

**Village of Tolono Board of Trustees
Regular Meeting
July 5, 2022**

The Village of Tolono Board of Trustees (“Board”) met on July 5, 2022 in the Police Station, located at 205 E. Main St., Tolono, IL. President Rob Murphy called the meeting to order at 6:31pm. Roll call found the following trustees present: Vicki Buffo, Ann Jack Haluzak, Kyle Hayden, Jared Robbins, and Terrence Stuber. Also present was Clerk Brandy Dalton, Police Chief Justin Levingston and Public Works Superintendent Connor Block.

All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance. Trustee Stuber gave the invocation.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Larry Kearns expressed his concerns about a brick sidewalk on Vine Street west of Bourne Street that was partially dug up last year and has still not been replaced. He was told that the Village is going to replace it with concrete because the resident that wanted to replace the bricks still has not done the work.

Ben Rink was present on behalf of Unity High School regarding the irrigation system for the athletic fields that he has been maintaining. The school wants to eliminate the well and hook into the Village water and would like help from the Village with the cost of it. President Murphy told him that once we have costs on the project, we will discuss how we can help.

Jessica Robbins discussed her work on the Safe Routes to School Grant. She has been working with Larry Johnson and the school district. The school is okay with it and will send the information and survey to the parents as well as the students.

Kathy Hayes wants a stop sign at the corner of Condit and Linden Streets or the corner of Condit and Strong Streets to slow down the traffic between Austin and Holden Streets on Condit Street. She also discussed a go-cart that is driving around on the streets that she almost hit. She expressed her appreciation for the Police Department.

REPORTS

Public Works – Connor Block said they have been busy cleaning catch basins and jetting lines. The light pole at the police station is up. The new full-time employee is picking up on things quickly.

Police Department – Justin Levingston said June was busy. He is working on having a bike safety course with the Library in August. He will be at a management conference at the end of the month.

Planning and Zoning Board – Del Boyle said the Board is updating the map with the most recent Village limit lines.

CONSENT AGENDA

Clerk Dalton read the items to be voted on: A. regular session minutes for June 21, 2022; B. special meeting minutes for June 27, 2022; C. bills/warrants as presented D. 2022-0624 Payroll; E. water and sewer usage and billed report.

Motion by Hayden, second by Haluzak to approve the Consent Agenda. Roll call: Buffo, aye; Haluzak, aye; Hayden, aye; Robbins, aye; Stuber, aye. Motion passed.

NEW BUSINESS

The Village Emergency Operations Plan was tabled.

There was discussion of speeding on Condit Street, and a possible 3-Way Stop at Strong and Condit Streets.

Motion by Buffo, second by Hayden approving the resignation of Nate Tate and Rich Cunnington from the Planning and Zoning Board. Roll call: Buffo, aye; Haluzak, aye; Hayden, aye; Robbins, aye; Stuber, aye. Motion passed.

Motion by Stuber, second by Buffo to enter into executive session at 6:58pm for the limited purpose of discussing the hiring, performance, compensation and/or employment of one or more Village employees pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1). Roll call: Buffo, aye; Haluzak, aye; Hayden, aye; Robbins, aye; Stuber, aye. Motion passed.

The Board returned to open session at 8:46pm.

Motion by Buffo, second by Robbins to adjourn the meeting at 8:47pm. Roll call: Buffo, aye; Haluzak, aye; Hayden, aye; Robbins, aye; Stuber, aye. Motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted,
Brandy Dalton, RMC, CMC
Village Clerk

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