

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of Lawrence Township Trustees

Regular Meeting

Held November 11, 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 and fiscal officer gave trustees bank reconciliation for October, 2021.

PUBLIC SPEAKS

Mayor Scott Gordon advised Trustees that Zoar resident responses to Cherry Hill issue does not warrant pursuing sewer, and Trustees agreed based on response from Lawrence Township residents, and will send a letter out letting those residents know. Gavin Thompson of Old Orchard Dr. presented Trustees with various issues regarding the Old Hilltop Development which he lives across from, from construction vehicles damaging his yard, dirt and mud on road in front of his house and his vehicles, detention pond holding water making the mosquito issue intolerable, and vehicles speeding on his road. Trustees apologized for the issues he's having, agreed to provide cones Mr. Thompson asked for and will talk to the developer and see what can be resolved.

MEETING

Chairman Haueter made a **motion** to appoint Trustee Ackerman as delegate to the Tuscarawas County Health Department District Advisory Council, seconded by Ritterbeck. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes, **motion** passed. Haueter made a **motion** to move the next meeting to Wednesday, November 24 due to Thanksgiving, seconded by Ritterbeck. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes, **motion** passed. Ackerman received a letter of resignation from George Downes, Chairman of the Zoning Commission effective December 31, 2021. Ackerman thanked Downes for his years of volunteer service on the Zoning Commission and Board of Zoning Appeals. Ackerman made a **motion** to appoint Zoning Commission alternate, Sally Storad to the Zoning Commission board, seconded by Ritterbeck. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes, **motion** passed. Ackerman made a **motion** to approve mileage, lodging and related expenses to attend the Ohio Township Association convention January 26-28, 2022, seconded by Ritterbeck. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes, **motion** passed. Ackerman thanked residents who pick up trash along the walking trail and the towpath trail. McNutt advised trustees that crack seal is complete and trucks and equipment are ready for winter, and that there are trees that need trimmed along roads. Ackerman made a **motion** to allocate \$5,000 to tree trimming along the roads, seconded by Haueter. Haueter:yes; Ritterbeck:yes; Ackerman:yes, **motion** passed. McNutt advised trustees that crack seal and a new road will need to be discussed in 2022 for the cemetery. Martina Mann advised trustees that the Ohio & Erie Canalway grant funding was received. Trustees thanked them for their support and the blower has been an asset to the township. 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