

ROCKFORD TOWNSHIP BOARD MINUTES

November 21, 2023

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

Present:

Township Clerk
Township Assessor
Highway Commissioner
Trustees

Carl Wasco
Ken Crowley
Dan Conness
Mustafa Abdall
Nancy Johnson
Frank Manzullo
Doug Mark

Absent: Supervisor St. Angel

Staff and Guests: Paula Lind

Call to Order:

Trustee Manzullo called the meeting to order.

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

Approval of Minutes:

Trustee Mark moved to approve the minutes of the November 7, 2023 meeting. Trustee Abdall seconded the motion. The motion was passed unanimously.

Ayes: 4 Nays: 0

Public Participation: None

Correspondence and Communication:

Trustee Manzullo reported correspondence from the City of Rockford, dated November 15 & 16, 2023 respectively, regarding annexation of two properties known as 1xx Garver Avenue and 2075 Leonard Road. The annexation of the territories will take place by action of the City Council at its meeting on December 4, 2023.

Transfers: None

Reports:

Assessor Ken Crowley reported status on the residential and commercial assessment appeals and the Board of Review hearing schedule.

Highway Commissioner Dan Conness reported that department crews continue work on their regular maintenance schedule of tree trimming, patching, and right-of-way's. He further reported that the trucks are ready for snow, and the salt dome is filled. He lastly reported on the continued planning of their fleet program.

Administrative Assistant Paula Lind reported on the Rockford Township Community Work and Job Training Program. She further reported that four (4) clients obtained fulltime, permanent employment.

Review and Approval of Bills:

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

Ayes: 4 Nays: 0

General Assistance	\$25,459.27
Town Funds	\$51,997.30
Road & Bridge Funds	\$35,396.72

Financial Status:

The financial reports were distributed for Board review.

New Business:

Trustee Manzullo reported correspondence from the City of Rockford, dated November 18, 2023, regarding the Tax Abatement Program. Board is to review packet and be prepared to discuss and vote at the December 5, 2023 meeting.

Meeting of the Town Board adjourned at 4:44 P.M.

The next Town Board meeting will be held on December 5, 2023 at 4:30 pm.

Trustee Manzullo

Trustee Mark

Trustee Abdall

Trustee Johnson

Jasper St. Angel, Supervisor

Respectfully submitted,
Carl R. Wasco, Town Clerk

Date