# **RICHARD D. ALLEN**

# Professional Highlights

- Retired Business Owner of Appliance Retail Store in Galesburg, IL for 47 years
- Present Co-Owner and Manager of family farm in McDonough County for 23 years
- U.S. Army 1956-1958

## **Galesburg Community Involvement**

- City of Galesburg Election Judge
- Member of Galesburg Jaycee's, Board President 1968
- Member of Galesburg Rotary Club, President of Rotary Club 1979-1980
- Galesburg Downtown Council, President 1983-1984
- Member of First United Methodist Church, Board Member since 2011

#### **Boards Served**

- Knox County Board Member from 1980-1996; serving as Vice-chairman for 6 years and Chairman for 9 years
- Galesburg Sanitary District, Clerk-Treasurer 2002-Present

#### Achievements/Awards

- Senator and Lifetime Member Award for Galesburg Jaycee's
- Tom Herring Award in 1990
- Paul Harris Award from Rotary Club

### Skills

- Professional and technical business management skills
  - Professional and technical skills of farm management
  - Management of multi-million dollar Appropriation Budget
  - Professional knowledge and use of Open Meetings Act
- Oversight of all investment banking, federal and state quarterly taxes
- Professional and technical skills of municipal infrastructure projects