

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
Minutes Monday November 10, 2025
4:00 PM Highway Office, Conference Room
1415 North Belt West, Belleville, IL.

Members in Attendance

Richard Vernier, Chairperson
Marty Crawford, Asst. Chairperson
Robert Allen
Robert Trentman
Jana Moll

Guest

Norm Etling, County Engineer
James Harms, Asst. County Engineer
Cheri Weaver, Roads & Bridges

Members Absent

Michael O'Donnell
Harry Hollingsworth

The Chairperson called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 4:00 p.m.

Mr. Allen made a motion seconded by Ms. Moll to approve the minutes from the 10-13-2025 meeting. All members present voted aye.

The Chairperson asked if there were any comments on the agenda from the Committee. None were presented.

The Chairperson asked if there were any comments from the audience. None were presented.

Action Items:

- 1) Approve the Roads and Bridges Capital Improvement Plan 2026 through 2032. Mr. Crawford made a motion seconded by Mr. Allen to approve. All members present voted aye.
- 2) Approve the Transportation Committee Meeting Schedule for 2026. Ms. Moll made a motion seconded by Mr. Trentman to approve. All members present voted aye.

Resolutions:

- A) Resolution authorizing a permit to Midwest Drilling for borings related to a pedestrian bridge in two locations on Sullivan Drive County Highway 81. Mr. Crawford made a motion seconded by Ms. Moll to approve. All members present voted aye.
- B) Resolution authorizing an agreement with Gonzalez Companies LLC for construction engineering on the Plum Hill Road Bridge over Loop Creek in the amount of \$81, 210.00; Section 22-17105-02-BR. Cost to be paid: 80% out of the Township Bridge Fund, 20% by Shiloh Valley Township Road District and 20% from the County Bridge Fund. Mr. Allen made a motion seconded by Mr. Crawford to approve. All members present voted aye.
- C) Resolution authorizing I3 Broadband to install a communication line from the existing box near Creekside heading north to the intersection of Lake Loraine Estates Drive on the west side of Old Collinsville Road, County highway 70. See D below.
- D) Resolution authorizing I3 Broadband to install a communication line from the existing box at Greystone Estates Parkway easterly to the east side of Greenmount Road and then north to Caton Run Crossing on County Highway 89. Mr. Crawford made a motion seconded by Mr. Allen to approve C and D. Members present voted four aye and one nye.

Engineer Report:

FSP Extension proceeding.

Working on acquiring Right of Way for the Frank Scott Parkway Fill in, Greenmount Road widening north and intersection improvements on Old Collinsville at Ashland.

Met with consultant on safety projects.

Finalizing 2026 Striping Program

Inspected more bridges.

Old Collinsville Road underway, had to remove a few patches that failed the surface test.

Met with O'Fallon TWP Highway Commissioner about road maintenance.

Meeting with consultant to see if we can speed up design of the bridge replacement on Old Collinsville Road

Another meeting on new payroll system 11-13-2025

Responded to Stookey TWP Highway Supervisor about Stop Sign Warrants.

Mr. Trentman made a motion seconded by Mr. Crawford to approve. All members present voted aye.

The Chairperson asked if there was any Old Business: None Presented.

The Chairperson asked if there was any New Business: The Chairperson asked if we had gotten any calls regarding the striping on Frank Scott Parkway by the intersection of Illinois 159. The County Engineer informed everyone present that striping it, is in the Roads and Bridges Capital Improvement. and the striping is scheduled for 2026-2027.

Adjournment:

Mr. Allen made a motion seconded by Ms. Moll to adjourn. All members present voted aye.

The Chairperson adjourned the meeting at 4:12 p.m.