

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the
Carbondale Township Board of Trustees
217 E Main St. Carbondale IL
Thursday, December 11, 2025

Supervisor Dennis Poshard called the meeting to order at 4:00 pm. Clerk Susan Metcalf called the roll: present were Poshard and Metcalf, Trustees Campbell, Clark, and Toliver. Also present were Assessor Kelley and Fire Chief Bilderback.

Approval of the minutes of the November 13, 2025 regular meeting: Campbell/Toliver moved to approve. All Aye.

Public Comment: None

Unfinished Business: None

Fiscal Matters:

- Supervisor Poshard presented the Town bills for approval. Campbell/Toliver moved to approve. Roll Call: Campbell, Clark, Toliver, and Poshard. All Aye.
- Supervisor Poshard presented the Road bills for approval. Toliver/Campbell moved to approve. Roll Call: Campbell, Clark, Toliver, and Poshard. All Aye.

Correspondence: We received an actuarial valuation for the Fire Department Pension Fund of 168.7%.

New Business: Tax Levies 2026-04 and 2026-05

- Supervisor Poshard presented the Town levy, Township Ordinance 2026-05 for approval. It is \$45,000 over last year's levy, with extra money going to personnel. The Fire Department has a reduction on the pension fund which will be added to the equipment fund. Clark/Campbell moved to approve. Roll Call: Campbell, Clark, Toliver, Poshard. All Aye.
- Supervisor Poshard presented the Road levy, Township Ordinance 2026-04 for approval. It is \$21,300 over last year's levy, mostly for personnel. Campbell/Toliver moved to approve. Roll Call: Campbell, Clark, Toliver, Poshard. All Aye.

Highway Commissioners Report: Attached

Assessor's Report: Assessor Kelley reported that he is still going through the appeals, as well as transfer documents.

Fire Chief's Report: Attached.

General Assistance Report: Attached.

Announcements: Supervisor Poshard read a message from Erin Ashley, Project Coordinator of Spark 618 confirming that they are proceeding as planned to opening on December 15. Discussion of the news that the City will not be providing any funding to service programs next year.

Adjournment: Toliver/Clark moved to adjourn. Supervisor Poshard closed the meeting at 4:25.

Susan Metcalf
Town Clerk