

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of Lawrence Township Trustees

Regular Meeting

Held October 28, 2021

The Trustees of Lawrence Township met in regular session at 7:00PM. in the Charles E. Lundenberger Memorial Meeting Room. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Haueter. All Trustees were present.

Minutes Approved.

The above bills were approved by the Board and checks were written.

PUBLIC SPEAKS

Bolivar Fire Chief Lynch advised the Trustees that the fire department adopted the changes to their Articles of Incorporation stating that if the fire department was to dissolve, all assets would stay in Lawrence Township, per the fire department contract of 2021. The Articles were sent to the Secretary of State to have registered. Fire Department received a FEMA grant for \$69,470 and will use the funds for fire gear.

MEETING

Chairman Haueter made a **motion** to not request a hearing for the renewal of Speedway LLC liquid license, seconded by Ritterbeck. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes. **Motion** passed. Ackerman made a **motion** to approve the Rail Road Request to close Eberhart Rd. at the rail road crossing November 1-5 for repairs, seconded by Ritterbeck. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes. **Motion** passed. Ritterbeck made a **motion** to allow the Bolivar Baseball/Softball Association to store a trailer on township property through the winter, pending signature of Hold Harmless agreement, seconded by Ackerman. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes. **Motion** passed. Ritterbeck made a **motion** to donate the old grapple bucket to the Village of Strasburg, seconded by Ackerman. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes. **Motion** passed. Ritterbeck made a **motion** for the township to apply for the ODOT Township Stimulus Program of \$250,000 for work on Welton Rd along with a Memorandum of Understanding with Sandy Township, seconded by Haueter. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes. **Motion** passed. McNutt checked the roads and road signs and ordered two road signs. McNutt advised trustees that he will have one port-a-john removed from the park for the winter, leaving one. McNutt is cutting back part time employee's hours as mowing is slowing down, township hall will be used for voting and salt is being ordered. Weekley is reaching out to owners of empty lots in Holly Heights about getting them mowed. Weekley presented trustees with two nuisance abatement motions regarding property on Melrose Circle with junk vehicles and Russell Drive with grass not being maintained. Ritterbeck made a **motion** to send letters regarding the Russell Drive property, seconded by Haueter. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes. **Motion** passed. Ritterbeck made a **motion** to send letters regarding the Melrose Circle property and junk vehicles, seconded by Haueter. Ritterbeck:yes; Haueter:yes; Ackerman:yes. **Motion** passed. The Board then discussed Township affairs in general and a motion to adjourn was made and so ordered by the Chairman.

ATTEST:

_____, Fiscal Officer
Ann Marie Ackerman

_____, Trustee
Donald Ackerman

APPROVED:

_____, Chairman
Michael Haueter

_____, Trustee
Matthew Ritterbeck