

Minutes of the Oswego Township
REGULAR MEETING (*Approved 7-9-2019*)

June 11, 2019

The meeting of the Oswego Township was called to order at 6:30 P.M by Supervisor Brian LeClercq. The pledge of allegiance to the U.S flag was given by all in attendance.

Township officials in attendance were: Supervisor Brian LeClercq, Trustees: Michael Bidegain, Allyson Jacobsen and Diane Selmer. Clerk Ken Holmstrom, Highway Commissioner Robert Rogerson and Township Assessor Brian Hauser were also present. Officer Novak from the Kendall County Sheriff's Department. There were 6 Oswego Township residents in attendance including staff member Donna Stanley, Enforcement officer Rob DeLong. Also present was Brett Mitchell from Ethos. Trustee Small was absent.

Supervisor LeClercq opened the public comment section of the meeting: No one had any comments for the Board so Supervisor LeClercq closed the public comment section.

Supervisor LeClercq presented the following bills for approval:

General Road Fund	\$ 93,947.26
Permanent Road Fund	\$ 92,793.07
Building & Equipment	\$ <u> .00</u>
Total Road Fund	\$ 186,740.33
General Town Fund	\$ 584,833.69

Motion to approve the bills made by Trustee Jacobsen, second by Trustee Bidegain. A roll call vote was held by Clerk Holmstrom. Trustee Bidegain, Selmer, Jacobsen and LeClercq voted yes. Motion passed.

Supervisor LeClercq asked for approval of the May 14, 2019 meeting minutes. Motion by Trustee Selmer to approve the minutes. Second by Trustee Bidegain. All Trustees present voted to approve the meeting minutes of 5-14-2019.

Trustee Initiative:

Trustee Bidegain – He reported on a cemetery workshop he attended. Discussed designs for a scatter garden.

Trustee Jacobsen – No Report.

Trustee Selmer - Reported she attended the solid waste meeting on May 28th. Discussed the disposition of paint. Discussed the future of composting using "Red Wigglers".

Trustee Small – Absent

Senior report – Trustee Jacobsen gave the Senior Report. She discussed the number of seniors that were served. Discussed services for seniors with memory loss. Trustee Jacobsen asked that the Township approve funding for the coming year as follows; \$2000 for Meals on Wheels, \$9000 for Senior Services and \$12,000 for the Senior Center and that the funds be distributed on a quarterly basis as we have done in the past. Supervisor LeClercq instructed the board that a motion was not necessary due to this being a budget approved item. He did ask the board if there were any objections to moving forward with this funding. There were no Trustee objections, so the board ratified the proposal. Supervisor LeClercq thanked Trustee Jacobsen for her work on the Senior Center.

The Sheriff's Department report was given by Deputy Sheriff Novak. His report will be attached and become part of the minutes. He also reported that August 6th will be National Night Out at Winrock Pool.

Highway Commissioner Rogerson gave his report. A copy of the report is attached to and becomes part of these minutes.

Township Assessor's report – He reported that his department is working on updating assessments within the quadrennial. Assessor Hauser discussed that he is putting together a workshop for educating seniors on tax freezes and what options are available to them.

Supervisor Report – He reported that he and Highway Commissioner Rogerson will be attending a summit meeting with the Village of Oswego Village President Parlier to discuss various projects to see how the agencies can work together to obtain better cost control. Contracts will be separate from the Village, however by working together, the Township should be able to obtain better pricing. LeClercq reported that he met with Village President Parlier to discuss progress on the Wolf Road improvements. He also reported that he is putting together a weed ordinance focus group. He asked if anyone knew of someone to serve on this focus group. He gave a cell tower update on the tower on Route 25. He is asking to revise the existing contract. He gave a report on the Collins road update. He next reported on the completion of the 84 Templeton project. Looks like we are looking for the tenant to move in July 1, 2019. Supervisor LeClercq said that a plan for 99 Boulder Hill Pass will be presented to the board soon.

Old Business: Supervisor LeClercq discussed the Union contract that is up for vote. Highway Commissioner Rogerson said the union has ratified this contract. Trustee Jacobsen motioned to approve the Union contract, seconded by Supervisor LeClercq. Clerk Holmstrom did a role call vote on this motion. Trustee Jacobsen and Supervisor LeClercq voted yes; Trustees Bidegain and Selmer voted no. This will be brought back to the next meeting of the Board. Supervisor LeClercq asked the Trustees to bring up any questions or concerns on the contract to himself or the attorney before the next meeting.

Discussion took place on Resolution 2019-05 to reconstitute the Oswego Township Planning Commission. Trustee Bidegain made the motion to reconstitute the Oswego

Township Planning Commission, Seconded by Trustee Selmer. All Trustee's present voted to approve the motion.

There was not a reason to go into closed session tonight.

