

Township Clerk's Report to the New Trier Board of Trustees -- June 2012



Dear Board Members:

Here are some details of various activities of the township clerk's office since December 2011:

- Attendance at the following meetings, events and functions:

Dec. 23, 2011	Visits to Cook County Clerk's Office, Dept. of Revenue and Board of Elections -Chicago
Jan. 11, 2012	ATM Coordinating/Planning Meeting- Winnetka
Jan. 19, 2012	TOCC Trustees Division Meeting/Seminar- Arlington Hts.
Feb. 15, 2012	BGA Forum on Township Government- Evanston
Mar. 1, 2012	TOCC Clerks Association Meeting- Palos Park
Apr. 10, 2012	Annual Town Meeting- Northfield
May 3, 2012	TOCC Clerks Association Meeting- Orland Park
May 17, 2012	TOCC Spring Conference- Countryside
Jun. 8, 2012	TOCC Clerks Assoc. Exec.Committee- Palos Hills
- Annual Town Meeting (ATM): 163rd gathering held once again at the North Shore Senior Center in Northfield. Guest speaker Hon. Toni Preckwinkle, President of the Cook County Board, addressed the audience about the many pressing issues and challenging topics facing Cook County government today. A large turnout of residents and friends of the township warmly welcomed President Preckwinkle. The outstanding group of township service award winners was featured on the cover and in an article in the May 2012 issue of *Quintessential New Trier Magazine*.
- *Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)*: Responded to two FOIA requests.
- Voter Registration: Seventy-three new voter registration cards have been accepted here at the township office since the Dec. 2011 report.
- Voter Services: Assisted numerous township residents providing information about the Presidential Primary Election on March 20, 2012 by responding to calls and e-mails.
- Vehicle Sticker Sales: Seventeen Cook County wheel tax vehicle stickers have been sold and/or distributed at our township office to residents living in the township's unincorporated area since the Dec. 2011 report. The Cook County Board voted to double the sticker fees.
- Filed the Tax Levy Ordinance, Truth in Taxation Certificate of Compliance and the Budget and Appropriation Ordinance with the Cook County Clerk and Department of Revenue.
- Published official notices in the *Pioneer Press* for the Annual Town Meeting and the Public Open Hearing on the Budget.
- Serve as the Treasurer of the TOCC -Clerks Association.

It continues to be an honor serving as your township clerk.

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