

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE BLOOM
TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES
APRIL 13, 2021**

A regular meeting of the Bloom Township Board of Trustees was held at 6:47 p.m. on April 13, 2021. Said meeting was called pursuant to written order to the Supervisor and the Board more than 48 hours to the time given as previously mentioned being on file in the office of the Town Clerk, pursuant to the Authority of 60 ILCS 1/30-15 et seq. of the Revised Statutes of the State of Illinois.

The Bloom Township Board of Trustees meeting was conducted pursuant to Governor Pritzker's Covid-19 Executive Order #8 dated March 9, 2020 and extension thereof set forth in Executive Order 2020-39. Meeting was broadcast at the Township Center with an opportunity made available for public attendance and/or participation subject to social distancing regulations. Attendees were requested to be attired in mask and may not be experiencing any symptoms of the COVID virus, i.e., fever, cough, sore throat, or uncommon fatigue.

Supervisor Thomas J. Somer requested Clerk Carla Matthews to call the roll to open the meeting. The meeting continued with the roll call.
Present was:

Laretta Adams	Trustee
Cheryl Franklin	Trustee
Michael Noonan	Trustee
Kevin Watson	Trustee
Thomas J. Somer	Supervisor

Also present was Assessor Nora Gomez, General Assistance Director Anna Scrementi, Maintenance Director George Sylvester and Deputy Clerk Jane Ruiz.

Absent was Highway Commissioner Joseph Stanfa.

The minutes of March 23, 2021 regular board of trustees meeting was presented to the board and approved on a motion made by Trustee Watson seconded by Trustee Noonan.

Roll call votes:

Trustee Adams	Aye
Trustee Franklin	Aye
Trustee Noonan	Aye
Trustee Watson	Aye
Supervisor Somer	Aye

Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE:

None

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

Charles Dieringer of Chicago Heights stated him and his wife had Covid-19 in November 2020, they both received the vaccine early this year. Mr. Dieringer encouraged everyone to receive the vaccine to end the spread of Covid-19.

Supervisor Somer stated that is a very important message.

Supervisor Somer announced the Township will be receiving approximately 100 more vaccinations. It will be decided when the Township receives the vaccines how they will be administered.

AUTHORIZATION FOR CLERK'S SIGNATURE STAMP ATTESTATION:

Clerk Matthews authorized her signature to be published on the checks for bills dated April 13, 2021.

BILLS:

Supervisor Somer requested a motion to approve bills dated April 13, 2021.

Road and Bridge	\$ 11,329.81
Town Fund	\$112,718.25
General Assistance	\$ 38,569.21

Trustee Adams made a motion to approve the bills seconded by Trustee Noonan.

Roll call votes:

Trustee Adams	Aye
Trustee Franklin	Aye
Trustee Noonan	Aye
Trustee Watson	Aye
Supervisor Somer	Aye

Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS:

DONATION REQUEST FROM JONES MEMORIAL COMMUNITY CENTER 33RD ANNUAL VIRTUAL BROTHERHOOD BANQUET:

Supervisor Somer addressed the board members stating a donation was made in October 2020 in the amount of \$200.00.

Trustee Noonan made a motion to donate \$200.00 seconded by Trustee Adams.

Roll call votes:

Trustee Adams	Aye
Trustee Franklin	Aye
Trustee Noonan	Aye
Trustee Watson	Aye
Supervisor Somer	Aye



Motion carried.

OTHER BUSINESS:

None

With nothing further, to discuss Supervisor Somer requested a motion to adjourn. Trustee Watson made a motion seconded by Trustee Adams.

Meeting adjourned at 6:54 p.m.


SUPERVISOR

CLERK

CM/jsr