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**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

**TOWNSHIP OF LYONS BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
PUBLIC HEARING MEETING  
TO BE HELD AT  
TOWNSHIP OF LYONS BUILDING, 6404 JOLIET RD., COUNTRYSIDE, IL 60525**

**MARCH 26, 2024 -5:30 P.M.**

**AGENDA**

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
3. ROLL CALL
4. READ PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE PROPOSED 2024-2025 ROAD AND BRIDGE BUDGET AS PUBLISHED AND POSTED.
5. DISCUSSION & APPROVAL OF THE FINAL PROPOSED 2024-2025 ROAD AND BRIDGE BUDGET.
6. READ PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE PROPOSED 2024-2025 COMBINED GENERAL TOWN, GENERAL ASSISTANCE, AND SPECIAL POLICE PROTECTION BUDGET AS PUBLISHED AND POSTED.
7. DISCUSSION & APPROVAL OF THE FINAL PROPOSED 2024- 2025 COMBINED GENERAL TOWN, GENERAL ASSISTANCE, AND SPECIAL POLICE PROTECTION BUDGET.
8. PUBLIC COMMENT
9. ADJOURNMENT

Public comment can be sent prior to the public hearing via e-mail to [ehoffenberg@lyonsts.com](mailto:ehoffenberg@lyonsts.com) by 3 p.m. day of meeting and will be read during the public hearing.  
Profanity and obscene words contained in public comments will not be read.

**PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES  
ON  
2024/2025 ROAD & BRIDGE DISTRICT BUDGET & APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE  
AND  
2024/2025 GENERAL TOWN, GENERAL ASSISTANCE AND SPECIAL POLICE  
PROTECTION BUDGET & APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE**

**MARCH 26, 2024  
(PRESENTED FOR APPROVAL AT THE MEETING OF APRIL 9, 2024)**

**1. The Board of Trustees of the Township of Lyons held the Proposed Road & Bridge Budget & Appropriation Ordinance Public Hearing and the Proposed Combined General Town, General Assistance, and Special Police Protection Budget & Appropriation Ordinance Public Hearing on Tuesday, March 26, 2024 in the Town Hall Community Room, 6404 Joliet Road, Countryside, Illinois 60525.**

**2. Supervisor Getty called the Meeting to order at 5:32 p.m.**

**3. Supervisor Getty called for the Pledge of Allegiance.**

**4. Deputy Clerk Pach called the Roll, and the following were present:**

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|--------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Christopher Getty</b> | <b>Supervisor</b> |
| <b>Mark Anderson</b>     | <b>Trustee</b>    |
| <b>Colleen H. Kelly</b>  | <b>Trustee</b>    |
| <b>Donna B. McDonald</b> | <b>Trustee</b>    |
| <b>Gary B. Crossman</b>  | <b>Trustee</b>    |

**Also, in attendance was Patrick Hynes, Township of Lyons Highway Assessor; Sean McDermott, Township of Lyons Highway Commissioner; George Pach, Township of Lyons Deputy Clerk; Sean McGrath, Attorney with Odelson, Murphey, Frazier, & McGrath, Ltd; Sherrie Marrotta, Township of Lyons Finance Assistant; State Senator Mike Porfirio and Township Employee Ed Ajzyk.**

**5. Supervisor Getty asked for a motion to waive the reading of the public notice of the Proposed 2024/2025 Road & Bridge District Budget & Appropriation Ordinance Hearing having already been posted in several public buildings in the Township, on the Township of Lyons' Website and published in the Desplaines Valley News and the La Grange Suburban Life on February 22, 2024.**

**Trustee McDonald moved; Trustee Crossman seconded to waive the reading of the public notice of the Proposed 2024/2025 Road & Bridge District Budget & Appropriation Ordinance Hearing having already been posted in several public buildings in the Township, on the Township of Lyons' Website and published in the Desplaines Valley News and the La Grange Suburban Life on February 22, 2024.**

**Voice Vote in favor by all.**

**Motion Carried.**

6. Supervisor Getty asked for a motion to approve the Final Proposed 2024/2025 Road & Bridge District Budget & Appropriation Ordinance as posted and presented. Supervisor Getty stated that there had been no changes or additions submitted by the Township of Lyons Highway Commissioner, Sean McDermott. Trustee Kelly moved; Trustee McDonald seconded to approve the Final Proposed 2024/2025 Road & Bridge District Budget & Appropriation Ordinance as posted and presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Kelly, McDonald, Crossman, Anderson, Getty  
Nays: None

Motion Carried

7. Supervisor Getty asked for a motion to waive the reading of the public notice of the Proposed 2024/2025 Combined General Town, General Assistance, and Special Police Protection Budget & Appropriation Ordinance Hearing having already been posted in several public buildings in the Township, on the Township of Lyons' Website and published in the Desplaines Valley News and the La Grange Suburban Life on February 22, 2024.

Trustee Crossman moved; Trustee McDonald seconded to waive the reading of the public notice of the Proposed 2024/2025 Combined General Town, General Assistance, and Special Police Protection Budget & Appropriation Ordinance Hearing having already been posted in several public buildings in the Township, on the Township of Lyons' Website and published in the Desplaines Valley News and the La Grange Suburban Life on February 22, 2024.

Voice Vote in favor by all.

Motion Carried

8. Supervisor Getty asked for a motion to approve the Final 2024/2025 Combined General Town, General Assistance, and Special Police Protection Budget & Appropriation Ordinance as posted and presented. Supervisor Getty stated that very minor changes were made overall to the budget. The Final Combined General Town Budget, however, was increased slightly to reflect a 3% pay increase across the board for all non-elected employees instead of the 2.5% increase originally proposed, thus reflecting a higher Final Combined General Town Budget than Proposed.

Trustee Anderson moved; Trustee Crossman seconded to approve the Final Proposed 2024/2025 Combined General Town, General Assistance, and Special Police Protection Budget & Appropriation Ordinance as amended and stated above.

Roll Call: Ayes: Anderson, Crossman, Kelly, McDonald, Getty  
Nays: None

Motion Carried

9. *Public Comment* – NONE

10. *Adjournment* – Trustee Kelly moved; Trustee McDonald seconded to adjourn the meeting at 5:43 p.m.

Voice Vote in favor by all.

Motion Carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "George Pach".

George Pach

Deputy Clerk, Township of Lyons