

# ROCKFORD TOWNSHIP BOARD MINUTES

May 21, 2019

The Regularly Scheduled Meeting of the **Board of Trustees of the Town of Rockford**, held in the boardroom located at 119 North Church Street, Rockford, Illinois, was called to order at 4:30 PM.

<i>Present:</i>	Supervisor	Jasper St. Angel
	Clerk	Carl R. Wasco
	Assessor	Ken Crowley
	Trustees	David Vella
		Nancy Johnson
		Frank Manzullo

Absent: Ken Staaf

*Staff and Guests:* Paula Lind, Vicky Carlson, and Brad Trent

**CALL TO ORDER: at 4:30 P.M.**

## **Approval of Minutes:**

Trustee Manzullo moved to approve the minutes of the May 7, 2019 meeting. Trustee Johnson seconded the motion. The minutes were approved unanimously.

Ayes: 4 Nays: 0

**Public Participation:** None

## **Correspondence and Communication:**

Town Clerk Carl Wasco reported on HB 348 that passed both the House and Senate. HB 348 Amends the Township Code and provides that the board of trustees of any township located in McHenry County may submit a proposition to dissolve the township to the township electors or township electors may petition for a referendum to dissolve a township. Additionally, it amends the Highway Code and provides that any township in Lake County or McHenry County shall abolish a road district of the township if the roads of the road district are less than 15 miles in length.

**Transfers:** None

**Reports:**

Assessor Crowley reported that the tax bills are available online. The paper tax bills are in the mail. Taxpayers should receive by the end of the week or at the latest, the early part of the week of May 27, 2019. Taxes are due June 28<sup>th</sup> and September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

Deputy Highway Commissioner Brad Trent reported that the rain has effected productivity with tree trimming, stumping, pothole repairs, patching and seal-coating. The highway department reviewed bids for the up-coming Safford Road project.

Administrative Assistant Paula Lind reported on the April Community Work and Job Training Program. She also reported that six (6) General Assistance clients obtained employment.

**Review and Approval of Bills:**

Trustee Vella moved to approve the bills as presented. Trustee Johnson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

General Assistance	\$	61,030.28
Town Funds	\$	140,559.52
Road & Bridge Funds	\$	274,220.13

Ayes: 4 Nays: 0

**Financial Status:**

The financial reports were distributed for Board review.

**New Business:**


Supervisor St. Angel presented a Resolution for the League of Women Voters commemorating 100 years of the right to vote. Trustee Vella moved to approve. Trustee Johnson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Ayes: 4 Nays: 0

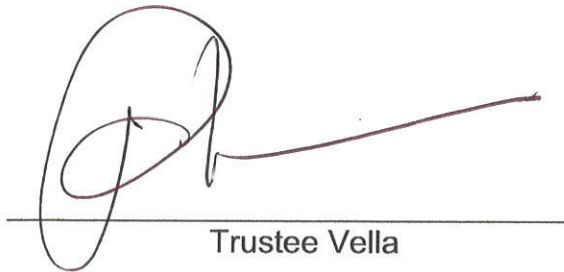
**Meeting Adjourned:**

Meeting of the Town Board adjourned at 4:57 PM.

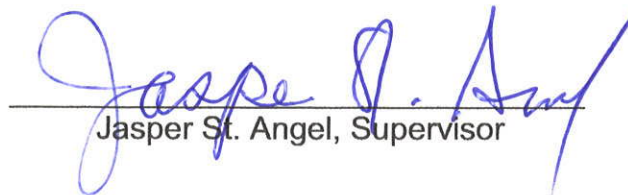
Next regular Town Board meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 4, 2019 at 4:30 p.m. at 119 N. Church Street, Room 400.

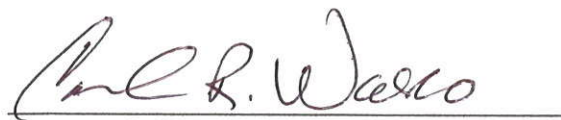
  
Trustee Manzullo

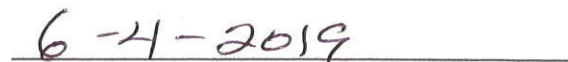
  
Trustee Staaf

  
Trustee Vella

  
Trustee Johnson

  
Jasper St. Angel, Supervisor

  
Respectfully submitted,  
Carl R. Wasco, Town Clerk

  
Date