## **ROCKFORD TOWNSHIP BOARD MINUTES**

October 6, 2020

The Regularly Scheduled Meeting of the **Board of Trustees of the Town of Rockford**, held at 315 North Church Street, Rockford, Illinois and by UberConference was called to order at 4:30 PM.

Present:

Supervisor

Assessor

Highway Commissioner

Trustees

Jasper St. Angel

Ken Crowley
Dan Conness

Frank Manzullo

Doug Mark Nancy Johnson

Dave Vella

Absent: Clerk Carl Wasco

Staff and Guests: Attorney Peter Alexander, Vicky Carlson, Paula Lind, and Jeff Kirk.

#### Call to Order:

Supervisor St. Angel called the meeting of the Town Board to order and asked for a moment of silence in memory of former Mayor John McNamara.

# **Approval of Minutes:**

Trustee Vella moved to approve the minutes of the September 15, 2020 meeting. Trustee Manzullo seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously.

Ayes: 5 Nays: 0

**Public Participation**: Jeff Kirk attending as a friend and cesires to become knowledgeable regarding the financials of township government.

**Correspondence and Communication:** Supervisor St. Angel reported that the TOI Educational Conference will be held virtually November 16-20 & 23, 2020. Please contact Vicky or Paula for registration.

Transfers: None

## Reports:

Assessor Crowley reported that a twenty-five year employee, Henrietta Jass, passed away, and her brother thanked the Township for their kindness and support during a difficult time. He further reported that approximately 600 assessment complaints were filed and 100 completed appeals have been forwarded to the Board of Review. Assessor Crowley reported record-low complaint season, but due to COVID-19, Building Permits have increased.

Highway Commissioner Conness reported that the highway crews are working on paving projects. He further reported that the County Board approved the Blackhawk Road project and weather permitting, they hope to complete project by the first week in November. As well, Spring Brook project is still on the schedule, however, may be postponed to next year based on weather.

Administrative Assistant Paula Lind reported on the September General Assistance Census.

# Review and Approval of Bills:

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

Ayes: 5 Nays: 0

General Assistance	\$ 96,307.56
Town Funds	\$ 76,007.24
Road & Bridge Funds	\$ 79,822.34

#### **Financial Status:**

The financial reports were distributed for Board review.

### **New Business:**

Meeting of the Town Board adjourned at 4:41 PM.

# The next Town Board meeting will be held on October 20, 2020 at 4:30 pm.

Trustee Manzullo	Trustee Mark
Trustee Vella	Trustee Johnson
Jasper St. Ange	I, Supervisor
Respectfully submitted, Paula J. Lind, Deputy Town Clerk	Date