

2019

DOUGLAS COUNTY

REFERENCE
AND
YEARBOOK



Douglas County Courthouse
401 S. Center
P.O. Box 467
Tuscola, IL 61953

Judi Pollock

VITAL RECORDS INFORMATION

Douglas County became a county in February of 1859 following the divide from the parent county of Coles. Vital records were started with the recording of marriage licenses from 1859 to the present. In 1916 it became a law that all birth and deaths should be recorded. There are some birth and death records prior to 1916, but you would need to contact the County Clerk's office for genealogical purposes.

FEES AT A GLANCE

Birth Certificates: \$14 for the first copy
\$11 for each additional
Death Certificates: \$18 for the first copy
\$15 for each additional
Marriage Certificates: \$14 for the first copy
\$11 for each additional
Marriage License: \$55.00
Assumed Name: \$24.00
Notary: \$5.00 in person \$10.00 by mail
DD214 (Military Discharge): No Charge
Recording: \$66.00
Non-land Recording: \$57.00
Recording a Plat/Survey: \$102.00
Certified True Copy with Seal: \$7.00
Fees for Copies: \$1.00/page

COUNTY BOARD MEETINGS

Regular County Board Meetings
meet every
3rd Wednesday of every month
at 9 a.m.
Located in the County Board Room

clerk&recorder@douglascountyiil.com

Phone: 217-253-2411
Recording: 217-253-4410
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County Clerk & Recorder
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DEFINITIONS FOR VOTING

Mail, Early, & Grace

Mail Voter: A registered voter may vote early by mail beginning the 40th day prior to an election.

Early Voter: A registered voter may vote early in the County Clerk's office beginning the 40th day prior to an election.

Grace Voter: A person needing a new registration or a change of address, starting the day after the last day to register to vote through election day, is required to register and vote in person in the County Clerk's office.

TO REGISTER TO VOTE

Contact the County Clerk's office at 217-253-2411, or your City or Township Officials for

HOLIDAY LIST
NEW YEARS' DAY
MARTIN LUTHER KING
LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY
WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY
SPRING HOLIDAY
MEMORIAL DAY
INDEPENDENCE DAY
LABOR DAY
VETERAN'S DAY
THANKSGIVING DAY
DAY AFTER THANKSGIVING
CHRISTMAS EVE (CLOSE AT NOON)
CHRISTMAS DAY

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|---|---|---------------|
| 1 | Richard Hein
316 E Illinois Street
Arthur, IL 61911
dick.hein@douglascountyil.com
(Bourbon 1 & 2) | November 2020 |
| 2 | Bibby Appleby
325 E County Road 800 N
Tuscola, IL 61953
mary.appleby@douglascountyil.com
(Garrett, Tuscola 2) | November 2022 |
| 3 | Tom Hettinger
301 E Pinzon Street
Tuscola, IL 61953
thomas.hettinger@douglascountyil.com
(Arcola 1, Bourbon 2, Tuscola 4) | November 2022 |
| 4 | Phillip Morris
608 E Scott Street
Tuscola, IL 61953
phil.morris@douglascountyil.com
(Tuscola 1 & 3) | November 2020 |
| 5 | Donald "Don" Munson
Chairman
1260 E State Route 133
Arcola, IL 61910
don.munson@douglascountyil.com
(Arcola 2 & 3, Bowdre) | November 2022 |
| 6 | Jim Mikeworth
24 Beech Lane
Villa Grove, IL 61956
jim.mikeworth@douglascountyil.com
(Camargo1 and 2) | November 2022 |
| 7 | Tom Glenn
726 N County Road 2560 E
Newman, IL 61942
tom.glenn@douglascountyil.com
(Bowdre, Camargo1, Murdock 1,
Newman 1, Sargent 1) | November 2020 |

Sub-committees
Effective: January 2019

Animal Control- Appleby, Hettinger, Munson
Board Room, 2nd Tuesday, at 1:30 p.m.

Budget, Finance, Solid Waste – Munson, Hein, and Morris
Board Room, Friday before Board Meeting at 9 a.m.

Building and Grounds - Hettinger, Mikeworth, Hein
Board Room, 1st Wednesday at 9 a.m.

County Public Health/TB- Appleby, Munson
Health Department, 3rd Monday at 5:30 p.m.

Do. Co. Public Transportation Oversight Committee –Mikeworth, Hein

Insurance/Bond- Munson, Glenn, Morris
Board Room, Quarterly as posted or needed

Law and Order -Hettinger, Glenn, Morris
County Jail, 2nd Monday at 9 a.m.

