

FINANCE COMMITTEE

AUGUST 27, 2025

The Finance Committee budget meeting was held on Wednesday, 27, 2025 at 2:00 p.m. The meeting was held at the McDonough County Courthouse, Law Library. Committee Members present were Chair Travis Hiel, Eric Chapman, Joe Erlandson, Ken Durkin, and Craig Foster. Members absent were Larry Aurelio and Mike Cox. Others in attendance were Clayton Murphy, County Chair Eric Blakeley, Deputy Clerk Kyah Beck, and County Clerk Jeremy Benson.

Chair Hiel called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

New Business

John Meixner – Regional Superintendent

John Meixner submitted his budget request; a discussion was held and questions were answered.

Nick Petitgout – Sherriff

Nick Petitgout submitted his budget request; a discussion was held and questions were answered.

Rick Walker – Highway Department

Rick Walker submitted his budget request; a discussion was held and questions were answered.

Dana Moon – Treasurer

Dana Moon submitted her budget request; a discussion was held and questions were answered.

Ken Durkin – Animal Control

Ken Durkin submitted his budget request; a discussion was held and questions were answered.

Jeremy Benson – County Clerk

Jeremy Benson submitted his budget request; a discussion was held and questions were answered.

Adjourn

Member Chapman moved with a second by Member Foster to adjourn the meeting at 4:40 p.m. Motion carried on a voice vote.