

Minutes Board of Town Trustees

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
COUNTY OF LAKE
TOWN OF FREMONT

Due to the Covid -19 pandemic, the Fremont Township Board of Trustees met via Zoom on May 28, 2020 to conduct a **Budget Hearing.**

ELECTED OFFICIALS:

Diana O'Kelly	Supervisor
Christina McCann	Town Clerk
Alicia Dodd	Highway Commissioner
Joe Herchenbach	Assessor
Jeralyn Atleson	Town Trustee
Connie Shanahan	Town Trustee
Patricia Stejskal	Town Trustee
Keith Voss	Town Trustee

FY 2020/2021 PUBLIC HEARING **FREMONT TOWNSHIP** **BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS ORDINANCE NO. 277**

After notice was given in the Daily Herald; and after the **Fremont Township Budget & Appropriation Ordinance No. 277** was available for public inspection for at least 30 days; a Public Hearing was called to order at 6:15 P.M. on May 28, 2020 for the Budget & Appropriation Ordinance No. 277 for Fremont Township. Public access for this hearing was available at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86039189423>.

1. Call to Order

Supervisor O'Kelly called the meeting to order at 6:15 p.m.

Present: Trustee Atleson, Trustee Shanahan, Trustee Stejskal, Trustee Voss

Others Present: Clerk McCann, Highway Commissioner Dodd, Assessor Herchenbach

Public Present: None

Supervisor O'Kelly announced that retired Trustee Michael Gustafson died at the age of 82. Mr. Gustafson served on the township board for more than two decades. His friendship and contributions to Fremont Township will be missed.

2. Supervisor's FY 2020-2021 Budget Report

- Supervisor O'Kelly noted changes to the budget including funds reserved for a potential loan to the Road District if their tax revenues fall short of anticipated receipts.
- O'Kelly met with Lake County supervisors to discuss the County potentially distributing Covid-19 relief funds to townships to assist residents with issues specific to Covid-19. If funds are disbursed, the budget can be amended to reflect additional revenue/expenses.
- Currently we have no general assistance clients. There is one emergency assistance case and a few residents have requested applications for emergency assistance relief but have not yet provided documents to complete the application process.
- Food pantry use is up 400%.

3. **Public Comments**

None

4. **Budget Adoption**

- **Trustee Stejskal moved, and Trustee Voss seconded the motion to adopt the FY 2020-2021 Fremont Township Budget Ordinance No. 277 in the amount of \$2,179,099.00.**

Discussion:

None

Roll Call:

Aye: Trustee Atleson, Trustee Shanahan, Trustee Stejskal, Trustee Voss. **Nay:** None. **Motion carried.**

5. **Adjourn**

- **Trustee Shanahan moved, and Trustee Stejskal seconded the motion to adjourn the Public Hearing for the Township Budget & Appropriations Ordinance No. 277 at 6:24 P.M. All in favor, motion carried.**

Respectfully Submitted, Christina McCann, Fremont Township Clerk

Date Approved: June 8, 2020