

Meeting Date August 24 2022



Minutes of the Special Board of Directors Meeting

Record of Meeting | August 24, 2022

The Illinois State Toll Highway Authority's ("Tollway") Board of Directors met in special session on Wednesday, August 24, 2022. The meeting was held pursuant to the By-Laws of the Tollway upon call and notice of the meeting executed by Chair Dorothy Abreu and posted in accordance with the requirements of the Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120/1, *et seq.*

Due to necessary precautions relating to COVID-19, in accordance with the Gubernatorial Disaster Proclamation and current conditions, and consistent with the Open Meetings Act, it was determined by Chair Abreu that an in-person meeting of the body was neither practical nor prudent. In compliance with all conditions of Section 7(e) of the Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120/7(e), the Board meeting was conducted by audio conference. A telephone access number was provided for members of the public to monitor and/or participate in the meeting.

[Bolded entries indicate issues which may require follow-up to present or report to the Board.]

Call to Order / Roll Call

Chair Abreu called the meeting to order at approximately 5:05 p.m. Chair Abreu asked the Board Secretary to call the roll, those Directors present and absent being as follows:

Board Members Present:

Chair Dorothy Abreu

Director James Connolly

Director Alice Gallagher

Director Jacqueline Gomez

Director Karen McConnaughay

Director Scott Paddock

Director Gary Perinar

Director James Sweeney

Board Members Not Present:

Governor JB Pritzker [ex officio]

Secretary Omer Osman [ex officio]

The Board Secretary declared a quorum present.

Public Comment

Chair Abreu opened the floor for public comment. No public comment was offered.

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Items for Consideration

Chair Abreu stated that without objection, action on both agenda items will be deferred until after consideration in the Executive session.

Chair's Item 1: Executive Director

<u>Chair's Item 2</u>: Approval of IT Enhancements. As discussed in Executive Session.

Executive Session

Chair Abreu called for a motion to enter into Executive Session pursuant to exceptions provided in Sections 2(c)1 and 8 of the Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120/2(c)1 and 8, to consider Tollway matters related to personnel and security procedures. Director Connolly made a motion, pursuant to the sections specified, to enter Executive Session, seconded by Director Gallagher. Chair Abreu asked that the roll be called on the motion, the vote of yeas and nays being as follows:

Yeas: Director Connolly, Director Gallagher, Director Gomez, Director McConnaughay, Director Paddock, Director Perinar, Director Sweeney, Chair Abreu (8)

Nays: (0)

The motion PASSED.

At approximately 5:08 p.m., the Board entered into Executive Session.

Return from Executive Session and Action (if any)

- Board Members Present:
- Chair Dorothy Abreu
- Director James Connolly
- Director Alice Gallagher
- Director Jacqueline Gomez

Director Karen McConnaughay

Director Scott Paddock

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At approximately 5:58 p.m. the Board re-entered the public session of the Meeting.

Chair's Item 1: Executive Director.

Chair Abreu entertained a motion to approve **Chair's Item 1**, as discussed in Executive Session. Director Connolly made a motion to approve the item, seconded by Director Gallagher. Chair Abreu asked that the roll be called on the motion, the vote of yeas and nays being as follows:

Yeas: Director Connolly, Director Gallagher, Director Gomez, Director McConnaughay, Director Paddock, Director Perinar, Director Sweeney, Chair Abreu (8)

Nays: (0)

The motion PASSED.

<u>Chair's Item 2</u>: Approval of IT Enhancements. As discussed in Executive Session.

Chair Abreu entertained a motion to approve **Chair's Item 2**, as discussed in Executive Session. Director Connolly made a motion to approve the item, seconded by Director Gallagher. Chair Abreu asked that the roll be called on the motion, the vote of yeas and nays being as follows:

Yeas: Director Connolly, Director Gallagher, Director Gomez, Director McConnaughay, Director Paddock, Director Perinar, Director Sweeney (7)

Nays: (0)

Recusals: Chair Abreu (1)

The motion PASSED.

Adjournment

There being no further business before the Board, Chair Abreu entertained a motion to adjourn. Director Connolly made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Director Gallagher. Chair Abreu asked that the roll be called on the motion, the vote of yeas and nays being as follows:

Yeas: Director Connolly, Director Gallagher, Director Gomez, Director McConnaughay, Director Paddock, Director Perinar, Director Sweeney, Chair Abreu (8)

Nays: (0)

The motion PASSED.



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The Meeting adjourned at approximately 6:00 p.m.

Christe Regnery

Minutes taken by:

Christi Regnery Board Secretary Illinois State Toll Highway Authority