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Resolution # 8-1

*Joe Aiello*  
Sangamon County Clerk

WHEREAS, County departments with vehicles annually expend a total of approximately \$300,000 for the purchase of fuel from service stations, and credit/fuel cards are required to facilitate such purchases; and

WHEREAS, Harper Oil Company, which has provided credit cards to County departments for fuel purchases for a number of years, recently sold three of its four service stations located in Sangamon County, making it inconvenient for many County employees to use the firm's one remaining station as the sole provider of fuel for County owned vehicles; and

Whereas, the State of Illinois has competitively awarded a contract to Wright Express Company for fleet fuel cards for all State vehicles; and

Whereas the State's agreement with Wright Express is part of the Illinois Joint Use Program which allows local governments to obtain fleet fuel cards from Wright Express subject to the same favorable terms and conditions as those detailed in the firm's agreement with the State of Illinois; and

Whereas, service fees for the County's use of Wright Express' fuel cards will be paid by participating vendors, rather than by the County, without increasing the cost of the County's fuel purchases, and the use of such cards will make the County eligible for price discounts on fuel purchased from participating vendors and for rebates from Wright Express equal to 1.05 % of total fuel purchases; and

Whereas, Wright Express' fuel cards are accepted by many service stations in Sangamon County and throughout Illinois, and such cards are successfully being used by other Illinois local governments as part of the Joint Use Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Sangamon County Board, in session this 11th day of January, 2011, that the County Administrator is authorized to develop and execute a County-wide agreement or department specific agreements with Wright Express for fuel cards for County vehicles using the terms and conditions defined in the firm's agreement with the Illinois Joint Use Program.

Finance Committee

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*Bob Bernard*, Member  
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Paul Palazzo  
SANGAMON COUNTY AUDITOR