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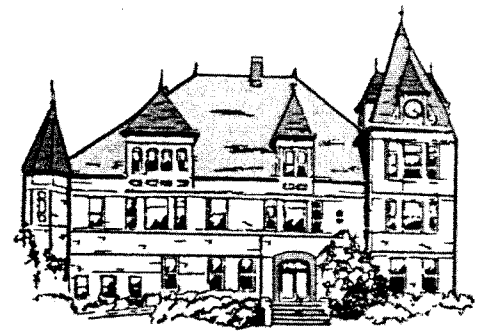
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Trustees

Mary Rob Clarke
Michael C. Dropka
Timothy Heilenbach
Tom Lupfer

MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING OF THE

RIVERSIDE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

HELD ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 2021

AT THE RIVERSIDE TOWNSHIP HALL, 27 RIVERSIDE ROAD, RIVERSIDE

CALL TO ORDER

Minutes of the Committee of the Whole Meeting of the Riverside Township Board of Trustees, held on Tuesday, January 5, 2021 at the Riverside Township Hall located at 27 Riverside Road; Riverside, Illinois. Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Wilt at 6:30 pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Supervisor Wilt, Trustees Clarke, Dropka, and Heilenbach

ABSENT: Clerk Blauw and Trustee Lupfer

Also Present: Kenneth Florey, 55 West Monroe, Suite 800, Chicago, 60603
Mike Hayes, 3318 W. 95th Street, Evergreen Park, 60805
Ross Secler, 3318 W. 95th Street, Evergreen Park, 60805

Therefore, Trustee Dropka, acting as Township Clerk for the evening, declared a quorum and Committee of the Whole opened for the transaction of business.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A) INTERVIEWS FOR TOWNSHIP LAW FIRM

Robbins Schwartz - Kenneth Florey attended the meeting. He gave a synopsis on the law firm he represents and the services available to Riverside Township. A candid discussion ensued, and Kenneth answered questions that the Supervisor and Trustees had.

Odelson & Sterk, LTD - Mike Hayes and Ross Secler attended the meeting. They gave a synopsis on the law firm they represent and the services available to Riverside Township. A candid discussion ensued and both Mike and Ross answered questions that the Supervisor and Trustees had.

B) SWINGING BRIDGE PROJECT MANAGEMENT PROPOSALS

Supervisor Wilt reached out to API Architects for guidance on repairs to the swinging bridge, and their proposal is considerably less than WJE (Wiss, Janney, Elstner Associates, Inc.). The board took part in discussion. Supervisor Wilt will be asking at the next scheduled meeting for the approval of signing a contract with API Architects.

C) TOWN HALL BUILDING REPAIRS

The board took part in discussion regarding what steps to take next. There was unanimous consent to wait until after a new law firm is chosen, at the next scheduled meeting, before proceeding.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to transact, Supervisor Wilt called for a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:15 pm.

MOTION: Trustee Heilenbach

SECOND: Trustee Clarke

ROLL CALL: Trustee Clarke - Yes; Dropka - Yes; Heilenbach - Yes; Supervisor Wilt - Yes

VOICE VOTE: Yes - 4 No - 0 MOTION CARRIED

Vera A. Wilt, Township Supervisor

Michael C. Dropka, Township Trustee