

**MAHOMET TOWNSHIP AND
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DISTRICT JOINT
DECENNIAL COMMITTEE
REPORT
2023-2024**

Comprehensive review of efficiency within Mahomet Township Government

Mahomet Township and Mahomet Township Road District
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This report of the Mahomet Township and Mahomet Township Road District Decennial Committee on Local Government Efficiency. The committee was formed and completed a report in accordance with Public Act 105-1088.

I. UNIT OF GOVERNMENT SUBMITTING THIS REPORT

NAME OF TOWNSHIP: MAHOMET

II. Information About Our Township

- Mahomet Township is in Champaign County, Illinois.
- The population of Mahomet Township, based on the 2020 census, is 13,697.
- The Township includes the Village of Mahomet.
- The Township consists of approximately 6 square miles.
- Currently, the Road District has four full-time employees and part-time employees as needed.
- The Mahomet Township annual budget for 2024 is \$1,620,275 and \$2,517,198 for the Township Road District.
- The Mahomet Township equalized assessed valuation for 2024 is \$396,090,439.

III. Information About Our Committee

Committee Members

Township Supervisor:	Aaron Wheeler
Township Highway Commissioner:	Chris Doenitz
Township Trustee:	Bill Jay
Township Trustee:	Jeff Wooten
Township Trustee:	Robert Laroe
Township Clerk:	Christie Lagle
Township Resident:	Matt Pommier
Township Resident:	Eric Crowley

IV. Committee Meeting Dates (50 ILCS 70/20)

First Meeting (Organizational):	March 12, 2024
Second Meeting:	May 8, 2024
Third Meeting:	September 11, 2024
Additional Meetings:	Pending, If Needed

V. Services provided by Mahomet Township

- General Assistance as mandated by the State of Illinois for those who qualify and need General Assistance.
- Emergency Assistance for those who qualify and need emergency assistance.
- Help with general Assistance application process
- Provide and Maintain Township Website
- Cemetery Lot Sales
- Cemetery Maintenance
- Keep and Maintain Cemetery Records
- Work along other taxing districts to maximize efficiencies and reduce duplication

VI. Programs Offered by Our Road District

- Oil and chip, asphalt and concrete road and street replacement, repair, and maintenance
- Ditch and culvert maintenance and repair for proper water flow
- Road Sign replacement, repair, and maintenance
- Snow removal and ice control operations
- Tree maintenance and removal
- Roadside mowing
- Maintenance of all equipment needed to perform the above-listed activities.
- Work with other local government entities to reduce duplication of services

VII. What Our Township and Road District Done Well

- Our Township has kept other levies below the tax-cap levels of 5% annum.
- Our Road District employees are extremely experienced, competent, and willing to complete Township projects.
- Our Road District employees stay weather aware for any weather-related issues that may arise and will respond to such needs in a timely manner.
- Communicating with State legislators on issues that affect Township Road Districts.
- Maintain communication with surrounding government entities to discuss utilization of resources.
- Road District Maintains one of the lowest taxing rates in Champaign County.
- Township Maintains a low tax rate.
- Utilized computer and outside resources to maximize time constraints
- Both Road District and Township have been and continue to be cost conscientious and keep the burden of the taxpayer at the forefront of decisions.
- Consistently kept the Tax levies below the 5% maximum level

- Township has converted light fixtures to LED to reduce energy expenditure
- Township and Road District are continuously reviewing and researching efficient means of business functions.

VIII. What Inefficiencies Did Our Township Identify and What Are Our Next Steps

- Our committee has found no inefficiencies that would have a significant detrimental impact on the Township or the residents, property owners or businesses.

IX. Review of Laws, Training, Rules and Procedures, and other Documents


The Township and Road District have participated in this non-exhaustive list of laws and regulations, training as mentioned above.

- Illinois Laws Associated with and applicable to the Illinois Township Code
- Illinois Open Meetings Act
- Public Comment
- Designated OMA Officer (Supervisor)
- Designated FOIA Officer (Clerk)
- Respective Officials complete OMA Training
- Maintain Schedule of all Regular Township Meetings
- Illinois Freedom of Information Act
- Maintain and Retain files for all the FOIA requests
- FOIA Officer Training
- Periodic review of Closed meeting Minutes
- Annual Audit of Township and Road District
- All Elected officials are required to file a Statement of Economic Interest
- State Ethics Laws
- Records Retention and Disposal Laws

X. Summary

Mahomet Township and Mahomet Township Road District have and will continue to strive toward efficiency. Whether in services provided or expenditures. Strides have been made already and continuous improvement will remain at the forefront of our efforts.

Thereby approving this document through a roll call vote on this 11th day of September, 2024 are the following committee participants:



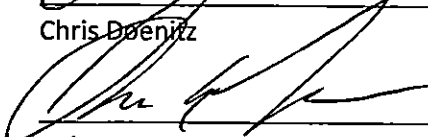
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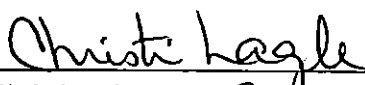
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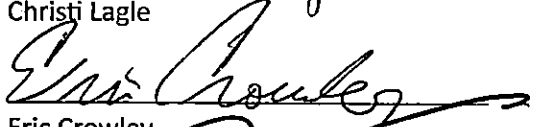
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