

**Sangamon Township
Regular Monthly Meeting**

Held at Sangamon Township Building, 1264 Old Rt 47 White Heath Illinois

April 13, 2017

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. Ray Spencer, John Foley and Steve Harper were present. Elsie Robinson and Bill Olson were absent.

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

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Public Comment:

Mike Nolan reported that he had attended a meeting in Bloomington regarding solar farms. McLean County is proposing using the existing wind farm ordinance to cover solar farms. Piatt County Board might consider how they plan to handle this if needed in Piatt County.

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A motion to approve and accept the regular monthly March 2017 minutes was made Steve Harper and seconded by John Foley. With no discussion, all were in favor.

Invoices:

A motion to approve invoices was made by John Foley and seconded by Steve Harper. John questioned an expense of \$3000 paid to Kemper. Ray explained that it was a onetime set up fee for our book keeping service. With a roll call vote of 3 ayes and 0 nays, the motion to approve invoices passed.

Announcements/communications:

Ray congratulated Kathleen Piatt and Mike Nolan on their election victories.

John would like to acknowledge Ray's & Elsie's years of service to the Board with gift cards to a restaurant.

Old Business:

John reminded us that we still need to finalize the White Heath ball diamond lease. He also reported that he applied fertilizer to the field. When he went to level the field, Justin Weidner and a crew were replacing the electric line for the lights and already rolling the outfield. John asked what they might need from Sangamon Township. They are concerned with vandalism possibilities. Someone is hitting golf balls against the scoreboard and breaking lightbulbs. Dogs are also leaving “deposits” on the field. Maybe security cameras would be useful? John suggested presenting the cost of security equipment to the Board, and if the rec league installs it, the Board would probably pay for the equipment.

New Business:

A motion to hold the 2017 Sangamon Township clean up days was made by Steve Harper and seconded by John Foley. All were in favor. The dates for the event will be May 5th and 6th.

A motion to adjourn was made by John Foley and seconded by Steve Harper. All were in favor.
Meeting adjourned at 7:26 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie Marshall

Sangamon Township Clerk