

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE TOWN BOARD OF TRUSTEES HELD TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2015 AT 6:30 P.M. IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL, ZION, ILLINOIS

Chairman Neal called the meeting to order.

On call of the roll the following answered present: Trustees Flammini, Hill, DeTienne and Chairman Neal. Trustee Taylor was absent. Assessor Wicketts was present.

MINUTES

It was moved by Trustee DeTienne, seconded by Trustee Flammini that the minutes of a Regular Meeting held on December 16, 2014 at 6:34 p.m. be approved, with all members having received printed copies prior to the meeting. The vote on roll call was: Trustees Flammini, aye; Hill, aye; DeTienne, aye and Chairman Neal, aye. Motion carried.

BILLS

It was moved by Trustee Flammini, seconded by Trustee Hill that bills be authorized for payment as follows:

Authorize bills for payment

Assessor's Office	\$ 18,894.81	
Community Support	\$ 128.82	
Youth Services	\$ 44.11	
Senior Services	\$ 655.40	
Operating Expenses	\$ 74,753.11	
Township Fund Total Expenses		\$ 94,476.25
<u>General Assistance Fund</u>		
Public Support	\$ 3,372.89	
Community Support	\$ 0	
Operating Expenses	\$ 23,400.36	
General Assistance Fund Total Expenses		\$ 26,773.25
<u>FICA</u> Total Expenses		\$ 3,068.65
<u>IMRF</u> Total Expenses		\$ 6,793.76
TOTAL BILLS:		\$ 131,111.91

The vote on roll call was: Trustees Flammini, aye; Hill, aye; DeTienne, aye and Chairman Neal, aye. Motion carried.

ASSESSOR'S REPORT

Assessor Wicketts stated that all neighborhoods will be revalued for the Quad. He stated that the values on the west side are increasing and the mid-town and east side values are lower.

Assessor Wicketts stated that he will be out of the office for three weeks participating in the changeover of software countywide. He stated that it will be mandatory that the Zion Assessor's Office use the new software as the current software is being eliminated.

SUPERVISOR'S REPORT

Chairman Neal presented the December 2014 Zion Township Monthly Report.

Chairman Neal provided the following information:

- Consumer Credit Counseling Services are available for one-on-one consultation at Zion Township each Thursday.
- Community of Character Citizen Outreach Committee is the second Wednesday of the month from 6-7pm at the ZB Public Library. All residents are welcome to attend. An Organizations of Character meeting has been scheduled for February 25, 2015 at 7:30 a.m. at Shepherd's Crook Golf Course. All businesses, civic groups, clubs and government agencies are encouraged to attend this kick-off event.
- Lake County Rising, in honor of One Billion Rising, will participate in a program created to stand up against the global abuse of women on Thursday, February 12, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. at the Round Lake Civic Center. The Elite Cheer Team, as well as girls from Zion Central Middle School and ZBTHS, will be doing the dance, virtually joining women from all over the world.
- Lake County Townships has a new website: www.lakecountytownships.org. The next Lake County Townships meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 1st at Warren Township. Chairman Neal was elected President of this organization.
- Applications are available for the Zion-Benton Leadership Academy at www.zbchc.com.

ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, it was moved by Trustee Hill, seconded by Trustee Flammini and unanimously approved the meeting be adjourned at 6:40 p.m. Motion carried.

Town Clerk