

FRANKLIN COUNTY BOARD SPECIAL MEETING AT 4:30 PM

MINUTES OF MEETING

Apr 8, 2019

CALL TO ORDER

The April 8, 2019, Special Meeting of the Franklin County Board was called to order at 4:30 PM, in the County Board Room in the Campbell Building, 901 Public Square, Benton, Illinois by Chairman Randall Crocker.

ROLL CALL

Secretary, Greg Woolard, called the roll. Members in attendance were Randall Crocker, John Gulley, Neil Hargis, Larry Miller, Ray Minor, Alan Price, Jack Warren and Kevin Weston. Stephen Leek was absent.

Also attendances were Keith Ward, Recycling Coordinator; David Bartoni, Sheriff; Cindy Humm, Supervisor of Assessments; Jim Muir, Circuit Clerk; Teri Conaway, County Treasurer Chief Deputy Clerk and other interested parties.

PLANNING REMODELING OF THE CAMPBELL BUILDING & CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW FRANKLIN COUNTY COURTHOUSE

Chairman Randall Crocker stated that the purpose of this meeting is to discuss the beginning planning for the remodeling of the Campbell Building and the construction of a new Franklin County Courthouse. Chairman Randall Crocker spoke on the public support would be needed and asked the crowd for comments. He spoke on the concerns about the soil stability - making sure it would support the structure. Then he stated that he thinks the property should be surveyed by Shawnee Engineers, Surveyors Energy Services. Chairman Randall Crocker spoke about the renovation of the Campbell Building stating that Drew Kelly, an Architect from Sesser was here to look at the building. Chairman Randall Crocker recommends hiring Drew Kelly for the Campbell Building remodeling and talked about getting a loan from Southern Illinois Bank to get the project started and having a representative

from the Southern Illinois Bank to attend the next regular County Board meeting. And Chairman Randall Crocker wants a committee to help with the final design.

ADJOURNMENT

Chairman Randall Crocker asked the Board if there were any questions. Jack Warren made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Larry Miller seconded the motion. There being no further business Chairman Randall Crocker declared the meeting adjourned.



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Randall Crocker
Franklin County Board Chairman



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Greg Woolard
County Clerk and Recorder