

Illinois Forensic Science Commission

Quality Systems Subcommittee

Meeting Minutes

August 21, 2026, 12:00 p.m. meeting

I. Call to order

Subcommittee Chairperson Claire Dragovich called the meeting to order at approximately 12:00 p.m. The meeting was held via Web Ex.

II. Roll call

The following people were present:

1. Jillian Baker, FS Commission Member, Subcommittee Member
2. Jeffrey Buford, FS Commission Member, Subcommittee Member
3. Claire Dragovich, FS Commission Member, Subcommittee Chairperson
4. Judge Art Hill (ret.), FS Commission Member, Subcommittee Member*
5. Frances Kammuelier, Subcommittee Member
6. Joanne Liu, Subcommittee Member
7. Peter St. Andre, FS Commission Member, Subcommittee Member
8. Amy Watroba, Executive Director-Forensic Science Commission
9. Maya Dukmasova
10. Bob McCoppin
11. Kevin McMahon
12. Lindsay Simpson

*denotes individual who joined meeting after roll call

III. Review of Minutes:

1. The July 24, 2026 subcommittee meeting minutes were approved.

IV. Discussion:

1. Discussion related to drafting supplemental 2024 Significant Non-Conformity Report.

The subcommittee discussed proposed changes to the draft Supplemental 2024 Significant Non-Conformity Report. The subcommittee voted to approve the draft document, subject to non-substantive changes, for elevation to the full Commission.

V. Old Business

None.

VI. New Business

Ms. Watroba suggested that subcommittee members think about what action might be next for the Commission related to the testing issues at AFTL and the additional public documents made available to the Commission.

VII. Public Comment

Mr. McMahon offered comment via the chat feature stating that AFTL is closed and that the equine side of the lab closed two months ago.

VIII. Next Meeting/Adjournment

The next meeting is scheduled for September 25, 2026, at 12 p.m. on Web Ex. Meeting adjourned at approximately 12:55 p.m.