

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS  
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS - CITY HALL  
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2013  
10:30 A.M.

ROLL CALL

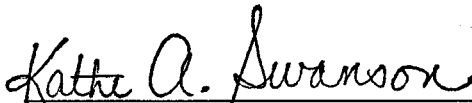
The meeting was called to order by Mayor Burke. Commissioners Blackburn, Brechon, Considine, Kuhn and Mayor Burke answered the Roll Call.

ORD. #2929 – PROVIDING FOR AND REQUIRING THE SUBMISSION OF THE PROPOSITION OF WHETHER THE CITY OF DIXON SHALL ADOPT THE MANAGERIAL FORM OF MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AT THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE 4<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2014

Commissioner Blackburn moved that an Ordinance providing for and requiring the submission of the proposition of whether the City of Dixon shall adopt the Managerial Form of Municipal Government to the Electors of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the General Election to be held on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014 be passed. Discussion followed. Commissioner Considine advised that Jim Marshall, a Task Force member, thanked the Council for this option for the citizens of Dixon. He then advised that his vote today does not mean he is in favor of putting this question on the ballot. Commissioner Brechon agreed with Commissioner Considine, advising she is in favor of an Administrator versus a Manager due to putting too much control in one person's hands but she feels the voters need to be heard. Commissioner Blackburn stated he would not comment at this time but will make his choice at the polls. Mayor Burke advised it will be an interesting year with David Nord on board and it will give the citizens an opportunity to see the difference between a managerial form versus an administrator form. Commissioner Kuhn stated before he makes a decision, he would like to sit back and observe and give David Nord a chance to do his job. After no further comments, the Mayor called for the vote. Voting Yea: Commissioners Blackburn, Brechon, Considine, Kuhn and Mayor Burke. Voting Nay: None. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Blackburn moved that the Special Council Meeting of Wednesday, November 6, 2013 be adjourned to meet in Special Session on Tuesday, November 12, 2013 at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall. Voting Yea: Commissioners Blackburn, Brechon, Considine, Kuhn and Mayor Burke. Voting Nay: None. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 10:35 a.m.

  
Kathe A. Swanson, City Clerk