

Naperville Township Press Release – November 30, 2016

Naperville Township Trustee Anderson Resigns upon Election to DuPage County Board

On November 29, 2016, the Naperville Township Board of Trustees accepted the resignation of Trustee Janice Anderson following her election earlier this month to the DuPage County Board. The resignation was effective immediately upon the Township Board's 3-0 vote last night. Ms. Anderson will be sworn into office as a DuPage County Board Commissioner for District 5 on December 5 at 6:30 PM at the DuPage County Inauguration Ceremony in Wheaton.

In her remarks, Ms. Anderson stated, "it has been a pleasure to work on the behalf of the taxpayers of Naperville Township since 2013." She encouraged the board to continue its transparency and modernization initiatives to streamline and improve local government for taxpayers and all the residents of the township. After becoming involved as a citizen advocate for reforming costly township health insurance policies and coverage for part-time elected officials, Ms. Anderson was elected as a reform candidate for township trustee in 2013. She is most proud of her role in launching the local narrative to make local government more efficient, starting with the township road district collaboration opportunity and putting new fiscal processes in place which recently led to a permanent reduction in the township's property tax levy of 10.3%

Township Supervisor Rachel Ossyra, Trustee Kerry Malm and Trustee Anderson voted to accept the resignation. Trustees Paul Santucci and Bob Wegner were absent from the meeting. The Board is currently working to fill the vacancy by appointment. The individual appointed to the vacancy shall hold the office for the remainder of Ms. Anderson's unexpired term, until May, 2017, and must be 1) a legal voter and resident of Naperville Township for at least 1 year; and 2) a member of the same political party – Republican.

Approved for release by Rachel Ossyra, November 30, 2016.