

# ILLINOIS ENDANGERED SPECIES PROTECTION BOARD

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## 181<sup>st</sup> Meeting Agenda

February 8, 2019 – 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 of Board Members, and Introduction of Guests
2. Adoption of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes from the 180<sup>h</sup> Meeting
4. Report from the Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR)
5. Report from the Illinois Nature Preserves Commission (INPC)
6. Report from the Chair of the Illinois Endangered Species Protection Board
7. Semi-annual Review of Whether to Keep Closed the Minutes from Previous Closed Sessions
8. Update on the Process for the Review of Listed Plant Species – Drs. Coons and Fant
9. Preliminary Approval of a Petition to Change the Status of the Prairie Buttercup (*Ranunculus rhomboideus*) from Threatened to Endangered
10. Preliminary Approval of a Petition to Add the Butternut (*Juglans cinerea*) to the Illinois List of Endangered and Threatened Species
11. Preliminary Approval of Additional Taxonomic Changes for Listed Reptiles
12. Presentation, Rapid Expansion of the Banded Killifish (*Fundulus diaphanous*), in Illinois: Dramatic Recovery of a Threatened Species or Invasion of a Non-native Subspecies? Jeremy Tiemann, Illinois Natural History Survey
13. Discussion: What Should Be the Role of Subspecies in the Endangered and Threatened Species Listing Process in Illinois?
14. Report on 2018 Pollinator Survey and Terrestrial Invertebrates in Need of Conservation. Angella Moorehouse, INPC

15. Public Comment Period (3 minutes per person)
16. Other Business
17. Next meeting Information (May 17, 2019 at Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie Visitor Center, Wilmington, IL)
18. Adjournment