

ESDA & CLAIMS COMMITTEE
July 17, 2018

The ESDA & Claims Committee held its monthly meeting on Tuesday, July 17, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was held at the McDonough County Courthouse, 3rd Floor Law Library. Committee Members present were Chairman Trevor Toland, Larry Aurelio, Dave Nissen, Paul Trimmer, and Letha Clark. Committee Members Earl Sims, and Dick Marcott were absent. Also present was Patrick Stout, Edgar Rodriguez, County Chairman Scott Schwerer, and Stacey Alexander as Committee Secretary.

Chairman Toland called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Approval of June 19, 2018 Minutes

Member Clark moved with a second by Member Trimmer to approve the June 19, 2018 minutes as submitted. Motion carried on a voice vote.

ESDA Director Report

Director Edgar Rodriguez gave the report. During Heritage Days he worked with the National Weather Service to receive advanced warning on inclement weather, this worked out very well and he will continue to do this during Heritage Days, and WIU's Homecoming. On June 28th a storm with 60mph winds came through the County, very little damage was done. Rodriguez said that WR100 Midland Weather Radios are on recall, and to receive a replacement you would need to call 816-241-8500 ext. 259.

Rodriguez currently has several projects in the works. He is working on a grant review plan for 2019-2020, he has reached out to Red Cross to work with them on training Boy Scouts, a draft has been made for pamphlets for the County, and he is working on becoming certified with FEMA so that he can teach the class IS-909.

Approval of Claims

Member Aurelio moved with a second by Member Clark to approve the claims as submitted. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Other

County Board Chairman Schwerer held a discussion on the Resolution Opposing 2nd Amendment Restrictions.

Member Aurelio moved with a second by Member Trimmer to adjourn the meeting. With no further business to discuss the meeting was adjourned at 7:43 p.m.