



Cook County Extension Council Meeting  
Thursday, June 18, 2026  
University of Illinois Extension  
Quad Communities Development Corporation  
4210 S Berkeley Ave, Chicago, IL 60653  
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM [Zoom](#)

- I. Welcome and Introductions
- II. Minutes of Previous Meeting
- III. County Director Updates
  - a. Civil Service New Hires: *Dir. Buffett*
  - b. Find Food Illinois: *Elizabeth Cook*
  - c. Food and Nutrition: *Yvonne Izquierdo*
- IV. Old Business
  - a. HB5728 Extension Funding Bill Update: *Dir. Buffett*
  - b. ISU Fellows Update: *Dir. Buffett*
- V. New Business
  - a. Council Reappointments
  - b. Officer Appointments
  - c. Extension County Board
  - d. Open Meetings Act Training
  - e. Audit Committee Selection
  - f. Updates from Meetings with Program Teams
  - g. Council Recruitment Updates
  - h. 2026 Meeting Schedule
  - i. Council Evaluations
- VI. Announcements
- VII. Next meeting date
  - a. September 17, 2026, at Chicago South Branch Office (8751 S Greenwood, Suite 100, Chicago, IL 60619)
- VIII. Adjournment