

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE RICH TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES
June 4, 2018
Leonard Robinson Family Center
22013 Governors Highway, Richton Park, Illinois

Call to Order: Supervisor Al Riley called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Present: Supervisor Al Riley; Trustees Nick Bobis, Elliott Johnson and Jackie Small (a quorum)

Officials Present: Clerk Bobbie King; Assessor Sam Brown

Others Present: Mark Mason, Interim Township Administrator; Neal Smith, Attorney; Alana Thompson, Finance Director; Debbie Pascarella, Deputy Clerk; Laura Simmons, Road District Administrative Assistant; Everett James, Unincorporated Matteson; Carl Forn, Consultant; Destinee Patterson and family, Richton Park; Serah Edoziem and family, Park Forest; Chase Gray and family, Flossmoor; Kai Lloyd and family, Richton Park; and Larissa Williams and family, Matteson

Approval of Bills: Upon a motion made by Trustee Bobis, seconded by Trustee Johnson, and unanimously passed by roll call vote, the Board approved Town Fund checks #34757--34835 in the amount of \$117,389.32; General Assistance Fund checks #26398--26472 in the amount of \$30,500.41; Road District Fund checks #7021--7033 in the amount of 18,440.23; Donations Fund check #1707 in the amount of 145.93; for the period of 5/04/18 thru 5/29/18.

Approval Of Minutes: Upon a motion made by Trustee Small, seconded by Trustee Johnson, and unanimously passed by voice vote, the Board approved the minutes of the May 7, 2018 Board of Trustees meeting as presented.

PUBLIC PETITIONS

None

REPORTS OF OFFICERS

Supervisor: No report.

Clerk: Clerk Bobbie King noted that Unincorporated Cook County vehicle stickers are available for sale and are due on vehicles by July 1, 2018.

Assessor: Assessor Sam Brown reported that 140 residents requested his department's assistance this past month. He noted that a staff member attended a class for their CIAO certification. Assessor Brown attended the TOCC Spring Conference.

Highway Commissioner: Laura Simmons, Assistant to the Highway Commissioner noted that Highway Commissioner Calvin Jordan has approved and signed Ordinance 18-08 Adopting the Prevailing Wage Act for Road and Bridge.

Trustee Goodrich: Absent

Trustee Johnson: Attended the TOCC Spring Conference, the National Association of Towns and Townships (NATaT) Conference in Washington D.C., the TOCC strategic planning meeting and announced that he had recently graduated from McCormick Seminary.

Trustee Bobis: Attended the TOCC Spring Conference and will be attending the upcoming TOCC Board meeting, and noted a TOCC meeting was rescheduled due to health reasons.

Trustee Small: Attended the TOCC Spring Conference.

Attorney: No report

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Supervisor Riley named the students that received the Good Citizenship Scholarships awarded by the Township to students attending each of the five high schools located in Rich Township. Chase Gray of Homewood-Flossmoor High School, Kai Lloyd of Rich Central High School, Serah Edoziem of Rich East High School, Destinee Patterson of Rich South High School, Larissa Williams of Southland Charter High School introduced themselves, and briefly spoke about their accomplishments and of their future plans.

Ordinance 18-07 Adopting Prevailing Wage Act/ Township: Upon a motion made by Trustee Bobis, seconded by Trustee Johnson, and unanimously passed by roll call vote, the Board approved Ordinance 18-07.

Semi-Annual Review of Executive Session Minutes: Attorney Neal Smith noted that the executive session minutes contain employee issues and the need for confidentiality still exists. Upon a motion made by Trustee Bobis, seconded by Trustee Johnson, and unanimously passed by voice vote, the Board agreed for this reason not to release any executive session minutes at this time, and will review them again in six months.

ADJOURNMENT: Upon a motion made by Trustee Small, seconded by Trustee Johnson, and unanimously approved by voice vote, the Board Meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

Supervisor

Clerk

Approval by the Board of Trustees

Date: _____

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