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## 164<sup>th</sup> Meeting Agenda November 14, 2014 – 10:00 AM Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie, Visitor Center Conference Room, 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 163<sup>rd</sup> Meeting (08/15/2014)
- 4. Approval of resolutions commending John Clemetsen, Susanne Masi, John Taft, and Laurel Ross for service as members of the Illinois Endangered Species Protection Board
- 5. ESPB Staff Report Anne Mankowski
- 6. IDNR Staff Report
- 7. Illinois Nature Preserves Commission Report
- 8. PRESENTATION Proposed approval of listing status review triggers for the Smooth Softshell (*Apalone mutica*) Bob Bluett (IDNR)
- 9. ESPB Member Appointments
- 10. 2014 Ethics Training for Appointees to State Boards and Commissions Anne Mankowski
- 11 Approve ESPB Biennial Report July 2012-June 2014 Anne Mankowski
- 12. Approve 2015 Regular Meeting Dates and Locations Anne Mankowski
- 13. ESPB Executive Officers and Committee discuss and take action regarding proposed revision to the nomination and election process, powers, and duties Anne Mankowski
- 14. ESPB Meetings discuss and take action regarding frequency and staff and member administration Anne Mankowski
- 15. Next Regular Meeting Information (Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie, Visitor Center Conference Room, 30239 South State Route 53; Wilmington, IL 60481; February 20, 2015; 9:00 AM.)
- 16. Public Comment Period (3 minutes per person)
- 17. Other Business
- 18. Adjournment