

AGENDA

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JO DAVIESS COUNTY SPECIAL BOARD MEETING FY2026 BUDGET HEARING Monday, November 17, 2025 at 5:30 PM

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Jo Daviess County Courthouse - Third Floor Board Room,
330 North Bench Street, Galena, IL 61036

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Pledge of Allegiance
- IV. Citizens' Comments

In accordance with Section 1-5-22 of the Jo Daviess County Code of Ordinances, members of the public may speak during the designated public comment period. Speakers must state their name and address for the record and limit comments to three (3) minutes. Remarks must be respectful, relevant to County business, and directed to the Board as a whole. Questions must go through the presiding officer. It is the policy of the County Board to not allow public comment on those agenda items coming to the board from a public hearing where sworn testimony was taken. Those wishing to comment on these items should attend and speak at the public hearings.

V. FY2026 Budget Hearing

A. Open FY2026 Budget Hearing

- 1. Presentation of the FY2026 Budget & Appropriation Ordinance
- 2. Citizens' Comments

B. Close FY2026 Budget Hearing

VI. New Business

- A. Discussion and possible action to adopt the FY2026 Jo Daviess County Annual Budget & Appropriation Ordinance
- B. Discussion and possible action to adopt the 2025 Payable 2026 Jo Daviess County Tax Levy Ordinance

VII. Closed Session

A. Personnel section 2(c)1

"The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body or legal counsel for the public body, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee of the public body or against legal counsel for the public body to determine its validity."

B. Collective bargaining section 2(c)2

"Collective negotiating matters between the public body and its employees or their representatives, or deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees."

C. Purchase/lease property section 2(c)5

"The purchase or lease of real property for the use of the public body, including meetings held for the purpose of discussing whether a particular parcel should be acquired."

D. Pursuant to 5 ILCS Litigation Section 120/2(c)11

“Litigation, when an action against, affecting or on behalf of the particular public body has been filed and is pending before a court or administrative tribunal, or when the public body finds that an action is probable or imminent, in which case the basis for the finding shall be recorded and entered into the minutes of the closed meeting.”

VIII. Reconvene to Open Session

IX. Possible Actions as a Result of Closed Session

X. Board Member Concerns

XI. Citizens' Comments

XII. Adjourn

Next County Board meeting: Tuesday, December 9, 2025 at 7:00 PM