

# FRANKLIN COUNTY BOARD SPECIAL MEETING AT

12:00 PM

MINUTES OF MEETING

Mar 28, 2020

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## **CALL TO ORDER**

The March 28, 2020, Special Meeting of the Franklin County Board was called to order at 12:00 PM, by Chairman Randall Crocker. Due to the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), Governor J B Pritzker has ordered the state to shelter in place this meeting is via phone conference.

## **ROLL CALL**

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

Also attendances were Gayla Prather, Administrative Assistant to the County Board; Ryan Buckingham Director of Emergency Management Agency; Cindy Loyd, Supervisor of Assessments; Jim Muir, Circuit Clerk; Steve Vercelino, County Treasurer and other interest parties.

Chairman Randall Crocker asked Jim Muir, Circuit Clerk to open the meeting with a prayer.

## **PROCLAMATION OF DISASTER**

Chairman Randall Crocker stated that everyone was sent a copy of the proposed declaration and he asked Ryan Buckingham, Director of Emergency Management Agency to explain. Ryan Buckingham, Director of Emergency Management Agency gave an update of the progress EMA is making and explained the new declaration and was content. And that the new declaration goes from seven days to thirty days Disaster Proclamation. Gayla Prather, Administrative Assistant to the County Board read the new County of Franklin, Illinois Proclamation of a Disaster.

Larry Miller spoke in opposition of the declaration then retracted his statement.

Ray Minor spoke about assistance from the Government.

Ray Minor made a motion to accept the County of Franklin, Illinois Proclamation of a Disaster as presented. Alan Price seconded the motion. On roll call vote, all voted yes.

Said Proclamation of a Disaster is made a part of these minutes.

County Board members discussed the possibility of amending the budget with the possibility of lay offs.

**ADJOURNMENT**

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



Randall Crocker

Franklin County Board Chairman



Greg Woolard

County Clerk and Recorder