



# COUNTY OF ST. CLAIR

## HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT



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### MEETING OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE September 30, 2024

The meeting was called to order by the Public Safety Committee Chairman Jerry Dinges, at 6:30 p.m., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Members Present:** Chairman Jerry Dinges, Asst. Chairman Steve Gomric, Sue Gruberman, Roy Mosley Jr., G.W. Scott Jr., CJ Baricevic, and Mike O'Donnell

**Members Excused:** None

**Others Present:** Chairman Mark Kern, Robert Allen. Jr., Lonnie Mosley, Scott Greenwald, Robert Trentman, Robert Wilhelm, Phil Henning, Harry Hollingsworth, John Coers, Anne Markezich, Norm Etling, Lt Colonel Thomas Knapp, Herb Simmons, and Lexi Cortez (BND).

There were no comments from the public regarding the Public Safety Meeting's Agenda.

Chairman Jerry Dinges, asked for approval of August 26, 2024, Public Safety Committee Meeting's Minutes.

It was moved by G.W Scott Jr., and seconded by Sue Gruberman.

There being no questions, Motion Carried, was approved to place on file.

**New Business: None**

### ST. CLAIR COUNTY JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER

Per the St. Clair County Juvenile Detention Report, Ann Barnum presented the Superintendent Lawrence Brazil's Population Report, that it did not exceed the D.O.C rate capacity of 38 for the reporting period of August 07, 2024, through September 06, 2024. The population report for Boys 631, Girls 13, grand total of 644.

If you have any questions about this matter, please contact Lawrence Brazil Superintendent.

It was moved by CJ Baricevic and seconded by Roy Mosley Jr.

There being no question, Motion Carried, was approved to place on file.



Herbert Simmons  
EMA Director

## St. Clair County Emergency Management Agency (EMA)

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### Report of Activities Emergency Readiness / Public Safety Committee August 2024 / September 2024

Per the St. Clair County EMA Report, Herb Simmons presented the following,

1. All monthly radio tests were conducted, and no problems were noted.
2. Monthly tests of the outdoor warning sirens were completed. Report of a siren malfunction in Shiloh that was investigated by the vendor and fixed.
3. Attend the monthly Conference call with IEMA Director regarding COVID-19
4. Attended the Monthly Starcom 21 Committee Meeting
5. Attended the STARRS Board Meeting.
6. Attended the Statewide Interoperable Executive Committee Meeting.
7. Attended meeting of the Statewide 9-1-1 Advisory Board.
8. Attended the monthly meeting of the St. Clair Special Emergency Services.
9. Finalizing the remaining 7 warning siren installations.
10. Bi-weekly meetings continue with the FEMA BRIC Staff to develop the project application for St. Clair County and the 11 eligible communities. The application deadline is January 2025.
11. Attend monthly meeting of the Long Term Recovery Division of our County COAD (Community Organization Active in Disaster).
12. Working with IEMA and FEMA to continue the buyout program. Awaiting the next step of the process. IEMA advises FEMA has been placed in Immediate Needs Funding due to too many active disasters and therefore anything not related to an ongoing disaster is placed on hold.
13. EMA staff participated in the INDY Race Series at World Wide Technology Raceway.
14. Command Post was deployed to assist at O'Fallon City Fest and Belleville Oktoberfest.
15. EMA Staff attended the annual IEMA Training Summit.

It was moved by Asst. Chairman Steve Gomric and seconded by Sue Gruberman.  
There being no questions, motioned carried, was approved to place on file.

## **ST. CLAIR COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT**

Lt. Colonel Thomas Knapp reported the following for the month of August 01, 2024, ending August 31, 2024, which included the following data: Average Daily Population was 413, inmates admitted 604 of those 162 were females, 442 males, 197 misdemeanors, 285 felons, 10 Federal, 0 Transcor, and 79 fugitives. Sentence Weekend Bookings 20, Sentence County Bookings 2, D.O.C. 10, and Other 1. There were 75 traffic citations, 28 traffic warnings, 58 felony/misdemeanors/warrant arrests, 404 park patrol, 792 business checks, and 21 courthouse checks, for a total of 1092 points of contact with the general public.

It was moved by Roy Mosley Jr. and seconded by Mike O'Donnell.  
There being no questions, motioned carried, was approved to place on file.

## **ST. CLAIR COUNTY CLAIMS**

Per the St. Clair County Claims Report Ann Barnum reported for August 2024.

- Personal Injury claims, eight (8)
- Auto property liability, one (1)
- Property claims, four (4)
- General Liability, one (1)

It was moved by Asst. Chairman Steve Gomric and seconded by G.W Scott Jr.

There being no questions, motion carried, was approved to place on file.

Chairman Jerry Dinges asked if there were any comments.

It was moved by Mike O'Donnell and seconded by Sue Gruberman to adjourn.

There being no questions. Motion carried, was approved to place on file.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Ann Barnum*

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Enclosures