

PLATO TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

Plato Town Hall

January 21,2008

Board Members Absent :Mr. Jablonski, Mrs Swanson. Mrs Roush

Guests: Kent Wallace

Mr Nelson called the meeting to order in the absence of Supervisor Swanson.

Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Minutes of the December meeting were read. Mrs Wallace said that she did not say that CDBL would not be using the storage shed at the park this year. After checking the tape, what is printed in the minutes is exactly correct. Mr Nomelini moved to approve the minutes as corrected and Mr Nelson seconded the motion. 3 Ayes 0 Nays However no correction is necessary.

Treasurers report: Town Fund \$96,342.85, Road & Bridge Fund \$98,453.51, Park Fund \$68,261.20. Mrs Wallace moved to approve the treasurers report and Mr Nomelini seconded the motion. 3 Ayes 0 Nays

Road Commissioner reported as of January 21 he has purchased 645 tons of salt. He stated he contracted for 1000 tons of salt for the 2007-2008 season. The City of Elgin and the Village of Campton has delivered 175 tons of salt as per agreement. He said he has used about 550 tons of salt so far. He reported the Road & Bridge has received a check from IEMA for \$3502.04 for storm damage that occurred in August of 2007. There is more to come when project is completed. He said he applied to IDOT T ARP program for \$50,000 to be used on Switzer Road, and he has received notice it has been approved. He reported the repairs to machinery previously done by Stringer Landscape is now being done in house.

There was no assessor report.

Mr Nelson reported for Assessor Swanson that Elgin is working with the western fire departments on possibility of installing sirens.

Lighting at the park was discussed. Mr Nomelini got a bid from Ron Jones Electric to install a light for \$430.00. This item to be on next months agenda.

It was reported there are forms for senior citizens available for tax deferral if needed. Mrs Wallace moved to sell the cooler to CDBL for \$250.00. Mr Nelson seconded the motion. 3 Ayes 0 Nays

Mrs Wallace moved to have the supervisor send a list of the bills to be paid along with the agenda each month. Mr\ Nomelini seconded the motion. 3 Ayes 0 Nays

The board discussed the need for people to serve on the park committee and the need for someone to be the head of the park committee. They discussed the possibility of making it a paid position. They felt that the duties of one to head the park should be  
.- listed.

When paying bills there was a park bill from Acitelli Heating that Mrs Wallace said has previously been paid.

Mrs Wallace moved to pay bills as presented excluding check # 1171. Mr Nomelini seconded the motion. 3 Ayes 0 Nays

Mrs Wallace moved to adjourn and Mr Nomelini seconded the motion .