

**OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE RICH TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES**  
**March 15, 2021**

*Remote meeting held via video/teleconference (as permitted by Governor Pritzker's  
Public Act 101-0640)*

**Call to Order:** Supervisor Al Riley called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

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

**Officials Present:** Clerk Bobbie King

**Others Present:** Neal Smith, Attorney; Alana Thompson, Finance Director; Debbie Pascarella, Deputy Clerk; Laura Simmons, Assistant to the Highway Commissioner

**Bill Review:** Bills for the time period of 02/25/21 through 03/10/21 were reviewed.

**Approval of Minutes:** Upon a motion made by Trustee Goodrich, seconded by Trustee Bobis, and unanimously passed by roll call vote, the Board approved the minutes of the February 16, 2021 Board of Trustees meeting as presented. Upon a motion made by Trustee Bobis, seconded by Trustee Goodrich, and unanimously passed by roll call vote, the Board approved the minutes of the February 27, 2021 Board of Trustees meeting as presented.

**PUBLIC PETITIONS**

None

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Resolution 21-03 Declaring Certain Township Vehicles Surplus and Authorizing Sale of Vehicles to the Village of Ford Heights and to the Village of Steger:** Upon a motion made by Trustee Goodrich, seconded by Trustee Johnson, and unanimously passed by roll call vote, the Board approved Resolution 21-03.

Trustee Nick Bobis questioned voting on a resolution at the mid-month non-voting meeting. Supervisor Riley and Attorney Neal Smith agreed that it was ok.

Trustee Therese Goodrich requested that all the trustees receive the current employee salary information.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**Discussion Regarding the 2021 Annual Town Meeting:** Supervisor Riley noted that there has not been any additional guidance regarding the Annual Town Meeting from the governor or legislature. Supervisor Riley noted that he felt the township should move forward with conducting the Annual Town Meeting, with safety protocols in place. He added that only the residents/electors of Rich Township should be allowed to attend. Attorney Smith added that attending virtually could be offered.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Upon a motion made by Trustee Goodrich, seconded by Trustee Johnson, and unanimously approved by roll call vote, the Board Meeting adjourned at 5:46 p.m.

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Supervisor

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Clerk

Approval by the Board of Trustees

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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