

**Sangamon Township
Regular Monthly Meeting**

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

May 14, 2015

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, John Foley, Bill Olson and Steve Harper were present.

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

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Public Comment:

Mike Nolan inquired about the newly formed committee to study the current County zoning ordinance. The committee will review the current ordinance and possibly revise it.

The April 2015 minutes were electronically presented in draft form previous to the meeting. Elsie Robinson moved to accept the minutes as presented, and John Foley seconded the motion. All were in favor. Motion passed.

After review of the invoices presented for payment, Elsie Robinson made a motion to pay the invoices presented for payment, and Steve Harper seconded the motion.

Bill asked about an invoice presented for a fire extinguisher. A citizen used his personal equipment to put out a fire on a Township tractor, so this is reimbursement to Melvin Jacobs for that service.

After a roll call vote of 5 ayes and 0 nays, the motion to approve the monthly invoices for payment carried

Announcements/Communication:

Brent reported that the assessments are caught up. Most new construction is sheds, garages, decks and fences. There are very few new homes.

John asked for information on the bill to abolish all Township Assessors. Brent's thoughts are that if it happens, the county level would be more consistent on valuations throughout the county. However, the bill died for now.

Bill asked for an update on our recycling program. He had visited with someone from Champaign County who told him that he uses our Township recycle bin!

Old Business:

None

New Business:

None

A motion to adjourn was made by Steve Harper and seconded by Elsie Robinson. All were in favor.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie Marshall

Sangamon Township Clerk