

**VILLAGE OF KINGSTON  
REGULAR VILLAGE BOARD MEETING MINUTES  
June 6, 2011  
UNOFFICIAL UNTIL APPROVED AS WRITTEN X  
OR AS AMENDED    BY THE VILLAGE BOARD  
ON July 18, 2011.**

MEETING CALL:

The Regular Village Board Meeting with the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Kingston was called to order at 7:00 pm by President John Munro, June 6, 2011, in the Village Board Room, at the Kingston Municipal Building, 101 E. Railroad St., Kingston, DeKalb County, Illinois.

ROLL CALL:

Upon roll call by Clerk Edwards, the following were in attendance:

Present: President John Munro, Trustees Jim Baenziger, Jennifer Bankson, Jack Fischer, Joe Hengels, John Lynch, and Robert Ruehl Jr.

Absent: 0.

Also in attendance were Village Attorney Kevin Buick, with the firm Foster & Buick Group LLC, Chief of Police Gerald Taft and Village Engineer Kevin Berry, with HR Green, INC.

ADDITIONS OR CORRECTIONS:

Trustee Fischer added Plan Commission to New Business.

MINUTES:

Motion by Trustee Baenziger, seconded by Trustee Hengels to approve the May 2, 2011, minutes as written.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Ayes: 6, Trustees Baenziger, Bankson, Fischer, Hengels, Lynch, and Ruehl.

Nays: 0.

Absent: 0.

Motion Carried.

VILLAGE OFFICERS REPORT

Police Department Chief Taft commented that the police department wrote 41 state citations last month. The police department signed up for another Click It or Ticket It campaign beginning June 17, 2011. There were a couple of dog bites this past month.

Attorney Attorney Buick commented that there was an ordinance prosecution case last week that Officer Rossi assisted with.

Public Works President Munro commented that there are five individuals working on removing cornstalks from the retention pond in Windhaven Subdivision. There are cornstalks near Lift Station #1 that have not been removed yet. Hub Tures will be contacted again to remove them.

Village Engineer Engineer Berry commented that the first draft of the revised stormwater and floodplain ordinances were given to the trustees and attorney.

Village Clerk No report.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

City of Genoa (Wastewater) Trustee Ruehl will be meeting with Mayor Walker on June 20, 2011, to discuss the sewer issue.

Engineer Berry commented that the PE flows were approximately 87,000 for May.

President Munro commented that the televising done at Lift Station #2 found no problems.

IPWMAN Trustee Ruehl will call to get more information about joining.

NEW BUSINESS:

Residents of Windhaven Subdivision Dan Nelians, 404 S. Windhaven, requested that the flooding problem be fixed. President Munro commented that this was not the first time the Windhaven Subdivision has dealt with flooding. Engineer Berry commented in 2007, there was a proposed subdivision and a basin could have been put in, to stop the water and slowly release it, but the subdivision fell through. Andrew Smetak, 505 E. Fourth St., asked if the retention pond in the second phase can be increased. Angie Lauderdale, 305 S. Sandra St., commented that the National Resources Conservation Service will be out this week. David Wendt, 400 S. Windhaven Dr., commented that they had two feet of water and three inches of mud in

their basement.

Patricia Zambreno, 812 E. Railroad, commented that she felt the Hunter Rd. project caused some of their flooding. Wayne Kuhn, 816 E. Railroad, asked if larger culverts can be put in on Hunter Rd.

President Munro commented that he declared parts of Kingston a disaster area.

President Munro commented that he will have Treasurer Taunya Fischer put packets together of names and organizations to contact for assistance.

Street  
Repairs

President Munro commented that there are two proposals for repairs to W. Third St. and Windhaven Dr. Trustee Ruehl requested Engineer Berry look at the information.

Plan  
Commission

Trustee Fischer commented that the last Plan Commission meeting was cancelled due to a lack of quorum. Trustee Fischer commented that they are looking for more members. A special use permit will be coming up in September.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Trustee Fischer motion, seconded by Trustee Baenziger to adjourn the meeting at 8:11 p.m.

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Heather Edwards, Village Clerk