

Minutes – Board of Town Trustees
STATE OF ILLINOIS
October 20, 2022

Crawford County
Town of Robinson

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES met at the Robinson Township Office at 6:00 P.M. October 20, 2022. The following official business was transmitted.

1. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Larry Corder.
2. Clerk Vickie Gribben then called the roll.

Vickie Gribben	Township Clerk
Larry Corder	Township Supervisor
Monty Murray	Township Highway Commissioner
Mary Jane Parker	Township Trustee
Robb Sparks	Township Trustee
Kevin Steele	Township Trustee
Dan Strauch	Township Trustee
Absent----- Sue Roberts	Township Assessor

3. Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Approval of the Minutes of the previous meeting.
Larry Corder asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting.
Motion was made by Mary Jane and seconded by Robb
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes

5A. Supervisor’s Report.
Supervisor Larry Corder reported that our safety meeting was on distracted while walking. The interest rates now 0.30%- 0.60% and Lacey said 4 renewed at 1.5% this week. The General Assistance Robinson cases for September 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022 are 0 pending cases, 5 approved cases, and 3 denied cases. Emergency cases had 3 approved. Total cases including the other townships during this month was 38. Intergovernmental Agreements for fiscal year April 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022 total of 8 cases. The number of GA cases per year 2022 is 222.

5B. Highway Commissioner’s Report
Monty Murray said they completed 725 and 1250 roads with chip and seal and it looks very nice. The 900th road curve is much better. Next year it will be chipped and sealed and completely done. The guys have mowed all the ditches and want to mow one more time before winter. They have been filling holes with hot mix. Monty had a Mac truck break down that has less than 100,000 miles on it. The parts are going to cost \$16,000 and the complete over haul will be \$20,560.00.

5C. Assessor’s Report
Sue Roberts was absent

5D. Cemetery Report
Nikki said their Safety meeting was about report all injuries. There was a leak in the breakroom in the cemetery barn. They replaced the air conditioner, repaired the wall, and painted the room. The guys are starting to get the weed eaters winterized. They are continuing to get the mowing done.

6. Regular Business

- A. Motion to authorize payment of town, general assistance, and payroll bills.
Motion was made by Dan and seconded by Kevin
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- B. Motion to authorize payment of road district bills.
Motion was made by Kevin and seconded by Dan
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin--- yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- C. Motion to authorize pre-approval of payment of elected officials from
October 21, 2022 through November 17, 2022.
Motion was made by Robb and seconded by Mary Jane
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb --- yes
- D. Motion to authorize payment of per diem expenses.
Motion was made by Kevin and seconded by Dan
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry -- yes; Robb ---yes

7. New Business

- A. Discussion and motion of vote on Christmas bonuses for employees to be distributed in
December. Last year \$300 after taxes. \$300 after tax bonus this year.
Motion was made by Mary Jane and seconded by Robb
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- B. Discussion and motion to approve employee Christmas party in December.
Motion was made by Larry and seconded by Mary Jane to have a Christmas Party.
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- C. Motion to approve Dental and Vision Insurance renewal. No change in price.
Motion was made by Dan and seconded by Robb
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- D. Discussion and motion to approve donation to Crawford County Senior Center.
They are needing donations for meals on wheels and general fund programs.
Motion was made by Mary Jane and seconded by Kevin to donate \$1,000.00
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- E. Discussion and motion to approve Cemetery section signs.
Motion was made by Kevin and seconded by Robb
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes;
- F. Tentative Tax Levies copies for Town and Road handed out. Final action to
be taken at the November board meeting.

8. Public Comments

None

9. Adjourn Meeting

Time 6:24 PM

Motion was made by Mary Jane and seconded by Kevin

Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes

Respectfully Submitted,

Vickie Gribben
Township Clerk

Larry Corder
Township Supervisor