

**BI-MONTHLY MEETING
FRANKFORT TOWN (TOWNSHIP) BOARD**

Monday, February 8, 2021

Conducted via Zoom video conference

The following are the minutes of the regular public meeting of the Board of Township Trustees of the Township of Frankfort, Will County, Illinois at 7:07 p.m. on Monday, February 8, 2021.

This meeting was held virtually utilizing the Zoom Web conferencing application [<https://zoom.us/>] in accordance with the Governor's Executive Orders in response to COVID-19. The Zoom application is free of charge to the public.

Supervisor read the following Executive Order by Governor Pritzker:

IN ACCORDANCE WITH EXECUTIVE ORDER 2020-07 ISSUED BY GOVERNOR PRITZKER, THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD TELEPHONICALLY THROUGH ZOOM. FRANKFORT TOWNSHIP BOARD MEMBERS WILL BE ATTENDING THE MEETING REMOTELY AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO DO THE SAME. THE PUBLIC WILL BE ABLE TO COMMENT AT THE PUBLIC COMMENTS PORTION OF THE MEETING. A LINK WILL BE PROVIDED FROM THIS AGENDA PRIOR TO THE MEETING.

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Jim Moustis, and upon the roll being called, the following answered present:

Trustee Miroballi Trustee Griffin Trustee Smith Supervisor Moustis

Trustee George was absent.

A quorum was declared present.

Also present:

Ted Westerbert–Frankfort Square

Stephanie Drisko

Barbara Dutton

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion was made by Trustee Smith to approve the Bi-monthly Minutes from the January 11, 2021 meeting and seconded by Trustee Griffin.

Upon taking the vote, all members voted aye. Nays, none.

Motion carried

APPROVAL OF BILLS

Motion was made by Trustee Griffin and seconded by Trustee Smith to approve the bill's list as presented. The following roll call was taken:

Trustee Smith – aye

Trustee Miroballi – aye

Trustee Griffin – aye

Supervisor Moustis – aye.

Motion carried

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ELECTED OFFICIALS

Gayla Smith, Collector

Joe Kral, Assessor

Nella Piccolin, Clerk

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

None

BOARD COMMENTS

Assessor Joe Kral told the board that Will County will not be having Senior Days. He would like seniors to be able to drive up to fill out forms for the Senior Assessment Freeze Exemption. His office would then file the forms with the county. The signup would start before June and end in September. Seniors 65 years of age or first time filers need to fill out the eligibility form. Seniors that have exemption forms in place have extensions. Soft appeals will continue on Zoom.

Trustee Smith asked everyone to please check on the elderly. It is especially crucial during this severely cold weather.

Trustee Miroballi informed the board that Highway Commissioner Bill Carlson said things are running smoothly in terms of his plowing. He is at not this meeting because they working tonight.

Supervisor Moustis noted that the township has been helping seniors register for the Covid vaccine. The county board allocated \$1,500,000.00 to the Health Department for a call center. The township has been checking on our seniors. We will be open fully on March first.

We have slowly opened up transportation. We are now at current capacity and we also use Will Ride. George Tolski, our Transportation Director, does a great job getting people to work and medical appointments.

Supervisor Moustis will be working on the annual report. He also will be doing a report on the calendar year of activities. Next month, he will be doing the treasurer's report that is required by state statute. He has started work on the 2021 - 2022 budget year and it should be done by the end of March.

ADJOURNMENT

Trustee Smith made a motion to adjourn. Trustee Miroballi seconded the motion.

Upon taking the vote, all members voted aye, nays, none.

Motion carried

The meeting closed at 7:18 pm

These minutes respectfully submitted by:



Nella Piccolin, Frankfort Township Clerk