

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE TOWN BOARD OF
TRUSTEES OF THORNTON TOWNSHIP
HELD IN THE TOWN HALL IN
SOUTH HOLLAND, ILLINOIS TELECONFERENCE: (786)535-3211 ACCESS
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January 10, 2022

Thornton Township Clerk called the Thornton Township Board of Trustees Meeting to order at 11:19 a.m. Clerk Wells did the roll call.

PRESENT: Trustees Joyce M. Washington, Gerald “Jerry” Jones, Christopher Gonzalez, and Darlene Gray-Everett

ALSO PRESENT: Clerk Loretta C. Wells Highway Commissioner Geary DePue and Attorney Stanley T. Kuser Jr.

ABSENT: Assessor Cassandra Elston

Clerk Loretta Wells entertained a motion to nominate Trustee Washington as Supervisor Pro-Temp. The motion was made by Trustee Jones, seconded by Trustee Gray-Everett. There being no questions or comments, Clerk Wells called the roll.

On the Roll Call, the vote was:

YES: 4 Trustees Jones, Gonzalez, Gray-Everett, and Supervisor Pro-temp Washington
NO: 0 None

There being four affirmative votes, **the motion carried.**

Following the Pledge of Allegiance, the first item of business was Public Comments.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Brunu Sheppard, administrative assistant offered and expressed her support to the board now with the current state of the township, she is making herself available for anything. There were no other comments made.

CLOSED SESSION:

Supervisor Pro-Temp Washington entertained a motion to go into closed session – To discuss the hiring, discipline, performance, compensation and the dismissal of certain personnel, acquisition of real property, matters pending, probable, or imminent litigation. The motion was made by Trustee Gonzalez, seconded by Trustee Jones. There being no questions or comments, Clerk Wells called the roll.

On the Roll Call, the vote was:

YES: 4 Trustees Jones, Gonzalez, Gray-Everett, and Supervisor Pro-temp Washington
NO: 0 None

There being four affirmative votes, **the motion carried.**

The Board entered closed session at 11:27a.m.

The Closed Session ended at 1:35p.m.

ACTIONS FOLLOWING CLOSED SESSION:

Supervisor Pro-Temp Washington entertained a motion to reconvene the Special Meeting of the Town Board of Trustees meeting after the closed session. The motion was made by Trustee Jones, seconded by Trustee Gonzalez. There being no questions or comments, Clerk Wells called the roll.

On the Roll Call, the vote was:

YES: 4 Trustees Jones, Gonzalez, Gray-Everett, and Supervisor Pro-temp Washington
NO: 0 None

There being four affirmative votes, **the motion carried.**

Supervisor Pro-Temp Washington entertained a motion to adjourn. The motion was made by Trustee Gonzalez and seconded by Trustee Gray-Everett. There being no questions or comments, Clerk Wells to call the roll.

On the Roll Call, the vote was:

YES: 4 Trustees Jones, Gonzalez, Gray-Everett, and Supervisor Pro-temp Washington
NO: 0 None

There being four affirmative votes, **the motion carried.**

The Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees adjourned at 1:41 p.m.

X

Joyce M. Washington
Supervisor Pro Temp

X

Darelene Gray-Everett
Trustee

X

Gerald "Jerry" Jones
Trustee

X

Christopher Gonzalez
Trustee

X

Loretta Wells
Clerk