

State of Illinois

Kendall County

Town of Kendall

At the regular monthly Town Meeting held in said town and county, in the state of Illinois at Kendall Township Hall on Tuesday July 18, 2023. Meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Supervisor Steve Gengler. Township officials present were Steve Gengler Supervisor, Doug Westphal Highway Commissioner, Cathy Scalise, Kendall Township Assessor, Steve Grebner, Town Clerk and trustees: Carolyn Pottinger, Zach Turnbow, Doug Thanepohn and Don Hirsch. Guests present were Dan Assell and Sandra Knutson-Grebner

Supervisor Gengler lead the board in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Section III: Sheriff Department Update: Sheriff's Department Rep was unable to attend and Clerk Grebner supplied a written report of Sheriff activity in township for month of June to date. (See Attachment A). Trustee Pottinger asked if we could ascertain the statute or ordinance that covers the use of electric skateboards on township/city roads. Clerk Grebner said he would pass that on to the powers that be and find out an answer at by next regular meeting.

Section IV: Public Comment - None

Section V: Minutes from June meeting were read. Motion was then made to approve the minutes by Don Hirsch and seconded by Zach Turnbow and motion passed with Trustee Thanepohn abstaining due to his absence at last meeting.

Section VI: Financial Business: General Funds and Road District bills were reviewed and motion to approve was made by Zach Turnbow and seconded by Doug Thanepohn. Motion was approved unanimously.

Reports:

Assessor: Assessments are due to the county from township on August 1st. Workload is very typical for this time of year, but measuring a large number of homes to improve the accuracy of our data. Many new people moving in and not familiar with the relationship and duties of the County vs the Township. They are asking for clarity on the differences between our records and those of the county. In light of this activity, Assessor requested the township website include a statement of the purpose of the increased activity of measuring homes. Clerk Grebner said he would post it. (completed)

Highway Commissioner: Paving is completed – Immanuel from Walker to Ament and Ament from Immanuel to Rt 47 as is striping. Edges as well as center line and passing zones are done. Highway Commissioner stated the Township's share of the repaving was \$168K of the total \$386K. Repairs to culverts etc. are starting in earnest. Highway Commissioner wanted to put on the record that House Bill #2781 which increased the contribution to the Highway and Bridge funds (which haven't been increased since the 1970s) have been increased from \$15M to \$60M so that should help fund some of our planned repairs in the next fiscal year.

Clerk's Report: Shared copy of Sheriff's Dept Activity – (as mentioned above). See attachment "A". Also reviewed the NPDES annual Evaluation survey. This is an annual survey of township and it's awareness of environmental plans and information available from the County/State as well as providing a ranking of topics on which we have interest. Clerk Grebner will post our board's responses on our website. Also did mention the Supervisor and Clerk attended the 2nd Kendall County Hazard Mitigation meeting last week. Included in that meeting were some ideas about hazard Mitigation projects specific to the Township submitted to County and State to review/discuss. Next meeting will dive into more specific items. Once complete, there will be a public meeting by County to review findings. Clerk Grebner committed to post our plans (no guarantee to be completed) to our website.

Supervisor: Supervisor reported he attended TOI meetings in Rockford and Bloomington to improve the quality of our monthly meetings as well as get advice on the Decennial Meeting and how better to administrate our General Assistance program.

The Licensing Agreement for FiberFin has been completed and just awaiting document for signatures.

Other Items/Information: None

No other items were brought forth and motion to adjourn was made by Doug Thanepohn and Seconded by Carolyn Pottinger at 8:38 PM. Approved unanimously by voice vote. Meeting was adjourned.

Next meeting August 15, 2023 at 7:30 PM at Township Building.