Liquor - Glenn, Appleby, Mikeworth
Board Room, As Needed

911 - Mikeworth, Hettinger
County Jail, 3rd Monday alt. months at 8:30 a.m.

Personnel, Legal, Management, CTV- Glenn, Morris, Mikeworth
Board Room, 1st Tuesday at 9 a.m.

Plat and Planning -Hettinger, Hein, Mikeworth
S of A's Office, 1st Friday at 9 a.m.

Regional Office of Education - Appleby
Quarterly, 1st Monday at 6 p.m.

Road/Bridge/EMA/Etc. - Munson, Hein, Glenn
Engineer's Office, 2nd Wednesday at 9 a.m.

Coroner/EMA - Munson, Hein, Glenn
209 E. Van Allen St, 2nd Monday at 10:30 a.m.

Cross Roads Work Force -Hettinger
Human Services Transportation Region 8;Hettinger
East Central Illinois Economic Development -Mikeworth



DOUGLAS COUNTY POLLING FACILITIES

ARCOLA 1, 2, & 3
Arcola Community Center
107 W. Main, Arcola

BOURBON 1 & 2
Arthur Municipal Building
120 E Progress, Arthur

BOWDRE
Hindsboro Civic Center
403 Missouri Street, Hindsboro

CAMARGO 1
Camargo Community Center
200 E. Issacher, Camargo

CAMARGO 1 & 2
Villa Grove Methodist Church
302 2nd Street, Villa Grove,

GARRETT
Sloan Conference Center
71 East U.S. Hwy 36, Atwood

MURDOCK
Newman Community Center
207 S. Coffin Street, Newman

NEWMAN
Newman Community Center
207 s. Coffin Street, Newman

SARGENT
Sargent Township Building
370 N Co. Rd. 2360 E., Oakland

TUSCOLA 1, 2, 3, & 4
Tuscola Community Building
122 W. North Central, Tuscola

CITY OF NEWMAN
NEWMAN CITY HALL

Mayor James F. Allen
Clerk Judy VanSickle
Aldermen:
Ward 1 Wade H. Hales
Corey Mason
Ward 2 Dennis R. Kibler
Sam Skinner
Ward 3 William E. Benner, Jr.
Richard L. Dorsett

CITY OF TUSCOLA
TUSCOLA CITY HALL

Mayor Daniel Kleiss
Clerk Elizabeth "Beth" Leamon
Aldermen:
Ward 1 Alan Shoemaker
Phyllis Truitt
Ward 2 Scott Day
Terra R. Waldrop
Ward 3 Troy Rund
David Slaughter
Ward 4 Danny Cleland
Tim Hoey

CITY OF VILLA GROVE
VILLA GROVE CITY HALL

Mayor Cassandra Gunter
Clerk Michelle L. Osborne
Treasurer Jacqueline Athey
Aldermen:
Ward 1 Bruce Allen
Anthony Hooker
Ward 2 Darrel Griffith
Derek Johnson
Ward 3 Ryan Garrett
Thelma "Boots" Blaney

GOVERNOR:
J.B. Pritzker 217-782-2000
401 South 2nd Street, Springfield, IL 62706

LT. GOVERNOR:
Juliana Stratton 217-558-3085
214 State Capitol, Springfield, IL 62706

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213 State Capitol, Springfield, IL 62706

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201 State Capitol, Springfield, IL 62706

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219 State Capitol, Springfield, IL 62706

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15th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
CONGRESSMAN JOHN SHIMKUS
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51st ILLINOIS SENATE
SENATOR CHAPIN ROSE
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102nd REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT
REPRESENTATIVE BRAD HALBROOK
510 South Staley, Suite D
Champaign, IL 61822
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DOUGLAS COUNTY OFFICE HOLDERS

COUNTY CLERK & RECORDER

Judi Pollock 253-2411
401 S. Center St., Room 203, P.O. Box 467, Tuscola

STATE'S ATTORNEY

Kate Watson 253-5471
401 S. Center Street, Room 105, Tuscola

CIRCUIT CLERK

Julie Mills 253-2352
401 S. Center St., Room 204, P.O. Box 50, Tuscola

SUPERVISOR OF ASSESSMENTS

Cynthia Baer 253-3031
401 S. Center Street, Room 103, Tuscola

COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

James E. Crane 253-2113
200 South Prairie Street, Tuscola

INTERIM CORONER

Heather Skinner 253-4808
209 E. Van Allen, Tuscola

COUNTY TREASURER

Bobbi Rairden 253-4011
401 S. Center St., Room 206, P.O. Box 320, Tuscola

COUNTY SHERIFF

Joshua Blackwell 253-2913
920 S. Washington St., P.O. Box 438, Tuscola

COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Amanda Minor 253-4137
1250 E US HWY 36, Tuscola

