

LOCKPORT, ILLINOIS

MAY 16, 2016

TOWN CLERK RECORD BOOK

ROAD & BRIDGE

PUBLIC HEARING 6:45 PM.

PROPOSED ROAD AND BRIDGE BUDGET 2016-2017

The Lockport Township Board of Trustees met in the Central Square Meeting Room, Room 318, 222 East Ninth Street, Lockport, Illinois on Monday May 16, 2015 at 6:45 PM for the purpose of holding a Public Hearing on the Road and Bridge Budget for 2016-2017 Ordinance No. 2016-2. Supervisor Ron Alberico presided.

Present were Trustees Barb Boyce and Mike Lewandowski, Clerk Denise Rumchak, Highway Commissioner John Cielenski, Collector Lance McCalla, Deputy Clerk Jessica Strickland and Grant Spooner filming the Public Hearing. Absent were Trustee John Batusich, Assessor Debbi Mason, and Attorney Gary Mueller. The meeting agenda and notice were posted at Crest Hill & Lockport Libraries, at the Central Square Building, the Joliet Herald News, the Township website (Clerk's section), Board Room door, and at the Highway Department.

Trustee Dean Morelli arrived at the Public Hearing at 6:47 PM

Supervisor Alberico announced this is a Public Hearing for approval of the Road and Bridge 2016-2017 Budget Ordinance No. 2016-2 as presented.

Clerk Rumchak stated the legal notice was published in the Joliet Herald News on 4-18-16, displayed at Central Square Building, Board Room door, Crest Hill & Lockport Libraries, Highway Department and Township Clerk's office. All requirements were met.

Commissioner Cielenski stated that he would like to make a change on page 4 of the 2016-17 proposed budget. Commissioner Cielenski wanted to move 100K from the line item # 706-8300 – Capital Outlay Equipment to line item # 706-6190- MOA & Contract. This change in the funds will not change the budget total. Commissioner Cielenski explained he received a letter from Will County that indicated 365K monies were available. Dave Meyer, the accountant, did not believe this was accurate. Commissioner Cielenski called Will County to find out available amount and was informed only \$700.00 was in the account. Therefore the change in the budget. Commissioner Cielenski commented instead of paying in full on the new boom mower, there will be a five year contract to be able to pave the roads. He expressed paving the roads are more important.

There were no citizens, or comments from the Board.

Commissioner Cielenski apologized and thanked the Board for having a separate meeting for approval of 2016-2017 budget. He also stated he appreciated the Board's support.

On a Motion of Boyce, seconded by Lewandowski to approve the Road and Bridge Budget of \$1,830,808.00 Ordinance 2016-2 with change. Roll call vote resulted in Alberico Aye, Boyce Aye, Lewandowski Aye, and Morelli Aye.

MOTION CARRIED

On Motion of Lewandowski, seconded by Boyce to adjourn the Public Hearing meeting at 6:52 PM.

MOTION CARRIED

DENISE MUSHRO RUMCHAK, TOWN CLERK

