# MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VILLAGE OF METAMORA, IL., HELD APRIL 15, 2025

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees for the Village of Metamora was called to order at 7:00 PM.

Village Clerk, Bylle Long, called the roll call.

Present were - President Cummings

Trustees: Nauman, Weyeneth, Glueck, Bowers and Alig

Those present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes of the regular meeting held April 2, 2025, were reviewed. Trustee Alig made a motion for approval with Trustee Weyeneth seconding. With a vote of 4 yeas, 1 abstain (Bowers) and 0 nays, the motion passed.

Minutes of the Executive Session held April 2, 2025, were reviewed. Trustee Alig made the motion for approval with Trustee Weyeneth seconding. With a vote of 4 yeas, 1 abstain (Bowers) and 0 nays, the motion passed.

The Warrant List was reviewed. Trustee Alig made a motion for approval with Trustee Bowers seconding. With a vote of 5 yeas and 0 nays, the motion passed.

# **Recognize Guests/Public Comment**

There were none.

## Mayor's Report

Mayor Cummings asked for a motion to approve the 2025/2026 budget. Trustee Weyeneth made the motion for approval with Trustee Nauman seconding. With a vote of 5 yeas and 0 nays, the motion passed.

He did mention something for the board to be thinking about in the future would be a new police station and civic building.

## **Treasurer's Report**

#### **CASH BALANCES**

Cash balances as of March 31, 2025 increased \$49,508 at a .63% increase from February 28, 2025.

#### **MAJOR RECEIPTS**

State of Illinois \$ 106,117

Motor Fuel Taxes \$ 14,822

MTHS \$ 19,125

#### MAJOR DISBURSEMENTS

Ameren \$29,539
BlueCross/BlueShield \$18,188
Brenntag \$21,997
Dinges Fire Co. \$25,910

#### **INVESTMENTS**

Funds were invested during the month of March 2025 in the Money Market at Commerce Bank earning interest at .5%. The Goodfield State Bank Money Market earned interest at .15%. The Insured Cash Sweep Account at Goodfield Bank earned interest at 1.65%.

## **Attorney's Report**

Attorney Brunton had nothing new to report but gave updates on several ongoing issues.

## **Engineer's Report**

Bob Kohlhase gave updates on several ongoing and completed projects.

## **Committee Reports:**

## **Public Works Dept.**

Trustee Nauman made a motion to approve a 3% raise as of May 1, 2025, for the non-union employees and Trustee Weyeneth seconded. With a vote of 5 yeas and 0 nays, the motion passed.

He then made a motion to approve a \$500.00 raise for the treasurer as of May 1, 2025, with Trustee Bowers seconding. With a vote of 5 yeas and 0 nays, the motion passed.

Trustee Nauman made a motion to approve the purchase of a pipe locater from Mid-American Tech. Co. in the amount of \$13,270.00. Trustee Bowers seconded the motion and with a vote of 5 yeas and 0 nays, the motion passed.

He then made a motion to approve the purchase of a sewer camera from Mid-America Tech. Co. in the amount of \$13,675.00. Trustee Alig seconded the motion and with a vote of 5 yeas and 0 nays, the motion passed.

## Police, Fire, ESD

Trustee Glueck made a motion to approve the purchase of a Lift Master MAXUM ¾ HP operator from Tri-County Door Doctor, Inc., for the ambulance bay in the amount NTE \$2400.00. Trustee Alig seconded the motion and with a vote of 5 yeas and 0 nays, the motion passed.

## Finance, Insurance, Economic Development, Special Projects

Trustee Weyeneth asked the board to renew the contract with Hometown Consulting. The options were a one-year contract for \$60,000.00 or a two-year contract with the first year being the amount of \$57,500.00 and second year at \$55,000.00. The scope of their

services are major development projects, enterprise zone expansion, incentive structuring, GIS and data transparency tools, business attraction and marketing the 135-acre project and beyond. There is a clause in the contract where if we are not satisfied with their work, we can opt out of the contract.

Trustee Weyeneth made a motion to approve the two-year contract with them and Trustee Bowers seconded. With a vote of 5 yeas and 0 nays, the motion passed.

## **Old Business**

There was none.

## **Executive Session**

There were no requests.

## Adjourn

With no more to discuss, Trustee Nauman made a motion to adjourn with Trustee Glueck seconding. With a vote of 5 yeas and 0 nays, the motion passed and the meeting adjourned at 7:41PM.

Bylle Long

Village Clerk