

## VILLAGE OF HAMPTON, ROCK ISLAND COUNTY, ILLINOIS

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF HAMPTON, ILLINOIS June 9, 2025 AT 6:30 PM

BE IT REMEMBERED, THAT THERE CAME AND WAS HELD A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF HAMPTON, ILLINOIS AT THE VILLAGE HALL:

Members present:

President Bornhoeft Trustee Steffanie Adams Trustee Ryan Gonzalez Trustee Marty Johnson Trustee Michael Klouser Trustee Rich Smice Trustee Rich Smice Clerk Michelle Reyes Deputy Clerk Julie Coberley Public Works Director Eric Toalson

Members absent: Fire Chief David Johnson

President Bornhoeft called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM. Clerk Reyes called the roll noting a quorum was present. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Meeting was held at the Village Hall.

**Approval of the Meeting Minutes of May 27, 2025.** Motion to approve the minutes made by Trustee Adams seconded by Trustee White. Motion passed with a unanimous voice vote.

**Approval and Authorization for Payment of Bills**. Motion to approve payment of bills made by Trustee Adams, seconded by Trustee Gonzalez. Motion approved by roll call vote as follows: Adams, Gonzalez, Johnson, Klouser, Smice and White: "Aye" Motion passed.

Visitors who wish to address the board (3-minute time limit). No one addressed the board.

**Discussion from Three Bros to address the board regarding their property.** Mr. Crampton addressed the board asking about the board's decision to do a TIF. President Bornhoeft stated he would like to see Mr. Crampton obtain a survey of the property and contact the State and Railroad as to where the easements are. We can move forward after such time. Clerk Reyes stated to Mr. Crampton that she would send him contacts for both agencies. **Consideration and Approval of the Proclamation "Community is stronger than Cancer Day."** Motion made by Trustee Adams, second by Trustee Smice to approve the Proclamation. President Bornhoeft read the Proclamation declaring June 28<sup>th.</sup> Motion approved by unanimous voice vote.

**Consideration and Approval to replace the window at the Clerk's office.** Clerk Reyes addressed the board stating the wood casement is rotting and the windows are not sealing. Four contractors were contacted, only 2 submitted bids. Motion made by Trustee Adams to approve the quote from Best Improvement, seconded by Trustee White. Roll call vote as follows: Adams, Gonzalez, Johnson, Klouser, Smice and White: "Aye". Motion carried.

**Consideration and Approval of Ordinance 2025-03 to Amend the Budget due to Scrivener's error.** Clerk Reyes stated that under the streets department and under the public works department proper numbers were not entered. Clerk Reyes corrected the errors and the budget is still in the black. Motion to approve the ordinance and budget corrections by Trustee Adams, seconded by Trustee Klouser. Roll call vote as follows: Adams, Gonzalez, Johnson, Klouser, Smice and White: "Aye". Motion carried.

## **Committee Reports**

**Streets and Alleys**: Trustee Klouser stated that we were lucky and not much damage from the storm. Director Toalson is concerned about 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue.

**Public Safety**: Trustee Johnson spoke about hydrant clearing. There were a few in town and he spoke with the residents concerning this.

**Sheriff**: Sheriff Hart in attendance, REMINDER to lock your doors, home, car and garage. Be aware there is an uptick in text and email scams.

Fire Rescue Chief Report: Fire Chief Johnson absent

Finance: Trustee Adams control spending due to tariffs.

**Administration, Insurance and Code Enforcement**: Trustee Smice parking in intersections becoming a problem. Time to paint the curbs.

Public Works: Trustee White thank you to the Fire Chief for response regarding storms.

**Public Works Director**: Director Toalson plugging away at the to-do list. Elliott Stone is doing well.

**Parks and Heritage Center:** Trustee Gonzalez – Hampton Days in July raffle tickets are available for Blackstone grill.

**Village Clerk**: Clerk Reyes contacted a few area towns, and they are basically in the same situation as we are regarding the sticks. However, they also do not do yard waste. It is contracted out with the garbage. Yard waste is only grass and leaves.

**Deputy Clerk:** Deputy Clerk Coberley had nothing to report.

**President's Reports and Comments**: President Bornhoeft – contacted Tony Columbia, to contact the optimist club, would like the town Red, White and Blue.

Being no further business, Motion by Trustee Adams, second by Trustee White to adjourn into closed session. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote. Meeting adjourned at 7:47 PM.

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Michelle Reyes, Clerk