

MADISON COUNTY
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
157 N. Main St., Edwardsville, IL 62025 RM 309
Monday, April 6, 2026
3:00 PM

Chairman Eaker called the regular meeting to order at 3:00 PM. Those in attendance and constituting a quorum were:

PRESENT: Terry Eaker, Ron Simpson, Linda Ogden, Bill Stoutenborough, Chrissy Wiley, Bob Meyer, Alison Lamothe
ABSENT: Valerie Doucleff
OTHERS: Arron Weber, Liz Happold, Fred Patterson, Kelly Rogers, Chris Doucleff, Timothy Hernandez, Eric Decker

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The March 2, 2026, Public Safety minutes were approved as written.

PURCHASE APPROVALS:

1. Monthly bills

Ms. Lamothe moved, seconded by Mr. Stoutenborough, to approve the monthly bills.

The ayes and nays called on the motion to approve resulted in a vote as follows:

AYES: Eaker, Simpson, Ogden, Stoutenborough, Wiley, Meyer, Lamothe

NAYS: None

MOTION CARRIED

PURCHASE REQUESTS:

The following were submitted for discussion and approval:

1. **ETSB/911:** IDS Applications, Inc. Lawman: Lawman software renewal, maintenance and support services. Term: One year. Amount: Not to exceed \$22,050.00

Ms. Ogden moved, seconded by Mr. Stoutenborough, to approve the item as presented

The ayes and nays called on the motion to approve resulted in a vote as follows:

AYES: Eaker, Simpson, Ogden, Stoutenborough, Wiley, Meyer, Lamothe

NAYS: None

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2. **Sheriff/Jail:** Cellebrite Digital Forensic Software Renewal. Term: 2/28/26-2/27/27. Amount: \$10,740.00

Ms. Lamothe moved, seconded by Ms. Ogden, to approve the item as presented

The ayes and nays called on the motion to approve resulted in a vote as follows:

AYES: Eaker, Simpson, Ogden, Stoutenborough, Wiley, Meyer, Lamothe

NAYS: None

MOTION CARRIED

PURCHASE RESOLUTIONS:

1. **EMA:** Resolution to Purchase Everbridge, Inc. 12-month term. Amount: \$33,837.60

Mr. Stoutenborough moved, seconded by Ms. Wiley, to approve the item as presented.

The ayes and nays called on the motion to approve resulted in a vote as follows:

AYES: Eaker, Simpson, Ogden, Stoutenborough, Wiley, Meyer, Lamothe

NAYS: None

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2. **Sheriff/Jail:** Resolution to Purchase Maintenance Renewal for the Public Safety Mobile Data Computer Software Maintenance for the Madison County Sheriff's Department. Vendor: Tyler Technologies, Inc. Amount: \$42,136.94

Ms. Ogden moved, seconded by Ms. Wiley, to approve the item as presented.

The ayes and nays called on the motion to approve resulted in a vote as follows:

AYES: Eaker, Simpson, Ogden, Stoutenborough, Wiley, Meyer, Lamothe

NAYS: None

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3. **Sheriff/Jail:** Resolution to Purchase Two (2) Ford F-150 Police Responders and Eight (8) Ford Explorer Police Utility Vehicles for the Madison County Sheriff's Department. Vendor: Weber Commercial Truck Center. Amount: \$595,632.00

Mr. Simpson moved, seconded by Ms. Lamothe, to approve the item as presented.

The ayes and nays called on the motion to approve resulted in a vote as follows:

AYES: Eaker, Simpson, Ogden, Stoutenborough, Wiley, Meyer, Lamothe

NAYS: None

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4. **Sheriff/Jail:** Resolution to Purchase Fifty (50) Replacement Dell PCs. Vendor: Dell Marketing LP. Amount: \$78,019.50
5. **Sheriff/Jail:** Resolution to Purchase Sixty (60) Replacement Dell Laptop Computers/ Vendor: Dell Marketing LP. Amount: \$210,000.00

Ms. Lamothe moved, seconded by Ms. Ogden, to approve the item as presented.

The ayes and nays called on the motion to approve resulted in a vote as follows:

AYES: Eaker, Simpson, Ogden, Stoutenborough, Wiley, Meyer, Lamothe

NAYS: None

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6. **Sheriff/Jail:** Resolution to Purchase Two (2) Mobile LPR Trailers. Vendor: Utilitra. Amount: \$71,984.60

Mr. Meyer moved, seconded by Mr. Simpson, to approve the item as presented.

The ayes and nays called on the motion to approve resulted in a vote as follows:

AYES: Eaker, Simpson, Ogden, Stoutenborough, Wiley, Meyer, Lamothe

NAYS: None

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LIQUOR LICENSES:

1. Discussion and approval: New applicant for Class A 2026 Liquor License #69 Hermosa Vista, LLC dba Casa Lago Restaurant (Hope Fabicheski) 2 Holiday Point Parkway, Edwardsville 62025

Mr. Simpson moved, seconded by Ms. Ogden, to approve the item as presented.

The ayes and nays called on the motion to approve resulted in a vote as follows:

AYES: Eaker, Simpson, Ogden, Stoutenborough, Wiley, Meyer, Lamothe

NAYS: None

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MONTHLY REPORTS:

CORONER:

Mr. Rogers gave the following numbers for the month of March.

Calls	214
Death Investigations	213
Scene Investigations	48
Post-mortem exams	4

Manner of Death:

Natural	194
Accidental	6
Suicide	1
Homicide	1
Pending	12

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT:

Director Patterson stated that for the month of March there were 3 unified command post callouts, 7 rehab calls and 2 drone callouts. There was 1 all hazard training.

911/ETSB:

Director Weber explained that pertaining to the Starcom tower project, the fiber-optic connection for the Highland tower will begin this week. Installation has been scheduled for the Wood River and Alton radio console project. All the recorders have been installed for the recorder project, and they are working on connection to the Sheriff's master recorder. Letters have been sent out to the fire and police chiefs regarding the Starcom project price breakdowns. Next week they will send letters regarding the Starcom reimbursement of subscription fees.

SHERIFF/PATROL OPERATIONS:

Captain Hernandez gave an overview of some recent incidents the Sheriff's Department were involved in. An abandoned vehicle was found in St. Jacob. The St. Peters, Missouri police department was actively investigating a missing person. After a thorough search, the individual was located in a creek bed deceased from self-harm. On April 2, 2026, they had an armed barricaded subject of a domestic situation at his ex-wife's residence making threats of suicidal nature. The female was able to escape and contacted them. Deputies responded and after several hours of negotiations, the subject surrendered and exited the residence. The firearm was recovered and the man was transported to the jail. He was charged with multiple felonies. Today there was a structure fire reported with people inside. There was also a report of an explosion. One person was injured and several others escaped unharmed. Tragically three people were located deceased inside. The incident is being investigated.

ADJOURNMENT:

Ms. Lamothe moved, seconded by Mr. Simpson, to adjourn the meeting at 3:41 P.M.

MOTION CARRIED

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