Bensenville Fire Protection Dist. 1 P. C. Box 225 Bensenville, IL 80100

## MINUTES OF THE SEPTEMBER 15, 2021 MEETING

1. CALL TO ORDER AT 6:55 P.M.

2. PLEDG OF ALLEGIANCE BY PRESIDENT GUERINO

3. ROLL CALL: GUERINO, AGONATH PRESENT. NOWAK ABSENT. ALSO PRESENT PAUL DEMICHELE AND ATTORNEY CONROY

4. THE PUBLIC HEARING TO ADOPT A LEVY MORE THAN 105% OF LAST YEAR WAS OPENED. THE FOLLOWING EXPLANATION WAS PRESENTED. "WE ARE ASKING FOR A 51.5 % INCREASE WE ARE REQUIRED BY CONTRACT TO LEVY AT OUR MAXIMUM TAX RATE OF .40 (391,000) .BECAUSE OF THE TAX CAP LIMITING OUR DISTRICT, WE WILL RECEIVE APPROXIMATELY \$258,000. OUR ACTUAL TAX RATE HAS GONE DOWN THE LAST 3 YEARS TO .33.

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS BY PETE GIRALDI ACKNOWLEDGING OUR EXPLANATION

6. THE PUBLIC HEARING WAS CLOSED

THE REGULAR MEETING WAS OPENED BY ROLL CALL: GUERINO, AGONATH PRESENT. NOWAK ABSENT THERE WERE NO PUBLIC COMMENTS PRESIDENT GUERINO REPORTED ON THE PROGRESS OF HIS SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO STUDY HB0693

THERE WAS NO OLD BUSINESS

**INFORMATION ITEMS:** DRAFT OF JULY 21 MINUTE WAS PASSED OUT CHASE BANK IS CHANGING OUR ACCOUNT NUMBERS A POINT BY POINT DISCUSSION OF THE LAST FOIA WAS PRESENTED.

THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 7:25