

SUPERVISORS MEETING

October 19, 2011
O'Fallon Township
801 E. State St.
O'Fallon, IL 62269

CALL TO ORDER at 7:48 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Supervisor Gary Ahle, Highway Commissioner William Peach, Town Clerk David M. Witter, Trustees: Glenn Loyet, Jeff Bevirt, Kenneth Joseph and Gary Hursey; Deputy Town Clerk/Recorder Debbie Allsup, General Assistance Administrator/Recorder Sheri Heil and Attorney Cory Easton.

Others present: Gary Fohne, Douglas Scott, Mel Hutnick and Gerard Helldoerfer.

APPROVAL OF SUPERVISORS MINUTES

A motion was made by Jeff Bevirt to approve the minutes of the previous Supervisor's Meeting as presented and seconded by Trustee Kenneth Joseph. Motion Carried.

SENIOR REPORT

Trustee Glenn Loyet stated the last Senior Committee meeting took place on Wednesday, September 28th, 2011. The next Senior Committee Dinner will be on Thursday, October 27th, 2011.

The next Senior Committee meeting will be on Wednesday, October 26th, 2011 at 7:00 P.M.

YOUTH REPORT

Trustee Kenneth Joseph reported the last Youth Committee meeting took place on Monday October 17th, 2011. Joseph said the meeting was "poorly" attended and does not know what they're going to do to increase attendance. Trustee Gary Hursey suggested having pizza at one of the meetings for the kids. Joseph said that usually there are 12-14 attendees at the meetings and now it is down to 4-5. Hursey stated that the kids go to after school functions and are on the go. Having pizza at one of the regular meetings would go over well he thought. Trustee Jeff Bevirt said that one of the youth members was interested in volunteering at the monthly Township Rummage Sale for "Service Hours".

The next Youth Committee event will be the Halloween Party on Monday, October 24th, 2011.

The next Youth Committee meeting will be on Monday, November 21st, 2011 at 7:30 P.M.

PLANNING REPORT

No report.

AFTER PROM REPORT

No report.

TRUSTEES REPORT

No report.

TOWN CLERK REPORT

Town Clerk David Witter stated that the Township Budget Hearing Minutes and the Road District Budget Hearing Minutes are now on the website.

SUPERVISORS REPORT

Supervisor Gary Ahle passed around a correspondence from St. Clair States Attorney Brendan Kelly with regards to organizing “public safety” in the county.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Trustee Glenn Loyet brought up the Township Officials of Illinois (TOI) Legislative Survey. Loyet stated that he would like to see a possible change when the Highway Commissioner does their levy, the trustees should be allowed more input. Loyet said that he plans on bringing the topic up at Division Meeting to see what the other trustees think.

Discussion regarding the Annual Audit performed by Allison, Knapp & Siekmann – Trustee Loyet said he thought the recommendations/suggestions that were outlined for the Township are a good idea and the Township should take their advice. A brief discussion followed with all in agreement regarding the recommendations.

NEW BUSINESS

None.

APPROVAL OF SUPERVISORS BILLS

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| Town Fund | \$ 12,830.41 |
| General Assistance Fund | 1,265.56 |

Trustee Gary Hursey made a motion to authorize the bills of the Supervisor be paid accordingly and seconded by Trustee Glenn Loyet. Roll Call: G. Loyet – aye; J. Bevirt – aye; G. Ahle – aye; K. Joseph – aye; Hursey – aye. Motion carried.

PUBLIC INPUT

Doug Scott stated that he received response from John West and Mr. West is in contact with the acting County Engineer Jim Fields regarding concerns at the intersection of Vincennes Trail and Troy-Scott Road. Mr. Scott is hopeful that acting County Engineer Fields will have more of an ear than the previous engineer did.

Mr. Scott asked if anything can be done about a residence on Troy-Scott Road running a business out of his home (Martin Tree Co.). The person has a big sign outside and all of his equipment parked out front. He is also hauling and dropping brush from jobs at his residence. Mr. Scott said people in the past have attempted to do this and they were prevented from doing so (i.e. Wilson Pools & Royder Carpet) because the area is not zoned for business. Supervisor Ahle said that he would contact Mike Mitchell with the County to look into, and address the matter. A brief discussion followed.

Trustee Loyet suggested that a letter from the Township be drafted and sent to the acting County Engineer about the concerns on Troy-Scott and Vincennes Trail Roads since the last Engineer did not address the issue. Supervisor Ahle said that it will be on the next agenda that the letter was drafted and sent.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Trustee Jeff Bevirt to adjourn the meeting of the Supervisor and seconded by Trustee Glenn Loyet. Motion Carried.

The meeting adjourned at 8:03 P.M.

Respectfully submitted by:

David M. Witter
Town Clerk