ILLINOIS ENDANGERED SPECIES PROTECTION BOARD

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144th Meeting Agenda November 13, 2009 - 10AM Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie 30239 South State Route 53; Wilmington, IL 60481

- 1. Call to Order, Roll Call and Introduction of Guests
- 2. Adoption of Agenda
- 3. Approval of Minutes from the 143rd (08/14/09) Meeting
- 4. ESPB Staff Report Anne Mankowski
- 5. IDNR Staff Report Don McFall
- 6. Illinois Nature Preserves Commission Report Randy Heidorn
- 7. ESPB Budget Anne Mankowski
- 8. ESPB Member Appointments
- 9. ESTAC Composition Review ESPB Policy Manual / ESTAC Manual Discussion
- 10. Species Updates ESPB Board/Staff, DNR Staff
- 11. ESPB Research Program (FY08 and FY09 projects, FY10 cycle review proposals received and vote for FY10 funding recommendations) Anne Mankowski
- 12. ESPB protocol for reviewing and commenting on proposed recovery guidelines, criteria, and plans
- 13. Presentation: Proposed Status Review Triggers for Three Listed Mammals: Eastern Woodrat, Marsh Rice Rat, Golden Mouse Joe Kath or Bob Bluett (IDNR)
- 14. Presentation: Habitat Conservation for the Illinois Chorus Frog Joe Kath or Bob Bluett (IDNR)
- 15. Presentation: Proposed Project Reestablishing a Viable Population of Ornate Box Turtles (*Terrepene ornata*) on the Lost Mound Unit of the Upper Mississippi River National Wildlife Refuge Ed Britton and Jeramie Strickland (USFWS), and Ed Anderson (IDNR)
- 16. Next Meeting Information (Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie, February 19, 2009)
- 17. Public Comment Period (3 minutes per person)
- 18. Other Business
- 19. Adjournment