

**FOUR RIVERS SANITATION AUTHORITY
MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS
JANUARY 26, 2026
5:15 P.M.**

MINUTES

The Four Rivers Sanitation Authority Committee of Local Improvements and staff met in-person at Four Rivers Sanitation Authority, 3501 Kishwaukee Street, Rockford, Illinois.

Pollack called the meeting to order at 5:15 p.m. and advised that the meeting was being recorded.

The following members of the Committee were present:

Rick Pollack	President
Ben Bernstein*	Vice President
Richard Mowris*	Secretary
Ginger Haas	Committee Member
Brad Long	Committee Member

*Joined via phone

Staff present: Chris Baer, Executive Director; Mike Christensen, Director, Plant Operations; Jim Reader, Director, Collection Systems; Matt Campbell, Director, Engineering; Ashley Bernard, Assistant Director, Plant Operations/Customer Service/IWS; Lisa Mittel, Assistant Director, Management Services; Kwame Calvin, Assistant Director, Internal Services; Brittany Patterson, Manager, Human Resources; Susan Skinner, Executive Services Coordinator.

Others in attendance:

- Gino Galluzzo, AGHL Law
- Alex Mandujano, FRSA
- Tony Rafferty, FRSA
- Dan Bouchard, Teamsters
- Angie Good, FRSA

Mowris moved to approve permission for Mowris and Bernsten to participate in the meeting via phone due to work-related travel; seconded by Haas; motion passed upon roll call as follows:

Ben Bernsten	Aye
Rick Pollack	Aye
Ginger Haas	Aye
Richard Mowris	Aye
Brad Long	Aye

No Public Hearing was held.

Long moved to approve Minutes of December 19, 2025; seconded by Haas; motion passed upon roll call as follows:

Ben Bernsten	Aye
Rick Pollack	Aye
Ginger Haas	Aye
Richard Mowris	Aye
Brad Long	Aye

Old Business: None

New Business: None

At 5:20 p.m., Long moved to adjourn the Meeting of the Committee of Local Improvements and enter the Meeting of the FRSA Board of Trustees; seconded by Haas; motion passed upon roll call as follows:

Ben Bernsten	Aye
Rick Pollack	Aye
Ginger Haas	Aye
Richard Mowris	Aye
Brad Long	



[Signature]
Secretary