Trustee Jacobsen motioned to adjourn the meeting, second by Trustee Bidegain. Meeting adjourned at 7:15pm.

Respectfully submitted by:



Kenneth Holmstrom, Township Clerk

Highway Commissioners Report 6/11/2019.

1. The storm sewer repair at 102&104 Fernwood is finally repaired. The other end of the pond, we found a separate project. J&S Construction will remove another rusted out pipe in the water for us that was brought to our attention after the 102 & 104 project started, and weather permitting should be done by end of the month.
2. The 1150 Rt. 25 plans. On June 13th the Village of Oswego will hold a public hearing for our special use plans. So, we are still working with Tebrugge Engineering to get our construction work out to bid as soon as possible.
3. We have retro- fit all of our 74 Township owned streetlights to LED's. We are also working with ComEd to get our 75 ComEd owned street lights that we pay for the power, converted over to LED's as well. This will be a great savings and add more light from each streetlight. We have ordered 5 street lights for Commerce drive and have officially accepted it into the Township.
4. Smart streetlights and or Cameras at Long Beach and Boulder hill elementary schools are still on hold with the schools.
5. Our sidewalk and road work has started in many areas of Boulder Hill. It is going as well as it can, due to the weather. Geneva construction is getting things done efficiently for us.
6. On Memorial Day, we had to go out once again on storm duty. We would like to thank all the Residents that helped in one way or another with that effort. This last May we broke yet another weather record for the most rain ever in the month of May. Just shy of 10". June is off to the same start and our crew is out working on storm cleanup, many sink holes and storm sewer rebuilds.
7. Aaron Grosskopf has resigned. His last day will be 6/14/2019. We have filled our Vacancy with a gentleman that has worked for the township for 5 part-time seasons and will be full time starting on 6/26/2019.
8. We have a family at 31N. Bereman Road and another family at 11 Aldon Ct. West, that has come to the Road District more than once because of their flooding issues. 31N. bought their home approximately 2 years ago and have flooded 3 times. On Memorial Day this year, they had 1-1/2' in their main living area. They are asking if the Township can buy the home. We hired Deuchler Engineering to look into both of these areas. They will report on both as soon as they can with what may or may not be done.
9. Please check our website at oswegotownship.org for any updates.

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Rapid Response Training in Millbrook

On Monday and Tuesday June 3rd and 4th the Kendall County Sheriff's Office hosted an Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training (ALERT) at Millbrook Junior High. The training included members from numerous law enforcement agencies from all over the Chicagoland area as well as Fire/EMS personnel and 911 tele-communicators. The training is designed to increase the effectiveness, coordination, and resource integration between law enforcement, fire, tele-communications and EMS when responding to an active attack.

LAW ENFORCEMENT TORCH RUN FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS

On June 5th, 2019, the Kendall County Sheriff's Office partnered with other police agencies across Kendall County for the annual Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics, which is the largest fundraiser benefiting Special Olympics Illinois. Local law enforcement officers, deputies, families, and friends helped carry the torch throughout the 3.8 mile run. The run began at the Orchard Road Wal-Mart and ended at Hudson Park in Oswego, where they were met by many Special Olympics athletes, family, and friends. Thank you to all that have donated at came out to support us at all Special Olympics events. Good luck to all the Special Olympics athletes as the Summer Games commence on Friday, June 7th, 2019.

Special Olympics Illinois is a not-for-profit organization offering year-round training and competition in 18 sports for more than 23,000 athletes with intellectual disabilities and over 17,000 Young Athletes ages 2-7 with and without intellectual disabilities. Special Olympics transforms the lives of people with intellectual disabilities, allowing them to realize their full potential in sports and in life. Special Olympics programs enhance physical fitness, motor skills, self-confidence, social skills and encourage family and community support. If you are interested in learning more about Special Olympics Illinois, volunteering or providing financial support to help make Special Olympics programs possible, contact your local Special Olympics agency, call 800-394-0562 or visit their website at www.soill.org. You can also follow Special Olympics Illinois on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

For more information, leg routes, and kick-offs please visit: <https://www.soill.org/intrastate-relay-information/>

U.S. Marshals Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force Apprehends Fugitive in Montgomery

On June 4, 2019, members of the United States Marshals Service Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force and Kendall County Sheriff's Office apprehended fugitive Victor Trevino in the 3000 block of Gaylord Lane in Montgomery, Illinois. Trevino, a 22-year-old male from Lansing, Michigan was wanted out the 55th Judicial District of Ingham County Michigan for six counts of Criminal Sexual Conduct of the second degree. Trevino was transported to the Kendall County Jail without incident. "The Kendall County Sheriff's Office will continue to actively seek fugitives hiding in Kendall County. These fugitives will be tracked down, caught and brought back to justice" stated Sheriff Dwight Baird.