

Minutes – Board of Town Trustees

State of Illinois,

Lake County, ss.
Town of Grant,

SPECIAL CALL September 14, 2021
Board Minutes, FINAL

The Board of Town Trustees met at the Grant Township Administration Building at 26725 W. Molidor Road on Sept. 14, 2021

Supervisor:	Kay Starostovic	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Present	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent
Trustee:	Robert Hamm	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Present	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent
	Bob Selle	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Present	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent
	Tom Lippert	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Present	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent
	Karen Fischer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Present	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent
Clerk:	Judy Martini	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Present	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent

The following business was transacted:

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:00PM with the pledge to the Flag.

2. Roll Call of Officials

Present: Trustees Hamm, Selle, Lippert, Fischer, Supervisor Starostovic; Clerk Martini

Absent: None

Also present: Highway Commissioner Kim Kiesgen, Jeri Barr Assessor, Nancy Rogers Deputy Clerk and Lisa La Mantia Deputy Assessor

There were no others in the audience.

3. Discuss Health Care Insurance Coverage options for 2021/2022

Supervisor Starostovic commented that the Township previously had Blue Cross Blue Shield and the employees were very happy with it. The Board had decided last year to switch to United Health Care because of rising costs. Since then there has been complaints about their coverage. Supervisor Starostovic stated that she is reaching out to other Townships to see what type of coverage they have for employees and to find out if there is an interest in joining together for a group rate.

Highway Commissioner Kiesgen stated she that the increase in her Department from the quote from Blue Cross Blue Shield was because she had hired an extra employee and that she is in support of the Blue Cross Blue Shield Plan with an HRA to give employees a choice of an HMO or a PPO that better fits their personal needs. Discussion ensued and all Trustees and Township Officials were in agreement with Assessor Barr and Highway Commissioner Kiesgen's recommendations. The issue will come before the Board in an upcoming meeting for a formal vote.

Trustee Hamm left the meeting at 6:05 after stating he was in agreement with the Officials recommendation

4. Adjournment: There being no further business or any other discussion before the board, Trustee Selle made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Trustee Lippert. The Clerk called for a voice vote: all were in favor of adjourning with there being no objections with Trustee Hamm being absent. The meeting was closed at 6:10 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Judy Martini
Grant Township Clerk