



**MINUTES
REGULAR SESSION OF THE TOWN OF
THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON TOWNSHIP
MONDAY, JUNE 27, 2022, 5:30 P.M.**

The Board of Trustees for the Town of the City of Bloomington convened in regular session in the Government Center Chambers at 5:30 p.m., Monday, June 27, 2022. The meeting was called to order by Trustee Mwilambwe.

All present participated in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call

Trustees Present: Grant Walch, Donna Boelen, Sheila Montney (Arrived at 5:32 p.m.), Julie Emig, Nick Becker, De Urban, Jeff Crabill, Tom Crumpler, and Mboka Mwilambwe

Trustees Absent: Mollie Ward

Elected Officials Present: Deborah L. Skillrud, Township Supervisor, and Steve Scudder, Township Assessor

Staff Present: Leslie Yocum, Township Clerk

Consent Agenda

It is recommended that all items listed under the Consent Agenda be approved as presented. All items under the Consent Agenda are routine in nature and will be enacted in one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Trustee or Township Official so requests, in which event, the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately and prior to Reports by Elected Officials.

Trustee Crabill made a motion, seconded by Trustee Becker, that the Consent Agenda, including all items listed below, be approved as presented.

Trustee Montney arrived at 5:32 p.m.

Trustee Mwilambwe directed the Township Clerk to call the roll, which resulted in the following:

AYES: Walch, Boelen, Montney, Emig, Becker, Urban, Crabill, Crumpler, Mwilambwe

Motion carried.

Item 4.A. Consideration and action to approve of the Minutes of the May 23, 2022, Board Meeting as requested by the Township Clerk Department (Recommended Motion: The May 23, 2022, Board Meeting minutes be approved.)

Item 4.B. Consideration and action to certify the May 2022 Statement of Funds for the General Town Administration Fund, General Assistance Fund, and Cemetery Fund as requested by the Township Supervisor (Recommended Motion: The May 2022 Statement of Funds be certified.)

Item 4.C. Consideration and action to approve the June 27, 2022, General Town Fund Request for Payments as requested by the Township Supervisor (Recommended Motion: The June 27, 2022, Request for Payments be approved.)

Regular Agenda

The following item was presented:

Item 5. Township Officials of Illinois 2022 Education Event, July 28, 2022.

Supervisor Deb Skillrud explained the event and briefly discussed items to be presented.

Reports by Elected Officials

Item 6.A. Comments by Deb Skillrud, Township Supervisor

Township Supervisor Skillrud addressed the Board and reported that Township General Assistance had increased significantly as a result of Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program ("LIHEAP") and Low-Income Household Water Assistance Program ("LIHWAP") no longer available. She noted that Township also received rental assistance requests.

Trustee Boelen expressed concern about Township's available funds. Supervisor Skillrud believed Township had enough funds to provide sufficient aid.

Item 6.B. Comments by Steve Scudder, Township Assessor

Township Assessor Scudder addressed the Board and discussed the comparison of the aggregate tax rate and the municipal tax rate chart provided in the packet.

Public Comment

Trustee Mwilambwe opened the meeting to receive public comment. Leslie Yocum, Township Clerk, reported that no one had registered to speak live or had submitted emailed public comment.

Adjournment

Trustee Boelen made a motion, seconded by Trustee Becker, that the meeting be adjourned.

Motion carried unanimously (Viva Voce).

The meeting adjourned at 5:36 p.m.


Amanda Stutsman, Deputy Township Clerk