ANIMAL CONTROL

Chuck Knox 253-4921
1007 E South Central Avenue, Tuscola

PUBLIC DEFENDER

T. Jeannine Garrett 253-3832
James Lee 253-5414

CIRCUIT COURT OFFICES OF DOUGLAS COUNTY

Richard L. Broch, Judge 253-4121
Gary Webber, Assoc. Circuit Judge 253-4967

VILLAGE OF ATWOOD 217-578-2512

President	Brodie Farrar
Clerk	Nancy Wierman
Trustees	Arthur Bert Urban
	Doris Elmore
	Beth Cornwell
	Marion E. Erwin
	Michael E. Danford

VILLAGE OF CAMARGO 217-832-9441

President	Bart Dann
Clerk	Salisa Dann
Trustees	Laura J. Miller
	Gary Gilpin
	Jeane Breiland
	Nancy E. George
	James L. Hardway

VILLAGE OF GARRETT 217-278-3878

President	Rocky Warner
Clerk	Kristine Issler
Trustees	Lula Chupp
	Carissa Gadberry
	Carol Gadberry
	Carol Hardig
	Debra Myers
	Donald Issler
	Eli Stutzman

VILLAGE OF HINDSBORO 217-346-3233

President	Kent Douglas
Clerk	Kamey Olinger
Trustees	David Coleman
	M. Jane Roe
	Nancy Hendrix
	John Olinger
	LaDonna Johnson
	Joyce Gobert

NEWMAN TOWNSHIP 217-837-2778

James M. Sanstrom Supervisor
Dianne Kincaid Clerk
Joe Bush Highway Commissioner
Mark Graser Trustee
Samantha J. Hutchinson Trustee
Jason Bosch Trustee
Roger Sy Trustee

SARGENT TOWNSHIP

Kathleen Anderson Supervisor
Glenna Taylor Clerk
John Henry Highway Commissioner
David Roberts Trustee
Richard Holms Trustee
Bart Taylor Trustee
Charles Anderson Trustee

TUSCOLA TOWNSHIP 217-253-2222

Stephen Hilgendorf Supervisor
Barbara Alexander Clerk
Michael Meyer Highway Commissioner
Laura S. Van Cleave Assessor
David Lecher Trustee
Randy Hastings Trustee
Darlene Wiesener Trustee
Kathleen A. Plum Trustee

CITY OF ARCOLA 227-268-4966

Arcola City Hall

Mayor Larry Ferguson
Clerk Carol Turner
Treasurer Rita M. Anderson

Aldermen:

Ward 1 Mark R. Smith
Ward 2 Jamie Ferguson
Ward 3 Scott Hensley
Brent Budd
Terry Foran
Desiree L. Huckstep

VILLAGE OF ARTHUR 217-543-2927

President Rod Randall
Clerk Rhonda Rhodes
Trustees Christy M. Miller
Paul Pearce
Matt Bernius
Jennifer Marnier
Mike Hilgenberg
Justin R. Ray

COUNTY PROBATION OFFICE

Jason Pantier 253-4432
401 S. Center St., 1st Floor, Tuscola

BOARD OF REVIEW

Supervisor of Assessments 253-3031
401 S. Center Street, Room 103, Tuscola

INTERIM E.M.A. and L.E.P.C.

Chana Ray 253-9538
209 S. Van Allen St, Tuscola

E.T.S.B. Board

Dena Kidwell, Coordinator 253-4676
920 S. Washington Street, Tuscola

REGIONAL SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Kyle Thompson 217-348-0151
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DOUGLAS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

SHILOH UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #1

21751 N 575th Street, Hume, IL 61932 217-887-2364

Board Members

Justin Wood 2023 Tara Barrett-Duzan 2021
April Morris 2023 Renee Henry 2021
David Smith 2023 Aaron Richardson 2021
Brian Rhode 2023

OAKLAND COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DIST #5

310 Teeter Street, Oakland, IL 61943 217-346-2555

Board Members

DeeAnn Piercy 2023 Nic Turner 2021
Chuck Walsh 2021 Renee Fonner 2023
Andrew Dowden 2023 Clint McQueen 2023

