

ROCKFORD TOWNSHIP BOARD MINUTES

September 7, 2021

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

Present:	Supervisor	Jasper St. Angel
	Town Clerk	Carl Wasco
	Assessor	Ken Crowley
	Highway Commissioner	Dan Conness
	Trustees	Frank Manzullo
		Doug Mark

Absent: Mustafa Abdall and Nancy Johnson

Staff and Guests: Vicky Carlson and Paula Lind

Call to Order:

Supervisor St. Angel called meeting to order.

Town Clerk Carl Wasco led the meeting in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes:

Trustee Manzullo moved to approve the minutes of the August 17, 2021 meeting. Trustee Mark seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously.

Ayes: 3 Nays: 0

Public Participation: None

Correspondence and Communication:

Supervisor St. Angel reported that the Governor's Executive Order on the Open Meetings Act was not extended to include quorum by virtual attendance.

Supervisor St. Angel reported on the November Education Conference.

Transfers: None

Reports:

Assessor Ken Crowley reported receipt of 544 assessment complaints. His office has turned over 200 appeals to the County Supervisor of Assessments. He reported the majority of complaints are commercial.

Highway Commissioner Conness reported that the highway crews are working on their seal-coating program. He further discussed the cost-effectiveness of seal-coating versus re-surfacing. To date, no constituent complaints or concerns with the recent seal-coating. Highway Commissioner Conness reported on expanding the program to include more roads and subdivisions. He lastly discussed the cooperative programming with the County to combine storage and salt between the township and county.

Administrative Assistant Paula Lind reported on the August General Assistance Program client census.

Review and Approval of Bills:

Trustee Mark moved to approve the bills as presented. Trustee Manzullo seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously.

Ayes: 3 Nays: 0

General Assistance	\$	22,681.91
Town Funds	\$	40,553.77
Road & Bridge Funds	\$	45,869.09

Financial Status:

The financial reports were distributed for Board review.

New Business:

Supervisor St. Angel presented the Rockford Township Annual Audit to the Town Board. He thanked Manager of Fiscal Operations, Vicky Carlson, for her excellence in financial operations.

Meeting of the Town Board adjourned at 4:45 PM.

The next Town Board meeting will be held on September 21, 2021 at 4:30 pm.

Trustee Manzullo

Trustee Mark

Trustee Abdall

Trustee Johnson

Jasper St. Angel, Supervisor

Respectfully submitted,
Carl R. Wasco, Town Clerk

Date