

MINUTES – BOARD OF TOWN TRUSTEES

STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF COOK
TOWNSHIP OF BREMEN

The Board of Town Trustees met at the office of the Town Clerk 15350 S. Oak Park Ave, Oak Forest, IL 60452, on May 21, 2018. Supervisor Maggie Crotty called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL VOTE:

Present:	Supervisor Maggie Crotty	Clerk John Lord
	Trustee Kathryn Straniero	Trustee Mary Catuara
	Trustee John (Mike) Tatro	Trustee Laura Brown

Also Present: Highway Commissioner John Flaherty, Assessor Willie Jones, and Rondal Jones, Bremen Township Administrator

APPROVE MINUTES: Motion by Trustee Tatro; seconded by Trustee Catuara to waive the reading and to approve the minutes of the May 7th, 2018 Regular Board Meeting.

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES:	Supervisor Crotty	
	Trustee Straniero	Trustee Brown
	Trustee Tatro	Trustee Catuara

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 5-0

REPORTS:

Highway Dept.: Highway Commissioner John Flaherty said that 6 companies placed bids on the Parkside Avenue road project. The lowest bid was from Gallagher for \$57,000.00. Before the bid is awarded the engineering firm will review the bids and make a recommendation. The Highway Department will also be looking for bids for road repairs on 143rd Street between California and Kedzie avenues. After a brief discussion Commissioner Flaherty concluded his report.

Assessor's Report: Assessor Willie Jones said that his office received the last appeal at 2:00 today. His office, as usual, has had service residents come in and his staff has reviewed their situation and informed them of their options.

Supervisor's Report: N O N E

Clerk's Report: Clerk John Lord said he received a letter from the State of Illinois stating that Bremen had issued 455 birth and death certificates under his department, and the Township will be receiving \$455.00 through the Cook County Clerk's office.

OLD BUSINESS:

NONE

NEW BUSINESS:

Supervisor Crotty said that she would like to hire Antonio Mennella, at a pay rate of \$10.25 per hour, to clean and maintain the lunch area in the Senior/Youth Center. Supervisor Crotty made the motion to hire Antonio Mennella; seconded by Trustee Brown.

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES:	Supervisor Crotty	
	Trustee Straniero	Trustee Brown
	Trustee Tatro	Trustee Catuara

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 5-0

Clerk Lord read the "Notice of Public Hearings on the Township and Road District Budgets" hearings, for the fiscal year April 1, 2018 through March 31, 2019, to take place on June 18, 2018 at the Oak Park Avenue offices. (A copy of the Notice is available at the Kedzie Avenue office).

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**PRESENTATION
OF BILLS:**

CORP BILLS:

The following bills were audited by the Board for the General Corporate Fund in the amount of: **\$86,233.72**.

Motion by Trustee Straniero; seconded by Trustee Tatro to approve payment of the General Corporate bills.

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Crotty Trustee Brown
 Trustee Straniero Trustee Tatro
 Trustee Catuara

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 5-0

GA BILLS:

The following bills were audited by the Board for the General Assistance Fund in the amount of: **\$ 5,479.77**.

Motion by Trustee Catuara; seconded by Trustee Brown to approve payment of the General Assistance bills:

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Crotty Trustee Brown
 Trustee Straniero Trustee Tatro
 Trustee Catuara

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 5-0

**ROAD & BRIDGE
BILLS:**

The following bills were audited by the Board for the Road & Bridge Fund in the amount of **\$ 11,020.20**.

Motion by Trustee Brown; seconded by Trustee Straniero to approve payment of the Road & Bridge bills:

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Crotty Trustee Brown
 Trustee Straniero Trustee Tatro
 Trustee Catuara

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 5-0

PUBLIC COMMENTS: NONE

EXECUTIVE SESSION: NONE

**OUT OF
EXECUTIVE SESSION: NONE**

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 7:16 pm on a motion by Trustee Tatro; seconded by Trustee Brown.

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Crotty Trustee Brown
 Trustee Straniero Trustee Tatro
 Trustee Catuara

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 5-0