

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of Lawrence Township Trustees

Regular Meeting

August 25, 2022

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 Ritterbeck. All Trustees were present.

Minutes from the August 11, 2022 regular meeting were approved.

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

PUBLIC SPEAKS

French Hill resident complained on how the mowing was handled along side the road, Trustees will look into the matter; an Eberhart Rd. resident thanked the road crew for their road work; Scott Gordon, Mayor of Zoar, asked Trustees for financial help in looking into tying the tornado siren at the repurposed fire station to the county system and look at a storm drain pipe that is washing out close to the walking trail that the Village of Zoar would like to extend, Trustees will look into the issues; two residents at the Olde Hilltop development asked Trustees for help resolving the ongoing detention basin issue with the developer and Zoning Inspector Weekley will reach out to the developer along with Regional Planning; Bolivar Fire Department spokesperson Rick Wigfield advised the fire department is forming a transition committee and will reach out to Trustees in the future and want to start contract negotiations for the 2023 fire contract.

MEETING

Trustee Ackerman asked McNutt to check on trees growing under power towers and Trustees need to begin taking applications for retiring McNutt. Trustee Haueter will reach out to legal council regarding replacing McNutt. McNutt checked all roads and road signs; advised AEP is putting in new lines on Eberhart; the Industrial Park sign was cleaned but will need some maintenance work; once tree trimming is complete, McNutt will advise if additional trees need trimmed; new backhoe is scheduled to be delivered October 15; paving on Olde Orchard, Arrowhead and Hunters Green should begin early September. Zoning Inspector Weekley advised the abandoned house on Sherman Church is being demolished. Fiscal Officer Ackerman advised the Township qualified for an Agreed-Upon Procedures Engagement rather than a Full Audit for 2020 and 2021 audit period which will result in less cost to the Township, former Fiscal Officer McClellan offered to be on hand, if needed, for the Procedures Engagement and Bureau of Workers Compensation audit is scheduled for October. Mann reminded Trustees of Scrap Tire event Saturday, September 10 at the township from 9-12 or when the hoppers are full. Maximum of 10 tires per person, no rims or commercial tires accepted. The Board then discussed Township affairs in general and a motion to adjourn was made and so ordered by the Chairman.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

_____, Fiscal Officer
Ann Marie Ackerman

_____, Chairman
Matthew Ritterbeck

_____, Trustee
Donald Ackerman

_____, Trustee
Michael Haueter