

DATE: December 6, 2021

TRANSPORTATION
(Road and Bridge, Building and Grounds)
DECEMBER, 2020 THRU NOVEMBER, 2021
FIRST AND THIRD MONDAYS OF THE MONTH

******Beginning Monday, October 4, 2021, and until further notice...the Franklin County Board Committee meetings and Franklin County Board meetings will be held at:**

**FRANKLIN COUNTY CAMPBELL BUILDING,
COURTROOM A
901 PUBLIC SQUARE
BENTON, ILLINOIS**

COMMITTEEMEN:

- Kevin Weston – Chairman, Courthouse Construction
- Randall Crocker – Courthouse Construction
- John Gossett - Buildings
- Neil Hargis
- Mark Kash
- Larry Miller – County Board Chairman
- Ray Minor
- Jack Warren
- Brad Wilson

County Offices

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- David Bartoni, Sheriff
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- Abigail Dinn
- Darla Fitzgerald, Court Services
- Marty Leffler, Coroner
- Lorie LeQuatte, ROE
- Cynthia Miklos, Supervisor of Assessments
- Jim Muir, Circuit Clerk
- Bobbie Overturf, Animal Control Supervisor
- Sarah Popham, JDC Superintendent
- Gayla Prather, County Board Adm. Assist.
- Mike Rolla, County Engineer
- Judge Tom Tedeschi,
- Monica Urban, Probation
- Steve Vercellino, Treasurer – Conference Call-In
- Greg Woolard, County Clerk

Guests..... Beth Cunningham, Teri Conaway, Chrissy Milby, Don Miklos, Marie Taylor and other interested parties.

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The meeting was called to order at 5:15 PM by Chairman Kevin Weston. See above list of those attending.

County Highway Engineer Mike Rolla...

- Presented County Highway claims.
- Spoke on the tornado that was in the West Frankfort area the previous evening. He mentioned that some brush was down in the County Highway area, but nothing significant.
- He has a couple of older vehicles to be auctioned in the near future to the Franklin county road commissioners.
- Greater Egypt Rural Planning Commission is still working through the ideas that have been submitted. The plans have been broken down to ideas for 1-10 years and ideas for 11-25 years. Some of Rolla's ideas include...
 - 2 Miles of guard rails
 - 911 sign up-grade program
 - Warning signs – stop/ curve/no passing...
 - The township road from State Highway 37 to the Baseball Field at Rend Lake College
 - Asphalt jobs for several roads throughout the county.

Chairman Weston gave his report on the items he had on the following board agenda later that evening...

- PCO #38 deals with detention access panels - \$12,115.74
- GFI Printers and Copiers for the courthouse - \$28,578.45
- Concept of Illinois mobile office solution for the County Board Office - \$3,052.00

The meeting adjourned at 5:36 PM

Minutes submitted 12/15/2021

Kevin Weston, Chairman- Transportation (Road and Bridge) Committee

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Guests..... Don Miklos, Todd McDicken, and other interested parties.

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The meeting was called to order at 5:24 PM by Chairman Kevin Weston. See above list of those attending.

County Highway Engineer Mike Rolla...

- Presented County Highway claims.
- County Highway is still preparing Creek Nation Road for asphalt to be done by IDOT.
- County Crew is making preparations for snow if needed.
- Has met with IDOT on State Route 148 work needed by Zeigler-Royalton High School.
- No decisions have been made by Greater Egypt Regional Planning Commission concerning future projects.

Chairman Weston gave his report on the items he had on the following board agenda later that evening...

- PCO #039 - Fiber Optic Cabling
- PCO #040 – Elevator Control Room V.A.V. (Building Code requires cooling room)
- Explained a concern about getting the granite to the third floor.

Randall Crocker, Courthouse Dedication Chairman...

- Explained progress with the display case which is being built by Mark Whitler.
- Also explained the significance of the “Fair Jug” which will be the center of attention in the display case.
- Asked the board to consider an initial payment of \$4,000 to Mr. Whitler.
- Still working on a definite date, speakers, etc.

The meeting adjourned at 5:45 PM

Minutes submitted 12/30/2021

Kevin Weston, Chairman- Transportation (Road and Bridge) Committee