Respectfully submitted by Steve Grebner Kendall Township Clerk

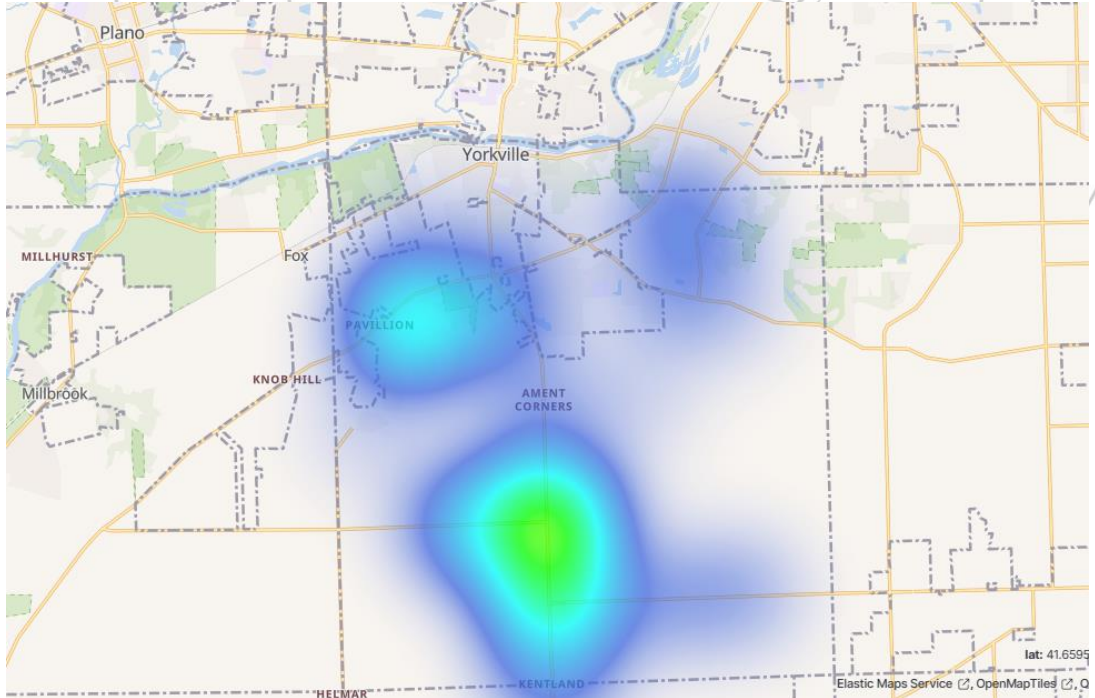
Attachment A

Kendall Township Sheriff Activity for July 2023

2023 Month to Date (July)



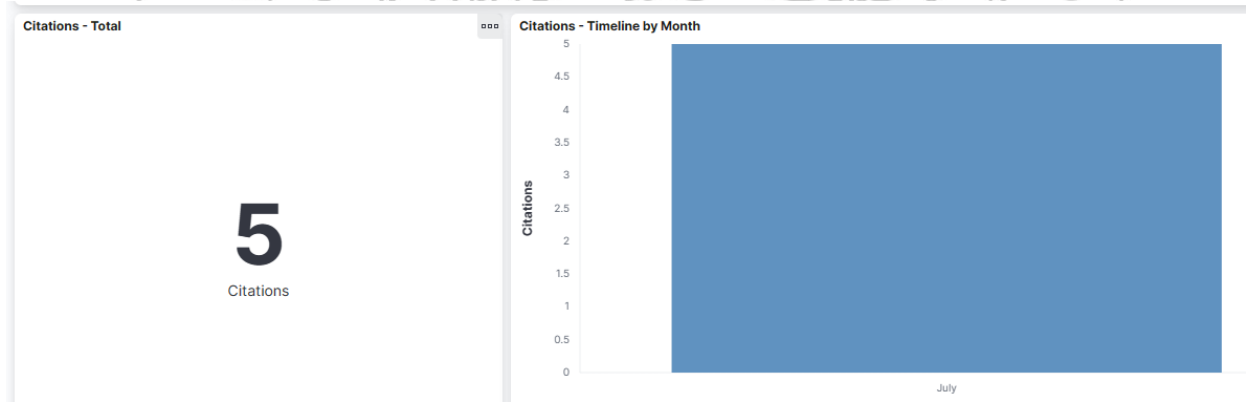
Top Call Types	Incidents
TRAFFIC STOP	34
FOLLOW-UP INVESTIGATION	5
MOTORIST ASSIST	4
ANIMAL COMPLAINT	2
CITIZEN ASSIST POLICE	2
ASSIST OTHER AGENCY	1
BATTERY	1
BURGLAR ALARM	1
BURGLARY	1
COMMUNITY CONTACT	1
CRIM DAMAGE TO PROPERTY	1
DETAIL	1
FIREWORKS	1
LOCKOUT	1
OTHER PUBLIC COMPLAINT	1



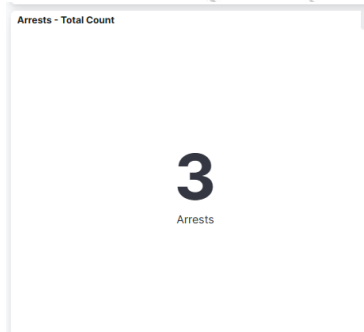
July Month to Date all townships:

Township	Total Incidents	Traffic Stops	% of Traffic Stops
Big Grove	13	1	8%
Bristol	185	22	12%
Fox	49	19	39%
Kendall	65	34	52%
Lisbon	69	56	81%
Little Rock	40	3	8%
Oswego Twnp	350	81	23%
Na Au Say	35	11	31%
Seward	35	13	37%
Total Twnshs	841	240	29%
All Others	256	109	43%

Citations Month to date (July)



Arrests Month to Date (July)



2022 Month (July)

56

Count of Incidents

