

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE RICH TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES
November 3, 2014
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, Therese Goodrich, and Jackie Small (a quorum)

Officials Present: Clerk Bobbie King, Assessor Carol Ranieri, Highway Commissioner Calvin Jordan

Others Present: Tim Bradford, Township Administrator; Carney Barr, Finance Manager; Frank Garrett, Attorney; Debbie Pascarella, Deputy Clerk; Diane Sykes, Township Newsletter Editor

Town Fund, General Assistance Fund, Road District Fund, Donation Fund and Senior Companion Fund: Upon a motion made by Trustee Goodrich, seconded by Trustee Bobis, and unanimously passed by roll call vote, the Board approved Town Fund checks #28728--28960 in the amount of \$392,611.47; General Assistance Fund checks #20786--20937 in the amount of \$34,853.71; Road District Fund checks #5795--5821 in the amount of \$33,880.15; Donations Fund checks #1562--1569 in the amount of \$16,411.13; and Senior Companion Fund checks #9290--9354 in the amount of \$25,465.98 for the period of 10/02/14 thru 10/28/14.

Approval Of Minutes: Upon a motion made by Trustee Bobis, seconded by Trustee Goodrich, and unanimously passed by voice vote, the Board approved the minutes of the October 6, 2014 Board of Trustees meeting as presented.

PUBLIC PETITIONS

NONE

REPORTS OF OFFICERS

Supervisor: Supervisor Riley attended the “Manufacturing Day” event at Prairie State College, the Diversity Inc. Dinner, a St. James Hospital meeting, the Village of Richton Park’s “I Make a Difference” Ceremony, the Chicago Southland Quarterly Meeting, the Ingalls Memorial Hospital’s Breast Cancer Awareness event and the I-57 and I-294 interchange grand opening. Supervisor Riley noted that he received a “Friend of Agriculture” plaque from the Cook County Farm Bureau, and modeled in the Pantry’s Fashion Show.

Clerk: Clerk Bobbie King attended the Food Pantry’s Fashion Show.

Assessor: Assessor Carol Ranieri reported that she is waiting for the Board of Review to open up for Rich Township, and that she has no results as of yet from the Assessor Appeals period for the Township. She added that she attended a Cook County Assessor’s Association meeting.

Highway Commissioner: Attended the TOCC Fall Conference.

Trustee Goodrich: Attended the Diversity Inc. Dinner and the Illinois Philharmonic Orchestra Fashion Show. Trustee Therese Goodrich noted her appreciation of the Township Newsletter.

Trustee Johnson: Absent

Trustee Bobis: Attended the Diversity Inc. Dinner, our Senior Volunteer Luncheon, the TOCC Trustee Division meeting, the TOCC Executive Board meeting and the TOCC Fall Conference.

Trustee Small: Attended the Governors State University event, “Raisin’ Cane” with Jasmine Guy. Trustee Jackie Small noted the latest edition of the Township Newspaper and commended Editor Diane Sykes on a job well done.

Attorney: No report.

OLD BUSINESS

Supervisor Riley introduced Township Newsletter Editor Diane Sykes and thanked her for her excellent work on the latest edition.

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to Approve 2015 Board of Trustees Meeting Dates: Upon a motion made by Trustee Goodrich, seconded by Trustee Small, and unanimously passed by voice vote, the Board of Trustees approved the schedule for the 2015 Board of Trustees Meetings.

Motion to Approve 2015 Holiday Schedule: Upon a motion made by Trustee Bobis, seconded by Trustee Small, and unanimously passed by voice vote, the Board of Trustees approved the 2015 holiday schedule as presented on the November 3, 2014 memo.

ADJOURNMENT: Upon a motion made by Trustee Goodrich, seconded by Trustee Small, and unanimously approved by voice vote, the Board Meeting adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

_____ Supervisor	_____ Clerk
Approval by the Board of Trustees	Date: _____

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