

Montgomery County Government

Montgomery County was established by in 1821. The purpose of County government is to fulfill statutory requirements of county government in accordance with state and federal law and the Illinois Constitution. The county’s elected governing body is the county board, which is composed of seven districts of two members each. The county board, along with elected and appointed county officers, provides a variety of services authorized under Illinois law for the public safety and convenience including law enforcement, emergency services, the criminal and civil court systems, public health, real estate tax assessment and collection, election administration, land records, local highway systems, vital records maintenance, and licensure and regulatory authority. The county government operates five primary sites, the locations of which are posted below. The county employs approximately 145 full-time and 17 part-time employees and for fiscal year 2022 has appropriated an operating budget of \$36,584,901.00. The diagram below sets forth the functional subdivisions of the county government.

Elected Officials	County Board & Chairman			County Office Locations	Fourth Judicial Circuit Judges-Chief Judges Office (618) 283-2030	
County Clerk Sandy Leitheiser 217-532-9530 PO Box 595, Hillsboro, IL 62049	District 1 Connie Beck Jeremy Jones	District 2 Ken Folkerts Chad Ruppert	District 3 Evan Young Doug Donaldson, Chairman	Montgomery County Historic Courthouse #1 Courthouse Square Hillsboro, IL 62049	Douglas L. Jarman (217) 342-4065 Chief Judge -Fayette County Courthouse 221 S. Seventh St. Vandalia, IL 62471	
County Treasurer Nikki Lohman 217-532-9520 #1 Courthouse Sq, Rm 101, Hillsboro, IL 62049	District 4 David Loucks Patty Whitworth	District 5 Russell Beason Bill Bergen	District 6 Ethan Murzynski Mark Hughes	Montgomery County Health Department 11191 Illinois Rt. 185 Hillsboro, IL 62049	Amanda Ade-Harlow (217) 774-4212 Shelby County Courthouse 301 E. Main Shelbyville, IL 62565	Christopher Hantla (217) 532-9546 Montgomery County Courthouse 120 N. Main Hillsboro, IL 62049
Circuit Clerk Daniel Robbins 217-532-9540 120 N. Main, Rm 125, Hillsboro, IL 62049				Montgomery County Courthouse Complex 120 N. Main Street Hillsboro, IL 62049	Mark W. Stedelin (618) 548-3856 Marion County Courthouse 100 E. Main Salem, IL 62881	Chad Miller (618) 783-2524 Jasper County Courthouse 100 W. Jourdan Newton, IL 62448
County Sheriff Rick Robbins 217-532-9511 140 N. Main, Hillsboro, IL 62049		District 7 Andy Ritchie Robert Sneed		Montgomery County Courthouse Annex 203 S. Main St Hillsboro,, IL 62049	Josh Morrison (618) 283-5009 Fayette County Courthouse 221 S. Seventh St. Vandalia, IL 62471	Bradley T. Paisley (217) 824-4966 Christian County Courthouse 101 S. Main Taylorville, IL 62568
Supt. Regional Ed. Julie Wollerman 217-532-9591 203 S. Main, Hillsboro, IL 62049				Montgomery County Sheriff / 911 Complex 140 N. Main Street Hillsboro, IL 62049	Mark Stedelin (618) 548-3856 Marion County Courthouse 100 E. Main Salem, IL 62881	Martin Siemer (217) 774-4212 Effingham County Courthouse 120 W Jefferson Effingham, IL 62401
County Coroner, Randy Leetham 217-532-9657					Joel Powless (618) 665-3523 Clay County Courthouse 111 Chestnut Louisville, IL 62858	Stanley Brandmeyer (618) 594-2464 Clinton County Courthouse 850 Fairfax Carlyle, IL 62231
	Associate Judges					
	Allan F. Lolie Shelby County Courthouse 301 E. Main Shelbyville, IL 62565 (217) 774-4212		Nathan Frisch Christian County Courthouse 101 S. Main Taylorville, IL 62568 (217) 824-4966			
Chris Matoush Mont. County Courthouse 120 N. Main Hillsboro, IL 62049 (217)532-9540	Douglas Gruenke Clinton County Courthouse 850 Fairfax Carlyle, IL 62231 (618)594-2464	J. Marc Kelly Fayette County Courthouse 221 S. Seventh St. Vandalia, IL 62471 (618) 283-5009	Ericka A. Sanders Marion County Courthouse 100 E. Main Salem, IL 62881 (618) 548-3856	Jeff DeLong Effingham County Courthouse 120. W. Jefferson Effingham, IL 62401 (217) 774-4212	Bryan M. Kibler (217) 774-4212 Effingham County Courthouse 120 W. Jefferson Effingham, IL 62401	Kevin Parker (618) 783-2524 Jasper County Courthouse 100 W. Jourdan Newton, IL 62448

Access to Public Records

It is the policy of the county of Montgomery that information and public records will be conveniently available to members of the public. Most public records of the county are available for inspection or copying upon request and the payment of the statutory fee. Each department of the county maintains a list of all types or categories of records available within that office. Public records, which are stored by means of electronic data processing will be made available in a form comprehensible to persons lacking knowledge of computer language or printout form.