

**Regular Board Meeting of the
Elk Grove Township Board of Trustees
Elk Grove Township Hall
600 Landmeier Rd., Elk Grove Village, IL 60007**

April 27, 2026

Minutes

- I. Call to Order Supervisor Scaletta called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm, which was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
- II. Roll Call Supervisor Scaletta, Trustees Dukes, Lugiari, Stajniak, Wynkoop, Assessor Carosielli, Clerk Satern. Also in attendance: Administrator Manzo, Financial Director Renz, Director of Social Services Corey Dewey, Director of Counseling Luanne Pross, Director of Youth Services Renee Dorn
- III. Public Comment None
- IV. Consent Agenda
 - A. Authorization for Payroll/Bills – Town Fund, General Assistance, Road Dept. & Sewer
 - B. Department Reports – Administrative Services, Social Services, Food Pantry, Youth Services, Adult & Family Counseling

Administrative Services – There were 746 bus rides in March, compared with 765 rides last March. Transportation was up 15% from last year. Twelve residents used the Medical Lending Closet.

Social Services – General Assistance numbers stayed stable and CEDA increased to 844 year-to-date, with 766 last year-to-date. There was a 67% increase in senior health insurance applications. The department attended the Metropolitan Township Association Social Services Committee at York Township and a Senior Services wrap around services meeting in Mount Prospect.

Food Pantry – We are serving about 1100 households a month. Food Pantry Director Kailee Tomasic was invited to be on the Greater Chicago Food Depository Committee. Their deliveries to the Food Pantry have increased to weekly deliveries. There was an 87% increase in donations over last year and a 68% increase in volunteer hours over last year.

Youth Services – Bike Safety held classes at the Blackhawk and Oasis Mobile Home Parks with free helmets given out. They are also having Bike Safety classes for students in District 59. The department is instrumental in making a difference in our local school districts. The number of students served in 2026 almost doubled from 2025.

Counseling – There were 310 counseling sessions with 101 clients in March. This year 950 clients were served, compared to 912 served last year. This year there have been almost 3000 sessions, as compared to 1825 sessions last year. There is only one resident on the waiting list. Congratulations to Priya Vadaya Bhatt for passing her LCPC. We now have four licensed therapists on our counseling staff.

Trustee Lugiari made a Motion to approve the Consent Agenda and Trustee Dukes seconded it. *The Motion passed on a 5-0 roll call vote.*
- V. Approval of Minutes

A. March 30, 2026 Regular Board Meeting Minutes
Trustee Wynkoop made a Motion to approve the Minutes of the March 30, 2026 Regular Board Meeting Minutes and Trustee Stajniak seconded the Motion. ***The Motion passed on a 5-0 roll call vote.***

B. March 30, 2026 Public Hearing Minutes
Trustee Wynkoop made a Motion to approve the Minutes of the March 30, 2026 Public Hearing Meeting and Trustee Lugiari seconded the Motion. ***The Motion passed on a 5-0 roll call vote.***

VI. Presentations None

VII. Reports: Acceptance of Township Elected Officials' Monthly Reports

A. Assessor - Assessor Carosielli provide a written report and stated that the Assessor's Office has been very busy with filing exemptions. She is doing a presentation with three other Township Assessors in South Barrington and will be attending the Cook County Assessor's Association meeting where they will be hearing from the County Treasurer's Office regarding outstanding refunds due to residents.

B. Clerk – Clerk Satern provided a written report with one FOIA, and the filing and acceptance by Cook County of the 2026-27 Township budgets.

C. Supervisor – Supervisor Scaletta provided the following updates and events attended:

1. Meeting regarding collection of nonfood essentials for Food Pantry by Arlington Heights staff with help from the Boy Scouts. Items will be shared between the Wheeling Township and Elk Grove Township Food Pantries.
2. Elk Grove Village Rotary Club luncheon – thanked them for their donations to Youth Services
3. Character Counts Coalition monthly meeting – thanked them for their support
4. Elk Grove Village State of the Village Address - with Administrator Manzo and Social Services Director Dewey
5. Meeting and Township tour with Robert Aiello, President of St. Viator
6. Township Volunteer Luncheon – 65 volunteers attended, with games and raffles.
7. Accepted donations of over 20,000 items from Elk Grove Village's 70th Anniversary Food Drive.
8. Township Officials of Cook County Supervisors Meeting
9. Veteran's Assistance Commission of Cook County breakfast
10. Veterans and Senior Citizens Resource Fair hosted by Rep. Grasse

Trustee Dukes made a Motion to approve the Township Elected Officials' Monthly Reports and Trustee Lugiari seconded the Motion. ***The Motion passed on a 5-0 roll call vote.***

VIII. Correspondence None

IX. Old Business None

X. New Business None

XI. Discussion and Comments from Trustees Trustee Wynkoop thanked Administrator Manzo and Facilities Manager Romero Reyes for being flexible with the recent facilities issues at the Township. He also shared that Trustee Lugiari was named (DAR) Daughter of the Revolution - History Teacher of the Year for Illinois. Trustee Lugiari stated that the local chapter of DAR is the Eli Skinner Chapter and many of our local students recently received scholarships from them.

XII. Executive Session Matters None

XIII. Adjourn Trustee Wynkoop made a Motion to Adjourn and Trustee Lugiari seconded the Motion. *The Motion passed on a 5-0 roll call vote.* The Meeting adjourned at 7:25 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Suellen Satern". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Suellen Satern
Elk Grove Township Clerk