

**BELVIDERE TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
8200 FAIRGROUNDS ROAD
BELVIDERE, IL 61008
OCTOBER 11, 2011 5:00 PM**

MINUTES

Call to Order/Roll Call ~~ Supervisor Pat Murphy called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm. The pledges to the Flag were said and roll call taken with the following Board Members present Trustees Carlson, Robertson, Zeien and Supervisor Murphy. Trustee Turner is unable to attend the meeting tonight. Also present Clerk Schabacker, Assessor Helnore and Hwy Commissioner Lee. We have a quorum to do business.

Approval of Prior Meeting's Minutes ~~ A motion was made by Trustee Carlson to approve the minutes from the last regular township board meeting on September 27, 2011. The motion was 2nd by Trustee Robertson and passed with four ayes no nays and one absent with Trustees Carlson, Robertson, Zeien and Supervisor Murphy indicating aye on a voice vote.

Transfers ~~ there are no transfers.

Reports

Supervisors Report ~~ no report at this time.

Highway Commissioner's Report ~~ **4-Way Stop Requests**, the Highway Dept. is still out mowing the roadways. There has been a request for a four way stop at Olsen & Spring Creek Roads also a request for Beaver Valley & Squaw Prairie Roads. A traffic count and further information is pending.

Assessor's Report ~~ October 21st the Boone County Journal will be publishing the Assessments changes for tax year 2011. Copies of reports from the Supervisor of Assessments office were given to the Board.

Clerk's Report ~~ no report at this time.

Trustee's Report ~~ **Trustee Carlson**, nothing new to report at this time. **Trustee Robertson**, nothing new to report at this time. **Trustee Zeien**, a link to the Assessor's web site from the Township web site has been completed so there will be no further maintenance required from the township regarding the Assessor's web site. **Trustee Turner**, not in attendance no report.

Unfinished Business ~~ **Acquisition of the Eagles Club**, a reminder that a public meeting will be held at 6:00 pm on October 18th at the Community Building regarding the purchase of the Eagles Club.

Legal ~~ there is nothing to discuss under legal business tonight.

New Business ~~ there is no new business to discuss at this time.

Treasurer's Report and Approval of Town Bills ~~ Trustee Robertson made a motion to pay the town bills the motion was 2nd by Trustee Zeien and passed with four ayes no nays and one absent with Trustees Carlson, Robertson, Zeien and Supervisor Murphy indicating aye on a roll call vote.

Public Comments ~~ Jyothl Gondi a resident of Belvidere Township spoke of her concern for the intersection at Olsen & Spring Creek Roads. She had an accident at the intersection and attributed it to poor visibility and thinks a four way stop is the only answer.

Adjournment ~~ a motion was made by Trustee Robertson to adjourn the meeting at 5:44 pm, 2nd by Trustee Carlson motion passed with four ayes no nays and one absent with Trustees Carlson, Robertson, Zeien and Supervisor Murphy indicating aye on a voice vote.

Respectfully Submitted
Judy Schabacker Clerk