

Rock Island Township
2827 - 7th Avenue, Rock Island, IL. 61201
Town Board Minutes
Monday November 22, 2021– 4:15 p.m.

The Town Board meeting was held in Lund Hall. All attendants are required to wear face masks and maintain social distancing. The meeting is open to the public and is subject to distancing and a maximum of 50 persons.

I. In attendance: The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Brandmeyer at 4:15 p.m. Roll Call: Supervisor John Brandmeyer, Clerk Heather Gray, Assessor Cristina Wilson; Trustees: Jeff Lam, Vince Thomas (arrived at 4:18p.m.), Rita Kirk, Tia Parker. Township staff, Doris Quigley.

Pledge of Allegiance

II. Approval of the Minutes from, October 25, 2021 Regular Board Meeting (Attachment A):

Motion made by Trustee Lam; seconded by Trustee Parker. Roll call: Lam, Yes; Thomas, N/A; Kirk, Yes; Parker, Yes; Brandmeyer, Yes. Motion passed.

III. Assessor's Report: Assessor Wilson reported that she has 3 appeals.

IV. Review and Approval – claims paid in Township funds October-November 2021 (Attachment

B): Motion made by Trustee Kirk to approve the claims in the Town, General Assistance & Building Funds; seconded by Trustee Lam. Roll Call: Trustee Lam, Yes; Trustee Thomas, Yes; Trustee Kirk, Yes; Trustee Parker, Yes; Supervisor Brandmeyer, Yes. Motion Passed.

V. Supervisor's Report:

A) 2021/2022 Property Tax Levy Resolution Approval (Attachment C)

Motion was made by trustee Kirk to accept the resolution; seconded by trustee Parker. Roll Call: Trustee Lam, yes; Trustee Thomas, Yes; Trustee Kirk, Yes; Trustee Parker, Yes; Supervisor Brandmeyer, Yes. Motion Passed.

B) Funding Request for MLK Thanksgiving Dinner (Attachment D)

Motion was made by trustee Lam to accept the request; seconded by trustee Parker. Roll Call: Trustee Lam, No; Trustee Thomas, No; Trustee Kirk, No; Trustee Parker, No; Supervisor Brandmeyer, No. Motion Failed.

C) Items of Interest:

Supervisor Brandmeyer reported that Hy-Vee gift cards will be going out in early December. A new Township table banner has been completed by Stecker Graphics, In January there will be an increase in the General Assistance - personal items by \$3 making it \$64 in order to comply with the State's increase of the total amount to \$322.

D) Food Pantry / Meal Site and Assistance Programs October

Sacred Heart Food Pantry	467	Fiscal year to date: 2,977
St. Joseph Evening Meal	322	Fiscal year to date: 1,958
The Church of Peace Food Pantry	1,520	Fiscal year to date:13,218

2nd Baptist Pantry NR
Heart of Hope Food Pantry NR

General Assistance Activity, October 2021

a) Active Clients	16
b) Intakes	2
c) Terminated/Denied/Left Program	4

Emergency Assistance, October 2021

a) Applications taken	9
b) Applications approved	3
c) Applications denied	0
d) Applications not returned	3
e) Funds spent (month / total / avg)	\$1,114.17 / \$11,636.26
Unspent balance	\$40,745.55

VI. New Business:

VII. Public Comments: Trustees, Assessor, Supervisor, Public:

VIII. Adjournment: Trustee Thomas made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Trustee Parker. Motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 4:32 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted

Heather Gray, Town Clerk

Rock Island Township Mission Statement

To professionally, courteously, equitably, and efficiently administer General Assistance, property assessment and other programs and to properly maintain the Township Hall and property for the benefit of Township residents and the building's tenants.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING IS MONDAY,
DECEMBER 27, 2021 AT 4:15 P.M.