

# The adjourned meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Stookey, Saint Clair County, Illinois

## Regular Meeting

January 2<sup>nd</sup> 2023

Meeting held at 313 Eiler Road, Belleville, Illinois 62223

The meeting was called to order at 6:01 pm by Supervisor M. Bagby. An official roll call was taken by Clerk F. Garner. Trustee A. Scharf was physically absent but attended the meeting via Zoom (Trustee A. Scharf was unable to vote due to the nature of his absence) . Commissioner B. Reed and Assessor S. Sieron were absent. Supervisor M. Bagby along with Trustees R. Stookey, J. Lougeay and D. Weaver were all in attendance.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Supervisor M. Bagby.

### Discussion and Approval of the Minutes

The December 5, 2022 regular meeting minutes were prepared and distributed by Clerk F. Garner.

**Motion:** Trustee R. Stookey      **2<sup>nd</sup>:** Trustee J. Lougeay

**Discussion:** None

**Vote:** All voted yes

### Discussion and Approval of the Bills

The monthly bills were reviewed by the Board of Trustees

**Motion:** Trustee J. Lougeay      **2<sup>nd</sup>:** Trustee R. Stookey

**Discussion:** Trustee J. Lougeay made mention of a possible discrepancy in the account used to pay Road District bills. Trustee D. Weaver mentioned he had not had a chance to review the bills.

**Vote:** Trustee D. Weaver abstained. All others voted yes.

### Public Participation

Ms. Barbara Johnson made mention of a property issue near her home. Board members gave suggestions for dealing with the problem.

Trustee D. Weaver suggested the Board of Trustees vote to make Juneteenth a holiday at Stookey Township. He also suggested an African American be given a job as a summer worker.

## Committee Reports

- **Parks & Rec (Supervisor M. Bagby)**

The committee is currently working on submission of the completed park master plan for reimbursement. Funding opportunities suggested by Little Tikes are being explored. Lighting for the park is being purchased.

- **Law Enforcement**

Trustee J. Lougeay made mention of an ongoing police investigation of a recent incident near Emge School.

- **Lighting & Zoning**

Trustee A. Scharf mentioned the reporting of a property violation issue on Westchester. The committee did not meet.

## Highway Commissioner's Report

None

## Supervisor's Report

Security improvements at the sewer plant are being planned. A grant proposal for the sewer department had been denied. The sewer department vector-truck is being repaired. A recent water main break was being repaired.

## Closed Executive Session

Leave open session at 6:25 pm

**Motion:** Trustee J. Lougeay      **2<sup>nd</sup>:** Trustee R. Stookey

**Discussion:** None

**Vote:** All voted yes

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Enter open session at 6:34 pm

**Motion:** Trustee R. Stookey      **2<sup>nd</sup>:** Trustee J. Lougeay

**Discussion:** None

**Vote:** All voted yes

## Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 6:34 pm

**Motion:** Trustee D. Weaver      **2<sup>nd</sup>:** Trustee J. Lougeay

**Discussion:** None

**Vote:** All voted yes