HERITAGE UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #8

512 W First Street, Homer, IL 61849 217-896-2041

Board Members

Darrin Tate 2023 Robert G. Benschneider 2021
Zach Wells 2023 Courtney Montgomery 2021
Kimberly Ashbrook 2023 John Lannon 2021

ARTHUR LOVINGTON ATWOOD HAMMOND #305

301 E Columbia, Arthur, IL 61911 217-543-2146 Board

Members

Suzanne M. Berkich 2021 Brock Casteel 2023
Beth Wiley 2023 Ryan Nettles 2021
Monica Green 2023 Kristie L. Mechling 2021

Justin Wierman 2023

TUSCOLA UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #301
409 S Prairie Street, Tuscola, IL 61953 217-253-4241

Board Members

Bradley Ingram 2023 Rick Quinn 2021
Darold R. Spillman 2023 Marti Marx 2021
Bob Devlin 2023 Cathy Mannen 2021
Jessie Young 2023

VILLA GROVE UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #302
400 N Sycamore, Villa Grove, IL 61956 217-832-2261

Board Members

Carol Ezell 2021 Charles Mitsdarfer 2021
Bill Fulk 2023 Jill Stevens 2021
Jerrad Zimmerman 2023 Jim Clark 2023
Meagan Quigley 2023

ARCOLA UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #306
351 W Washington, Arcola, IL 61910 217-268-4963

Board Members

James Crane 2023 Chad Strader 2023
Robert N. Arrol 2023 Sue Stout 2021
Craig P. Wesch 2023 Lucas Shonkwiler 2021
Erica Thieman 2021

ARCOLA PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT 217-268-4477

Trustees: Robert Arrol Mark Eadie
Thomas Saunders Debbie Nacke
Lynda Fishel Allen Yoder
Debbie Sosamon

ARTHUR PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT 217-543-2037

Trustees: Martha Yeakel Cathy Allen
Anne Pate Cindy Ann Yoder
Adam Fritz Beth Ann Singer
John Mammoser

ATWOOD-HAMMOND LIBRARY DIST. 217-578-2727

Trustees: Michael Cassella Ruth Adcock
Beverly Obert Cynthia Kerns

CAMARGO TOWNSHIP DIST. LIBRARY 217-832-5211

Trustees: Charles Knox Amy K. Fredrick
Jodi Vandeventer Mary Hildreth
Sandra Landeck William J. Jones
Amy Rose

NEWMAN REGIONAL LIBRARY DIST. 217-837-2412

Trustees: Ken Goby Alyson Barry
Stacey A. Keys Karen C. Smith
William E. Benner Beth Leitz
Kim McGee

ARCOLA TOWNSHIP 217-268-4884

John Clark Supervisor
Wiliam Coombe Clerk
Mark Nacke Highway Commissioner
Fred Nieman Assessor
Zachary L. Doemelt Trustee
Byron Joergens Trustee
Butch Mast Trustee

BOURBON TOWNSHIP 217-543-2270

Terry Ferechow Supervisor
Jodi Clayton Clerk
Steve Helton Highway Commissioner
Mary Kingery Assessor
Ervin Crist Trustee
Joe Gingerich Trustee
Daryl Earnst Trustee
Mike Kingery Trustee

BOWDRE TOWNSHIP 217-346-2712

Kevin Duffle Supervisor
Allyson Wise Clerk
James Hendrix Highway Commissioner
Neal Wood Assessor
Garrett Stenger Trustee
Steven Prosser Trustee
Scott Warfel Trustee

CAMARGO TOWNSHIP 217-832-8133

Kent Elam Supervisor
Deborah Cox Clerk
Frank Miller Highway Commissioner
Neal Wood Assessor
Richard Crouse Trustee
Bernice Mitchell Trustee
Peter Eisenmenger Trustee
James Bragg Trustee

GARRETT TOWNSHIP 217-578-2911

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Mary E. Appleby Clerk
Ed Swisher Highway Commissioner
Patrick Curry Trustee
Reed Fombelle Trustee
Allen Romine Trustee
David Stumeier Trustee

MURCOCK TOWNSHIP 217-837-2580

Diana L. Wyant Supervisor
Tyler Harvey Clerk
William Deckard Highway Commissioner
David G. Boyd Trustee
Jessie Wyant Trustee
William Smith Trustee
Alan Bender Trustee