



# VILLAGE OF DOLTON

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Alison Key.....Village Clerk

## TRUSTEES

Kiana L. Belcher	Tammie Brown	Andrew Holmes
Jason House	Brittney Norwood	Edward Steave

**VILLAGE OF DOLTON  
NOTICE OF SPECIAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING  
14122 DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DRIVE (Parking Lot)  
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2021  
6:00PM**

## MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER

Called to order at 6:06PM

2. ROLL CALL

Present: (5) Trustee Steave, Norwood, Belcher, Brown, House. Absent (2) Mayor Henyard, Trustee Holmes. Also present was Atty. M. McGrath. Clerk Key request that Trustee House be appointed Mayor Pro-Temp in absence of the Mayor Henyard.

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mayor Pro Temp Jason House

PRAYER – Mayor Pro Temp Jason House

4. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Approval of Ordinance No. 21-009 – The hiring of Legislative Counsel – Trustee House

- Discussion – Trustee Belcher stated the trustees are acting on behalf of the residents. Trustee House stated they are requesting approval to retain Atty. Michael McGrath as legislative counsel for the board of trustees. Board meetings have not been conducted properly and they tried the assistance of a mediator but the Mayor did not show up. Funds are available in the budget for legal counsel. The retainer agreement is for \$175 per hr. other attorneys are getting \$200 per hr. Motion by Trustee Norwood second by Trustee Belcher. Ayes (5) Trustee Steave, Norwood, Belcher, Brown, House. Absent (1) Trustee Holmes Motion Passed.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT

- Minister White: A 40year resident and commend the board. She also wanted know where it state that a sitting Mayor can have security on her block. She mentioned she need security on her block and that she was 65 years old. How could she a resident of Dolton be shut out of Village Hall. She takes offense to the action.
- Sabrina Smith wanted to know if the board knew there was a pantry located in Dolton.
- Jervis Harris has been a resident since 1978 and have a concern regarding landlord meeting and it did not discuss an increase to landlords. Why did the board approve to increase landlord fees





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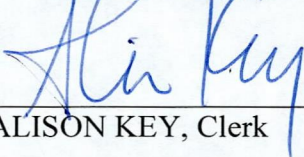
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to \$200? This is too much! Request the board to put this back on the agenda and not agree to the amount. Trustee Norwood mentioned she didn't see a price come across the board. Ms. Harris also asked who is going to pay for the barricades?

- Former Trustee Valarie Stubbs asked the trustees to please take another look at the taxes. Her annual taxes for her property is \$19, 123. Also request the board to look into pending cases, current attorneys are not. Mayor would not do a fee increase for June or July.
- John Kraft stated the Mayor has no authority to cancel the meeting and lock trustees out of Village Hall. Trustees should have keys to the Village Hall.
- There was a verbal altercation by a non-resident (Donkor Parker) who begin to harass the residents and trustees. The meeting was closed based on the disruption.
- Motion by Trustee House second by Trustee Brown Ayes (5) Trustee Steave, Norwood, Belcher, Brown, House. Absent (1) Trustee Holmes.

6. ADJOURNMENT: 6:50PM

  
ALISON KEY, Clerk

APPROVED by the Board of Trustees

*7th day of February, 2022*

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TIFFANY HENYARD, Mayor