VVCA MINUTES March 5th 2020 MEETING

MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 7:08PM

Treasurers' report

December Ending Bal: \$1431.26 Jan \$1180.25 Feb \$1900.11

Motion to accept by: Steve Vanscyoc

2nd by: Keith Tikovitch Passed by a voice vote

Read the minutes of the December 5th 2019 Meeting

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2nd by: Steve Vanscyoc

Motion passed by a voice vote.

Dick Barr our County Board Rep. was our Guest Speaker. (17 people present)

Discussed School District 41 referendum

Lake County balanced Budget, AAA Bond rating

Lowered Tax Base Levy

On \$250,000 lowered about \$10

City of Lake Villa now uses the county B&B for permits and inspections

Narcan is now Carried by Sheriffs

Opioid use is down and Methamphetamines is up.

211 program is up and running, United Way runs it

\$500,000/yr. Gaming Revenue \$80,000 funded by the county

Flooding Events

4yrs ago drought biggest since 1910

RTA sales tax 100% funds roads/transportation

Gas Tax Some money goes to roads (19 cent hike has a lot of pork)

Lobbying for more gas tax money to roads

53 extension is officially dead (Last June)

Idot 53 extension property will go into Forest Preserves and Economic Development.

Tourism \$1.4 billion/yr. \$100mil chain of lakes

Leaf burning is still in committee

County could add a Gas Tax 4-8 cents a gal.

Tax has a negative effect on Business for 12 miles along border

And a Plus effect for 4 miles on the other side of border

Motion in Springfield to move all referendums to the Fall Elections

Minimum 1yr between referendums.

Tax Payer Protection Act (Tom Weber)

Motion to adjourn at 8:15 by Keith Tokovitch

2nd by: Steve Vanscyoc Passed by a voice vote