

WOOD RIVER TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
August 30, 2022

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees was held on the above date in the Town Hall, 33 South Ninth Street, East Alton, Illinois. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Mike Babcock at 6:00 p.m. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, the Clerk took roll with the members answering present: Mr. Babcock, Mr. Herzog, Mr. Holland, Mrs. Logan and Mr. McRae. Also attending the meeting were Assessor Sandy Shaw, Highway Commissioner Mark Gernigin and Attorney Josh Jump.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mrs. Logan made a motion to approve the minutes of July 26, 2022 Meeting of the Wood River Township Board of Trustees. Mr. McRae seconded the motion and the board approved the minutes of the July 26, 2022 Meeting of the Township Board on a unanimous roll call vote.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Steve Brazier, Rosewood Heights Improvement Association, spoke to the board requesting financial help to continue furnishing the recycle bins to Rosewood Height residents. The Association pays for 70 street lights and furnishes the bins. In the past Madison County helped supply 200 bins about every other year at a cost of approximately \$2000. They are no longer able to help and the Association is asking for the Township's help in supplying the bins.

REPORTS BY OFFICERS, COMMITTEES OR SPECIAL COMMITTEES

Assessor Shaw stated the assessment cards would be going out the 31st of this month. Highway Commissioner Gernigin reported that the pavement process is going well.

TREASURER'S REPORT AND APPROVAL OF BILLS

Mr. McRae made a motion to approve the treasurer's report and the payment of the bills. Mr. Herzog seconded the motion and on roll call vote the board unanimously approved the payment of the bills.

NEW BUSINESS

Brad Sauer and Kevin Doak with Busey Wealth Management handed out presentation packets on their investment portfolio for the Township and reviewed the packet. Next Darren Wright and Bryan Gorman with CNB Bank and Trust passed out their investment packets and reviewed them with the board.

Mr. Babcock informed the Board the Pickle Ball Court Dedication would be September 10th at 10 am. Tyler Timmons and Jake Ringer's widows and children would be attending.

Samples of the old Township logo and some new logo ideas were passed out. Mr. Babcock stated we would discuss them next month.

Mr. Babcock asked Mr. McRae to speak about the Golf Cart Ordinance. Mr. McRae passed out some sample Golf Cart Ordinances from some municipalities across the state and one he has been working on. There was a discussion between the Board and the Highway Commissioner on the pros and cons of passing an Ordinance. No decision was made at this time.

ADJOURNMENT

Mrs. Logan made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Mr. Herzog seconded the motion and on a unanimous roll call vote the meeting was adjourned 7:22 p.m.

Mike Babcock, Township Supervisor

Sherry Tite, Township Clerk