## Sangamon Township Regular Monthly Meeting

## JUNE 12, 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, Bill Olson and Steve Harper were present. John Foley was absent.

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

A safety moment was recognized.

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Public comment consisted of views shared regarding the possible relocation of the Sangamon #2 polling place. Mike Nolan reported on a meeting about the Mahomet Aquifer, which was held in Champaign County.

The May 2014 minutes were read. With no discussion, Elsie Robinson made the motion to accept as read and Steve Harper seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion carried.

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

Brent Buckalew said that the assessments for Sangamon Township are finished and resulted with a bit over 1% increase. These are the assessments that Brent is responsible for...such as homes and outbuildings. Farmland will rise slightly too, but, as he explained...there is a cap on the possible increase for farmland.

Ray shared a report of the final distribution of real estate taxes.

The Prevailing Wage Ordinance was read aloud by Elsie Robinson, who also made a motion to accept the ordinance as read. The motion was seconded by Bill Olson. After a roll call vote of 4 ayes, and 0 nays. The motion to accept the Prevailing Wage Ordinance for 2014 was unanimously accepted.

Clerk, Debbie Marshall read aloud an ordinance to accept Taxes Paid Under Protest Due to Taxing Body (Sangamon Township). A motion to accept this ordinance was made by Bill Olson, and seconded by Ray Spencer. After a roll call vote of 4 ayes and 0 nays, the motion carried. We will receive \$6,734.00.

A motion to endorse a polling place relocation for Sangamon #2 was made by Ray Spencer and seconded by Elsie Robinson. Motion carried unanimously. If the Piatt County Clerk chooses to use the Sangamon Township building for relocation of Sangamon #2 polling place, the Township board has no objection.

There was no old business to discuss.

A motion to adjourn was made by Steve Harper and seconded by Elsie Robinson. All agreed.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie Marshall

Sangamon Township Clerk