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#### TOWN CLERK'S RECORD BOOK

**ROAD & BRIDGE** 

The Lockport Township Board of Trustees met at Lockport Township Government Building, Community Center, 1463 S. Farrell Road, Lockport, Illinois on Monday July 10, 2017 at 7:00 PM with Supervisor Ron Alberico presiding.

Present were Trustees Gregg Bickus, Barb Boyce, Barb Delaney and Dean Morelli, Clerk Denise Rumchak, Highway Commissioner John Cielenski, Collector Lance McCalla, Attorney Gary Mueller and Deputy Clerk Jessica Strickland. Also present were- See attendance sheet. Absent was Assessor Debbi Mason. The meeting agenda was posted at the Lockport & Crest Hill Libraries, Lockport Township Government Building, the Lockport Township website (Clerk's section), the calendar and also on the Community Center door.

On a Motion of Delaney, seconded by Boyce to approve the minutes from the previous regular monthly meeting held on June 12, 2017.

### MOTION CARRIED

Clerk Rumchak asked Commissioner Cielenski if a comparison has been done since accepting the energy saving program with Hudson Energy for the street lights. Commissioner Cielenski stated he did review the bills last week and believes the Township is still saving monies, but he will contact his energy consultant to confirm.

Clerk Rumchak inquired about the policy for overtime for the Highway Department. Commissioner Cielenski commented that his employees will receive time and a half after an eight hour day.

On a Motion of Boyce, seconded by Bickus to approve total bills and payroll in the amount of \$71,670.94. Roll call vote resulted in Alberico Aye, Bickus Aye, Boyce Aye, Delaney Aye and Morelli Aye.

## **MOTION CARRIED**

Commissioner's Report-

- Employees are cutting grass as needed.
- Branch pick up is doing very well.
- Replacement of a fuel tank has been installed on one of the Highway's trucks.
- Homer Tree Service has been cutting down Ash trees.
- Bid packet are being put together for future road work.

Commissioner Cielenski attended a Highway Commissioner meeting and the state asked all departments to limit the mowing of grass on the side of the road to preserve the butterfly population.

Collector McCalla stated there are three areas on Thornton St. that need to be addressed for safety concerns.

Commissioner Cielelnski commented he will check the area and add gravel as needed.

Clerk Rumchak inquired if the state of Illinois was involved in the MacGregor Street project. Collector McCalla commented it is both the City of Lockport and the state.

## **MOTION CARRIED**

On a Motion of Delaney, seconded by Boyce to adjourn the meeting at 7:11 PM.

# **MOTION CARRIED**