois 62812  
618-439-6850 Ext. 2501  
franklincountycoroner@yahoo.com

**Marty P. Leffler**  
Coroner

**John Graskewicz**  
Chief Deputy Coroner

**Richard W. Good**  
Deputy Coroner

**Steve Gilbert**  
Deputy Coroner

**Gary Little**  
Deputy Coroner

**Steve Leek**  
Deputy Coroner

**Bernie Staten**  
Secretary

June 2016

June case total 23

Annual total through June 30, 2016 = 165

9 females @ an average age of 73.88 years of age

14 males @ an average age of 71.07 years of age

Transported 3

Autopsies 2

Cremations 12 @ \$50 per permit = \$600

12 deaths between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m.

6 weekend deaths

7 Cancer Deaths

Deaths per day of the week Monday 3, Tuesday 1, Wednesday 6, Thursday 4, Friday 3, Saturday 2, Sunday 4.

Deaths by residence town: 8 Benton, 6 West Frankfort, 4 Christopher, 2 Herrin, 1 Sesser, 1 Zeigler, 1 Thompsonville



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MINUTES: The meeting was called to order at 5:11 p.m. by chair, Tom Vaughn. All members were present, also in attendance were, Franklin County States Attorney, Evan Owens, Franklin County Sheriff, Don Jones, Franklin County Clerk, Greg Woolard, Franklin County Circuit Clerk, Nancy Hobbs, Regional Superintendent of Schools, Matt Donkin, Franklin County Supervisor of Assessments, Cindy Humm, Franklin County Board Administrative Assistant, Gayla Sink, Katy Samples from the Franklin County Engineers office, Franklin County Juvenile Detention Supervisor, Shawn Freeman, Franklin County Recycling Coordinator, Keith Ward and other interested parties.

Regional Superintendent of Schools, Matt Donkin reported on monies received from the State to his department.

Franklin County Sheriff, Don Jones reported 104 now in custody in the Franklin County Jail.

Gayla Sink reported on the safety committee and the upcoming Safety Day.

Tom Vaughn reported on the Franklin County Animal Control and Franklin County Tourism.

The meeting adjourned 5:16 p.m.

Minutes submitted 7/7/16

Tom Vaughn  
Chair, Health and Environment Committee