

Sangamon Township
Regular Monthly Meeting

APRIL 10, 2014

Minutes

The regular monthly meeting of Sangamon Township was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Supervisor Ray Spencer. Roll call was taken. Elsie Robinson, Ray Spencer and Bill Olson were present. John Foley and Steve Harper were absent.

Debbie Marshall-Clerk, Brent Buckalew-Assessor, and Larry Sebens-Highway Commissioner were also present.

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

There was no public comment.

The March 2014 minutes were read. With no discussion, Elsie Robinson made the motion to accept as read and Bill Olson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

After review of the invoices presented for payment, a motion was made by Elsie Robinson to approve and pay the invoices. Bill Olson seconded the motion. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Frannie Dick presented his plan to purchase a new Toro “zero turn” mower for Cemetery use from Sherman’s machines. It will be a significant savings to purchase the mower in 2014 instead of waiting until 2015 as originally planned. He explained about the features of the mower that he will buy. Comparison shopping was done, and this is the best value.

Ray reported on the public turnout for Sangamon Township cleanup days which were April 4th & 5th. The first day had few people come—second day much better. Approximately \$300 was collected from donations and approximately \$400 from scrap metal. Two dumpsters were filled. Several residents thanked us for sponsoring the event. Larry and his staff worked the project.

Also, thanks to Larry and the Highway crew for moving the large rocks to the front of the Township building.

There was no old business.

New business consisted of adopting a resolution to amend the allocation of some Township funds. The Cemetery transfer line was reduced by \$8,000.00 and moved to the Cemetery division---increasing the Oil & Gas line by \$3000.00 and increasing the Cemetery Equipment line by \$5000.00.

This resolution was read aloud by Ray Spencer, who made the motion to accept and pass the resolution. Bill Olson seconded the motion. With a roll call vote of 3 yays, 0 nays, and 2 absent---the resolution passed. This change was needed to allow money in the Cemetery budget for the mower purchase.

A motion to adjourn was made by Elsie Robinson and seconded by Bill Olson. All agreed.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:45 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie Marshall

Sangamon Township Clerk