

Ringgold County Board of Supervisors Minutes

May 19, 2025

The Ringgold County Board of Supervisors met in regular session Monday, May 19, 2025. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 A.M with the following members present Randy Taylor, Colby Holmes and Steve Knapp.

A motion was made by Holmes, second by Knapp to approve the agenda.

AYES: Unanimous NAYS: None

Engineer Jared Johnson met with the Board to provide secondary roads updates. Spot rock was hauled to the Southwest Maintainer district.

The pothole patcher was out working to repair potholes in the Southern part of the county last week. The patcher will continue to be out working.

Chip rock was hauled and stockpiled in the yard for patching operations.

Tractors and mowers were out working to mow along paved roads in the Northwest, Northeast, and Southeast maintainer districts.

Work order update:

W.O. 1341: Clear brush and trees along the roadside and re-shape ditch area for approximately 0.85 miles. Located along 215th Street and 200th Ave, South and West from the 215th Street and 200th Ave intersection. (Complete)

The IDOT was made aware that the corrective work has been completed for the Diagonal sidewalk project. The department will work on closing the project out.

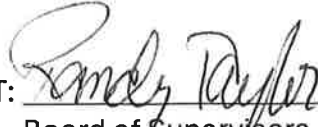
Conservation Director Travis Scott met with the Board to provide updates. The Conservation Board approved of switching internet providers to Nextlink with significant savings. Scott is working on the Liberty Lake silt pond dam project. He went on to report he applied for a Community Foundation grant to assist with the funding of that project. Scott explained he is working on an event permit policy that will be required moving forward to hold events on the conservation grounds. This would be outside of shelter reservations, he said. At their last meeting, the Board reviewed the FY2025 budget and remaining balance to prepare for the last few weeks of the fiscal year. Scott said he is currently looking for a 3-point box scraper. They have two mowers on an auction website for sale as through trade there was not much offered. He would like to take those funds from the sale and put them towards a Liberty Lake project. The parking lot at the trail head is now open with the expansion project complete. Scott said he planted 150 trees by the main maintenance shop. A drainage issue at Shady Oak shelter at Fifes grove was addressed by Scott with him pulling out the retaining wall and allowing the water to flow through the ditch. He does plan to eventually install gutters. Several field trips have taken place to the department with the school year wrapping up. He is working to address a honeybee issue at the Nature Center. The Fun Friday program for the

youth will start in June. There will be an overnight Recreation Camp on June 13th at Liberty Lake.

A motion was made by Holmes and seconded by Knapp to approve minutes. Motion carried.

There was no further business. A motion was made by Knapp and seconded by Holmes to adjourn the meeting at 12:04 p.m.

ATTEST:


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Ringgold County Auditor