

**THORNTON TOWNSHIP
2025/2026 TENTATIVE BUDGET HEARING
FOR THE ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND
333 E. 162ND STREET, SOUTH HOLLAND, ILLINOIS**

JULY 22, 2025

Thornton Township's Supervisor Harris called the Budget Hearing to order at 5:04p.m. Clerk Nesbit called the roll, Trustees Stubbs, Stanley, Avent, Gonzalez, Commissioner Russell, Assessor Elston and Supervisor Harris are present.

Following the Pledge of Allegiance, the first thing on the agenda was public comments. Clerk Nesbit explained the stipulations and time limits in accordance with the approved ordinance and called up the first person to sign in for public comments. There were 4 Residents that signed up to make Public Comments. Those individuals included: Wendy Kelly Coleman, Gardis Watts, Paul Roberts and Alicia Nichole.

Supervisor Harris asked Finance Director Hunt to present the Road and Bridge Fund Budget. Finance Director Hunt gave an overview of the Road and Bridge Funds' purpose and its tentative budget, following the overview of the budget Supervisor Harris opened the floor to commissioner Antwon Russell to make comments. Commissioner Russell shared the current state and outlook of the Road and Bridge Fund assuring that the revenue and expenses are in good standing and will remain in that good state.

Supervisor Harris opened the floor for the Board Member comments.

Trustee Gonzalez made comments regarding the importance of the Road and bridge fund.

Trustee Stubbs made comments regarding the issues with the flooding in unincorporated areas and asked if Commissioner Russell could elaborate on it.

Trustee Stanley, commended Commissioner Russell on the balanced budget that he presented for the year, we want to make sure the township is in a good position, and everyone is on the same page for now and the future.

Trustee Avent mentioned that she concurs with her counterparts. She made comments on the budget as well.

Supervisor asked for a motion to adopt the 2025/2026 Road and Bridge Fund Budget. Trustee Stanley made the motion and seconded by Trustee Stubbs. Supervisor asked Clerk Nesbit to take the roll.

On the Roll Call, the vote was:

YES: 5 Trustees Stanley, Stubbs, Gonzalez, Avent, and Supervisor Harris

NO: 0 None

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

Supervisor Harris asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was made by Trustee Stubbs and seconded by Trustee Avent. Supervisor Harris asked Clerk Nesbit to take the roll.

On the Roll Call, the vote was:

YES: 5 Trustees Stanley, Stubbs, Gonzalez, Avent, and Supervisor Harris

NO: 0 None

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

The Budget Hearing adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

X

Casey Nesbit
Township Clerk

X

Christopher Gonzalez
Township Trustee

X

Valeria Stubbs
Township Trustee

X

Mary Avent
Township Trustee

X

Byron Stanley
Township Trustee

X

Napoleon B. Harris III
Township Supervisor