

LOCKPORT, ILLINOIS

MARCH 14, 2016

TOWN CLERK'S RECORD BOOK

ROAD & BRIDGE

The Lockport Township Board of Trustees met in the Central Square Board Room 318, 222 East Ninth Street, Lockport, Illinois on Monday March 14, 2016 at 7:00 PM with Supervisor Ron Alberico presiding. Present were Trustees, John Batusich, Barb Boyce, Mike Lewandowski and Dean Morelli, Clerk Denise Mushro Rumchak, Assessor Debbi Mason, Highway Commissioner John Cielenski, Collector Lance McCalla, Deputy Clerk Michele Rutter and Attorney Gary Mueller. Also present were residents, Tom Kelley, George Rudnicki, Grant Spooner, filming the meeting, Mava Zilka and Peter Delaney. The meeting notice and agenda were posted at the Lockport & Crest Hill Libraries, at the Central Square Building, on the Township website (Clerk's section) and also on the Board Room door.

On a Motion of Morelli, seconded by Boyce, to approve the minutes from the previous meetings as presented for the regular monthly meeting February 8, 2016 recessed meeting and reconvened meeting February 22, 2016.

MOTION CARRIED

On a Motion of Boyce, seconded by Batusich to approve bills and payroll in the amount of \$25,972.84. Roll call vote resulted in Alberico Aye, Batusich Aye, Boyce Aye, Lewandowski Aye and Morelli Aye.

MOTION CARRIED

Commissioner's report-Things are going well.

- \* Commissioner Cielenski got budget numbers from the accountant and is working on the budget. He will get a copy to the Board when completed.
- \* They are doing preventative maintenance on equipment. He spent about \$13,000.00 on the Back Hoe repair. They are purchasing a used boom mower.
- \* The department is starting to mark trees to cut down.
- \* The Fairmont Flood study – The Highway Department will work on some of those flooding projects this year.
- \* Cielenski said he is proud of his staff, they had a good year.
- \* He thanked all that participated in the Fairmont cleanup project.

Collector McCalla asked about the status of the FEMA monies for the Bridge project. Cielenski responded things are moving forward, said they are currently doing the paperwork. Commissioner Cielenski said they got approval in June of last year and it got done in August. The Engineering Company and Commissioner Cielenski are in touch with them on a regular basis. Cielenski is hoping to receive the money before the budget is approved.

Supervisor Alberico said that a resident he spoke to at the Fairmont cleanup who was concerned about the need for a street light. Commissioner Cielenski said he spoke to that lady and is working with ComEd to get a street light. Cielenski said to contact his department if a street light goes out although sometimes it takes several weeks to get replacement lights from ComEd. The Highway Department pays about \$5,100.00 per month for street lights.

On a Motion of Batusich seconded by Boyce to adjourn the meeting at 7:08 PM.

MOTION CARRIED

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DENISE MUSHRO RUMCHAK, TOWN CLERK