

ROCKTON TOWNSHIP  
1315 N. Blackhawk Blvd  
Rockton, IL 61072  
REGULAR MEETING  
**April 13, 2022**

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Paul Williams at 7:00 p.m.

2. APPROVAL of March 9, 2022, Minutes

Trustee Randy Johnson made the motion to approve the March 19, 2022, Minutes. Trustee Vicky Ivy second the motion, all ayes followed.

ADDENDUM:

Trustee Vicky Ivy made the motion to approve the March 23, 2022, Special Meeting Minutes. Trustee Constance Gleasman second the motion and all ayes followed.

3. CORRESPONDENCE

Cemetery Sexton Chris Doering mentioned he received a thank you card from Mr. Richardson for the township taking care of cremains that have been in cemetery office for quite a while and were finally buried on March 29.

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

5. NEW BUSINESS

(a) Filing of Economic Interest Statements deadline May 1, 2022

Supervisor Williams just wanted to remind anyone that is required to file the Economic Interest Statements to please do so by May 1, 2022

6. OLD BUSINESS
  - a) Discuss/Approve GRC Improvements

Three landscaping bids were reviewed.  
Proscapes - \$7,500 plus \$150 design fee  
RH Landscaping Design - \$19,975  
Tri-L Landscaping - \$11,700

Trustee Gene Hermann recommended that the township go with Tri-L Landscaping due to being local

Trustee Constance Gleasman made a motion to have a special meeting Wednesday, April 20 at 7:00 pm to discuss design with board with Tri-L Landscaping and/or take action. Supervisor Paul Williams second the motion, all ayes followed.

7. REPORTS from Rockton Township Officials

Vicky Ivy said she had a great time in Springfield, and she met lots of people and took pictures and were on display at the township.

Constance recommended going next year to Springfield and found it very interesting meeting other government officials. She also mentioned we need to explore protecting ourselves from encroachment of villages into rural areas.

Chris gave his cemetery report and mentioned there are 3,000 plus cemetery plots available for sale. Constance asked about website and Chris said last month there were 485 views.

Gene mentioned there is a presentation by Winnebago County Clerk Lori Gummow April 25<sup>th</sup>.

Paul Williams mentioned that there are T.O.I. Seminars May 26<sup>th</sup> in Rockford, November 13-15 in Springfield if anyone was interested. Also, Kristi and Michele are thinking of starting up a Facebook page for the township. Paul also mentioned he had 2 bids for the exterior of the GRC building as follows.

Mike Harris Mason Contractors - \$13,800 & \$16,200  
Larson & Larson Builders Inc. - \$17,510

8. CLAIMS

The claims were individually reviewed by the trustees; Trustee Constance Gleasman made the motion to approve claims as presented with the exception of Lawncare by Walter, Inc. in the amount of \$250; Trustee Randy Johnson second the motion. Roll call vote showed all ayes.

9. EXECUTIVE SESSION

10. Take action from Executive Session
11. ADJOURN at 8:25pm