

Minutes of the Oswego Township

REGULAR MEETING

November 9, 2021

Approved 12-14-21

The meeting of the Oswego Township was called to order at 6:30 P.M by Supervisor Joe West. The meeting was held at 99 Boulder Hill Pass, Montgomery, Illinois. The pledge of allegiance to the U.S flag was given by all in attendance.

Township officials in attendance in person were, Supervisor Joe West, Trustees Judy Bush, Donna Sawicki and Diane Selmer. Clerk Ken Holmstrom and Highway Commissioner Claude Ainsworth, Donna Stanley and Rob DeLong were present. Deputy Sheriff Kailus attended via zoom. Trustee Jacobsen and Assessor Hauser were excused from the meeting.

Two Township residents attended in person.

Supervisor West mentioned that a quorum was present in person. The Township is allowed to hold a legal meeting and Trustees on zoom are allowed to vote because of government order by Governor Pritzker.

Supervisor West opened the public comment session. No one wished to speak, so Supervisor West closed the Public session.

Supervisor West presented the following bills for approval:

General Road Fund	\$	9,321.09
Permanent Road Fund	\$	244,365.18
Building & Equipment	\$	<u>539.69</u>
Total Road Fund	\$	254,225.96
General Town Fund	\$	2,581.78
Cemetery	\$	3,277.79
General Assistance	\$	19.02

Supervisor West asked for a motion to approve. Motion to approve the bills was made by Trustee Sawicki, second by Trustee Bush. A roll call vote was held by Clerk Holmstrom. Trustee Bush, Sawicki, Selmer and Supervisor West voted yes. Jacobsen was absent. Motion passed.

Supervisor West asked for approval of the October 12, 2021 meeting minutes. Motion by Trustee Selmer to approve the minutes. Second by Trustee Bush. Trustees Bush, Sawicki, Selmer and Supervisor West voted to approve the minutes of 10-12-2021 as reported. Jacobsen was absent. Motion carried.

Kendall County Sheriff report was given by Deputy Sheriff Kailus. A copy of his report is attached to these minutes.

Trustee Initiative:

Trustee Bush – Reconciled bank statements for October.

Trustee Jacobsen – Absent

Trustee Sawicki – No report

Trustee Selmer – Attended meeting at Township office on 10-21-2021 for the Planning Building and Zoning with Scott Gryder from Kendall County.

Clerk Holmstrom – No Report.

Highway Commissioner Aimsforth – Discussed the Levy for the Highway Department and why he is recommending 4% increase. He reported that he hired an entry level person.

Assessor's report – No Report; Absent

Ordinance Officer Report – The Ordinance report is attached to these minutes..

Supervisor Report – Commented on the new parking lot at the Township office. Discussed the Kendall County Planning meeting and attendance. Hope to have the meeting quarterly.

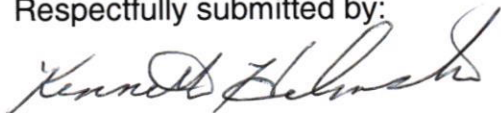
Old business: Clerk Holmstrom discussed the procedure to review the closed session minutes. The minutes were handed out to the Trustees for review. Trustee Selmer motioned to approve the closed session minutes from September 8, 2020 and July 13, 2021, she also motioned to not release any of the reviewed minutes. Trustee Bush seconded the motion. Roll call, Trustee Bush, Sawicki, Selmer and Supervisor West approved the motion. Trustee Jacobsen was absent. Motion carried.

New business: Opened discussion on the Tax Levy Resolution 2021-08 for the General Town and a recommendation to request an increase of 2%. Supervisor West motioned to approve Resolution 2021-08, second by Trustee Sawicki. Clerk Holmstrom took the roll call; Trustee's Bush, Sawicki and Supervisor West voted yes, Trustee Selmer voted no and Trustee Jacobsen was absent. Motion carried.

Supervisor West opened discussion on Resolution 2021-09 for the Road District Levy. The Road Commissioner has requested a 4% increase in the Levy to assist in getting more of the Roads repaired. Trustee Sawicki motioned to approve Resolution 2021-09 for a 4% increase in the levy. Trustee Bush seconded the motion. Holmstrom took roll call with Trustee's Bush, Sawicki and Supervisor West voting in favor. Trustee Selmer voted no and Trustee Jacobsen was absent. Motion carried.

There being no further business to discuss, Trustee Bush motioned to adjourn, second by Trustee Sawicki. Roll Call: Trustee's Bush, Sawicki, Selmer and Supervisor West voted to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 7:20 P.M.

Respectfully submitted by:



Kenneth Holmstrom, Township Clerk