

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, June 21, 2021. Supervisor Kathryn Straniero called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL VOTE:

Present: Supervisor Kathryn Straniero Clerk John Lord (Absent)
Trustee Mary Catuara Trustee Carolyn Carter
Trustee John (Mike) Tatro (Absent) Trustee Ed Maggio

Also Present: Highway Commissioner John Flaherty, Assessor Willie A. Jones, Office Manager Rondal Jones, Lillian Lee and Kenya Jones.

APPROVE MINUTES: Motion by Trustee Maggio; seconded by Trustee Carter to waive the reading and to approve the minutes of the June 07th, 2021, Regular Board Meeting.

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Straniero Trustee Catuara
Trustee Carter
Trustee Maggio

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 4-0

REPORTS:

Highway:

- Highway Commissioner Flaherty said there were not too many trees down due to the storm. It had a greater impact further north.
- We have been receiving phone calls about 173rd & 175th and Frontage Road resurfacing. Unsure if it belongs to the Township.
- Ron Szabo is back from vacation

Supervisor: Supervisor Straniero

- Supervisor Straniero said the youth center is the only building with a defibrillator. All building should have them. Sr. Activities or any people need these and they should be easily accessible.
- Sue looked at the make and model we currently have and the price has decreased since 2013.
- The pads need to be replaced on the defibrillator in the youth center.
- Questions:
 - Can we get these without it being on the agenda?
 - Mary Catuara – time is of the essence and this is essential
 - Kathryn Straniero – can we vote? All in agreement

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Straniero Trustee Catuara
Trustee Carter
Trustee Maggio

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 4-0

Assessor:

- 16 office visits
- 213 phone calls
- 907 village permits
- The Cook County Assessor has opened by appointment only.
- Assessor Jones office is accepting and submitting exemption applications for those homeowners applying for the 1st time and certificate of errors for missed exemptions. Tax years 2017-2019 qualify for possible refunds of missed exemptions.

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OLD BUSINESS: NONE

NEW BUSINESS: NONE

**PRESENTATION
OF BILLS:**

CORP BILLS: The following bills were audited by the Board for the General Corporate Funding in the amount of: **\$56,820.45**

Motion by Trustee Catuara; seconded by Trustee Carter to approve payment of the General Corporate bills.

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Straniero Trustee Catuara
Trustee Carter
Trustee Maggio

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 4-0

GA BILLS: The following bills were audited by the Board for the General Assistance Fund in the amount of: **\$7,645.10**

Motion by Trustee Maggio; seconded by Trustee Carter to approve payment of the General Assistance bills:

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Straniero Trustee Catuara
Trustee Carter
Trustee Maggio

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 4-0

**ROAD & BRIDGE
BILLS:**

The following bills were audited by the Board for the Road & Bridge Fund in the amount of **\$17,543.56**

Motion by Trustee Catuara; seconded by Trustee Carter to approve payment of the Road & Bridge bills:

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Straniero Trustee Catuara
Trustee Carter
Trustee Maggio

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 4-0

EXECUTIVE SESSION: NONE

**OUT OF
EXECUTIVE SESSION:** NONE

PUBLIC COMMENT: NONE

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 7:20 pm on a motion by Trustee Carter; seconded by Trustee Catuara.

ROLL CALL VOTES: AYES: Supervisor Straniero Trustee Catuara
Trustee Carter
Trustee Maggio

MOTION CARRIED: Vote 4-0