



CHAMPAIGN COUNTY BOARD

LABOR COMMITTEE

County of Champaign, Urbana, Illinois

Tuesday, October 6, 2026 – 4:30 p.m.

Shields-Carter Meeting Room

Bennett Administrative Center

102 E Main Street, Urbana, IL 61801

Committee Members:

Aaron Esry

John Farney – Vice Chair

Stephanie Fortado

Emily Rodriguez – Chair

Daniel Wiggs

Agenda Items

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call

III. Approval of Agenda

IV. Approval of Minutes

A. September 1, 2026

V. Public Input

VI. Closed Session Pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2(c)2 to Consider Collective Negotiating Matters Between the County and its Employees or their Representatives

VII. Other Business

A. Approval of Closed Session Minutes

1. September 1, 2026

VIII. Adjournment

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Tuesday, September 1, 2026 – 4:30 p.m.

Jennifer Putman Meeting Room

Bennett Administrative Center

102 E Main Street, Urbana, IL 61801

OPEN MINUTES – *Subject to Approval*

MEMBERS PRESENT: Aaron Esry, John Farney (Vice Chair), Stephanie Fortado, Daniel Wiggs and Emily Rodriguez (Chair)

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

COUNTY STAFF: Steve Summers (County Executive), Michelle Jett (Director of Administration), Andrew Bequette (Assistant State's Attorney), and Megan Robison (Recording Secretary)

Agenda Items

I. Call to Order

Chair Rodriguez called the meeting to order at 4:34 p.m.

II. Roll Call

A verbal roll call was taken, and a quorum was declared present.

III. Approval of Agenda

MOTION by Mr. Farney to approve the agenda; seconded by Mr. Wiggs. Upon vote, the **MOTION CARRIED** unanimously.

IV. Approval of Minutes

A. March 18, 2026

MOTION by Mr. Esry to approve the minutes of March 18, 2026; seconded by Ms. Fortado. Upon vote, the **MOTION CARRIED** unanimously.

V. Public Input

None

VI. Closed Session Pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2(c)2 to Consider Collective Negotiating Matters Between the County and its Employees or their Representatives

MOTION by Mr. Farney to enter into closed session pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2(c) 2 to consider collective negotiating matters between Champaign County and its employees or their representatives. He further moved that the following individuals remain present; County Executive, Director of Administration, Assistant State's Attorney, and recording secretary; seconded by Mr. Wiggs. Upon roll call vote, the **MOTION CARRIED** unanimously.

The committee entered into closed session at 4:36 p.m.

The committee resumed open session at 4:58 p.m.

VII. Other Business

- A. Approval of Closed Session Minutes
 - 1. March 18, 2026

MOTION by Mr. Esry to approve the closed session minutes of March 18, 2026; seconded by Mr. Wiggs. Upon vote, the **MOTION CARRIED** unanimously.

VIII. Adjournment

Chair Rodriguez adjourned the meeting at 4:58 p.m.