

Minutes – Board of Town Trustees
STATE OF ILLINOIS
January 19, 2023

Crawford County
Town of Robinson

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES met at the Robinson Township Office at 6:00 P.M. January 19, 2023. The following official business was transmitted.

1. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Larry Corder.
2. Clerk Vickie Gribben then called the roll.

	Vickie Gribben	Township Clerk
	Larry Corder	Township Supervisor
	Monty Murray	Township Highway Commissioner
	Mary Jane Parker	Township Trustee
	Robb Sparks	Township Trustee
	Kevin Steele	Township Trustee
	Dan Strauch	Township Trustee
Absent---	Sue Roberts	Township Assessor

3. Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Approval of the Minutes of the previous meeting.
Larry Corder ask for a motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting.
Motion was made by Dan and seconded by Kevin
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes

5A. Supervisor’s Report.
Supervisor Larry Corder reported, they had safety meeting about Winter Weather Driving. Effective February 1, 2023 the General Assistance payment will increase to \$340.00 per single person. The interest rates now 0.60%-1.50%. The General Assistance Robinson cases for December 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022 are 6 pending cases, 8 approved cases, and 4 denied cases. Emergency cases had 2 approved. Total cases including the other townships during this month was 25. Intergovernmental Agreements for fiscal year April 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022 total of 15 cases. The number of GA cases per year 2022 is 286.

5B. Highway Commissioner’s Report
Monty Murray reported they have been out fixing pot holes and spreading gravel on rough roads. They have been out replacing old pipes. They are on a job now but had to stop due to a legal matter. He said they will get it figured out but in the mean time, there is drainage issues that’s causing problems.

5C. Assessor’s Report
Sue Roberts was absent.

5D. Cemetery Report
Nikki said the Cemetery Safety meeting for this month was on Before a Work Task Begins. They guys have been cleaning up the cemeteries. The signs are in and getting ready to put them up. They are cleaning out the points and planting all the daffodil bulbs. The Robinson Old Cemetery got new rock put down and it looks amazing.

6. Regular Business

- A. Motion to authorize payment of town, general assistance, and payroll bills.
Motion was made by Kevin and seconded by Robb
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- B. Motion to authorize payment of road district bills.
Motion was made by Dan and seconded by Kevin
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- C. Motion to authorize pre-approval of payment of elected officials from
December 16, 2022 through January 19, 2023.
Motion was made by Kevin and seconded by Robb
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- D. Motion to authorize payment of per diem expenses.
Motion was made by Robb and seconded by Dan
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes

7. New Business

- A. Motion to approve Assessor’s Budget for fiscal year 2023-2024
Motion was made by MaryJane and seconded by Kevin
Mary Jane---yes; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes
- B. Motion to go into closed session for semi-annual review of executive session Minutes.
Ref. S ILCS 120/2 (c) (21)
In: 6:10PM
Motion was made by Dan and seconded by MaryJane
MaryJane---yes: Kevin---yes: Dan---yes: Larry---yes: Robb---yes

Motion to go out of closed session was made by Larry and seconded by Robb at 6:14PM
MaryJane---yes: Kevin---yes: Dan---yes: Larry---yes: Robb---yes

Mr. Corder apologized to Matthew Wilson for being so short with him, he told him to go ahead and talk or ask his questions.

8. Public Comments None

9. Adjourn Meeting

Time 6:15 PM
Motion was made by Kevin and seconded by Mary Jane
Mary Jane---absent; Kevin---yes; Dan---yes; Larry---yes; Robb---yes

Respectfully Submitted,

Vickie Gribben
Township Clerk

Larry Corder
Township Supervisor