Illinois Department of Transportation
Office of Highways Project Implementation / Region 4 / District 7
400 West Wabash / Effingham, Illinois 62401-2699

September 16, 2026

OPERATIONS – Parade Permits

City of Newton
108 N Van Buren St
Newton, IL 62448

To Whom It Concerns:

In accordance with your request and in reliance upon the conditions noted in your Resolution adopted September 15th, 2026, the Illinois Department of Transportation grants the City of Newton permission, subject to the aforesaid conditions, to close temporarily a portion of Illinois Rt 130 (Van Buren Street at W. Washington Street) from approximately 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 pm on September 25, 2026 for the purpose of holding the Homecoming Parade.

The detour of Illinois Rt 130 in the City of Newton, shall be as stated in the Resolution. The Illinois Department of Transportation will not furnish any signs. The City of Newton will be required to furnish, erect, maintain and remove the signs and barricades as shown on the attached drawing.

Your cooperation in minimizing delays to the motorists will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Teresa Price, P.E.
Region Four Engineer

By:

David Buzzard, P.E.
Operations Engineer

GMK/er

Enclosures

Cc: Chief of Police; Illinois State Police Troop #9

RESOLUTION NO. 26-16
HOMECOMING PARADE PERMIT

WHEREAS, the City of Newton, Illinois is sponsoring a Homecoming Parade in the City of Newton which event constitutes a public purpose;

WHEREAS, this Homecoming Parade will require the temporary closure of Illinois Route 130, a State Highway in the City of Newton, Van Buren Street at West Washington Street.

WHEREAS, Section 4-408 of the Illinois Highway Code authorizes the Department of Transportation to issue permits to local authorities to temporarily close portions of State Highways for such public purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Newton that permission to close off Illinois Route 130 (Van Buren St. at W. Washington St.) as above designated, be requested of the Department of Transportation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this closure shall occur during the approximate time period between 2:00 PM and 3:30 PM on September 25, 2026.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this closure is for the public purpose of Homecoming Parade.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that traffic from that closed portion of highway shall be detoured over routes with an all weather surface that can accept the anticipated traffic, which will be maintained to the satisfaction of the Department and which is conspicuously marked for the benefit of traffic diverted from the State Highway. (The parking of vehicles shall be prohibited on the detour routes to allow an uninterrupted flow of two-way traffic.)
The detour route shall be as follows: No detour route-intermittent closing of both lanes of traffic on Illinois Route 130 South at W. Washington St. The parade will not use the highway as part of parade route but will cross the highway.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Newton, Illinois assumes full responsibility for the direction, protection and regulation of the traffic during the time the detour is in effect.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the police officers or authorized flaggers shall at the expense of the City of Newton be positioned at each end of the closed section and at other points (such as intersections) as may be necessary to assist in directing traffic through the detour.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that police officers, flaggers and officials shall permit emergency vehicles in emergency situations to pass through the closed area as swiftly as is safe for all concerned.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all debris shall be removed by the City of Newton prior to reopening the State Highway.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that such signs, flags, barricades, etc. shall be used by the City of Newton as may be approved by the Illinois Department of Transportation. These items shall be provided by the City of Newton, Illinois.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the closure and detour shall be marked according to the Illinois Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an occasional break shall be made in the procession so that traffic may pass through. In any event, adequate provisions will be made for traffic on intersecting highways pursuant to conditions noted above. (Note: This paragraph is applicable when the Resolution pertains to a Parade or when no detour is required.)

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that to the fullest extent permitted by law, the City of Newton shall be responsible for any and all injuries to persons or damages to property, and shall indemnify and hold harmless the Illinois Department of Transportation, its officers, employees and agents from any and all claims, lawsuits, actions, costs and fees (including reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses) of every nature or description, arising out of, resulting from or connected with the exercise of authority granted by the Department which is the subject of this resolution. The obligation is binding upon the City of Newton regardless of whether or not such claim, damage, loss or expense is caused in part by the act, omission or negligence of the Department or its officers, employees or agents.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Newton shall provide a comprehensive general liability policy or an additional named insured endorsement in the minimum amount of $1,000,000 per person and $2,000,000 aggregate which has the Illinois Department of Transportation, its officials, employees and agents as insureds and which protects them from all claims arising from the requested road closing. A copy of said policy or endorsement will be provided to the Department before the road is closed.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Department of Transportation to serve as a formal request for the permission sought in this resolution and to operate as part of the conditions of said permission.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Newton, Illinois this 15th day of September, A.D. 2026.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Not Present
Gayle Glumac	✓			
Kaleb Wright	✓			
Larry Brooks	✓			
R. J. Lindemann	✓			
Eric Blake	✓			
Mike Swick	✓			
Mayor Joshua Kuhl				

Maggie E. McDonald, City Clerk

APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Newton, Illinois, this 15th day of September, 2026.

CITY OF NEWTON SEAL 1887 ILLINOIS

Mayor Josh J. Kuhl

ATTEST:

City Clerk, Maggie E. McDonald

CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY): 8/31/2026

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER	CONTACT NAME: Beth Kawell
Risk Program Administrators 2850 Golf Road Rolling Meadows IL 60008	PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): 630-285-3714 FAX (A/C, No): E-MAIL ADDRESS: beth_kawell@rpadmin.com

INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE	NAIC #
INSURER A : Underwriters at Lloyd's London	15792
INSURER B :	
INSURER C :	
INSURER D :	
INSURER E :	
INSURER F :	

INSURED
Prairie State Insurance Cooperative
Jasper County CUSD #1
1401 Clayton Ave.
Newton IL 62448

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** 2116460048 **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS	
A	X COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY	Y		PK1010726	7/1/2026	7/1/2027	EACH OCCURRENCE	$ 2,000,000
	[ ] CLAIMS-MADE [X] OCCUR						DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence)	$ 1,000,000
	X Agg applies-dist						MED EXP (Any one person)	$ Excluded
	GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER:						PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	$ 2,000,000
	X POLICY [ ] PRO-JECT [ ] LOC						GENERAL AGGREGATE	$ 4,000,000
	OTHER:						PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	$ 2,000,000
								$
	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY						COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident)	$
	ANY AUTO						BODILY INJURY (Per person)	$
	OWNED AUTOS ONLY / SCHEDULED AUTOS						BODILY INJURY (Per accident)	$
	HIRED AUTOS ONLY / NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY						PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)	$
								$
	UMBRELLA LIAB / OCCUR						EACH OCCURRENCE	$
	EXCESS LIAB / CLAIMS-MADE						AGGREGATE	$
	DED / RETENTION $							$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY Y/N						PER STATUTE / OTH-ER	
	ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? [ ] (Mandatory in NH)	N/A					E.L. EACH ACCIDENT	$
	If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below						E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE	$
							E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	$

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)
Additional Insured status provided herein afforded by blanket insured per endorsement named certificates of insurance.

City of Newton is shown as additional insured solely with respect to Jasper County CUSD #1 Homecoming parade to be held on Friday, September 25, 2026.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

City of Newton
108 N. Van Buren Street
Newton IL 62448

CANCELLATION

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Arthur J. Gallagher Risk Management Services, LLC

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