

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of Lawrence Township Trustees

Regular Meeting

May 8, 2025

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 Trustee Haueter. Trustee Ackerman was absent.

Minutes from the April 24, 2025 regular meeting were approved

The above bills were approved by the Board and checks were written and fiscal officer presented Trustees with the April 2025 bank statement.

PUBLIC SPEAKS

Bolivar Fire Chief Lynch thanked Lawrence Township Trustees and residents of Lawrence Township for their support in passing the Fire Levy. Lynch presented to Trustees the option of purchasing a new ambulance with a potential delivery date out two- and one-half years. Trustees will schedule a work session to discuss the purchase. Sparks of Giving has been moved to September 2025 and Lynch has been working with promoters of fire works to get necessary permits.

RESOLUTION

Haueter made a **motion** to approve **Resolution 16-25 To Change 10 Day Requirement Period for Issuing a Zoning Permit to 30 Days**, seconded by Ritterbeck. Haueter: yes; Ritterbeck: yes. **Motion passed.**

MEETING

The Township received three sealed bids for the 2011 Ford truck and the winning bid was for \$5,500. The Township received two sealed bids for the chip & seal and the winning bid was 2020 Enterprises in the amount of \$3.43 per gallon for liquid asphalt. Ritterbeck made a **motion**, seconded by Haueter to approve 2020 Enterprises for the chip & seal work. Haueter: yes; Ritterbeck: yes. **Motion** passed. Road Superintendent Myers presented Trustees the asphalt bid from Tuscarawas County Engineer's Office. Ritterbeck made a **motion**, seconded by Haueter to approve Northstar Asphalt Inc. for \$104,799. Haueter: yes; Ritterbeck: yes. **Motion** passed. Myers advised Trustees that culvert work on Eberhart is complete, asphalt repair on Lawnridge complete, still working on berming to prepare for chip & seal, and curb side mowing has started. Zoning Inspector Weekley provided Trustees with an updated driveway permit and Haueter made a **motion**, seconded by Ritterbeck to approve the new driveway permit. Haueter: yes; Ritterbeck: yes. **Motion** passed. Ritterbeck made a **motion**, seconded by Haueter to adopt the Tuscarawas County version of the driveway permit. Haueter: yes; Ritterbeck: yes. **Motion** passed. Ritterbeck thanked Laura Eckinger for coordinating the annual garage sales, thanked the TVBSA for repairs to sheds used, and Cablecraft, Premere Enterprises and Lawrence Township Joint Recreation District for the use of their property for the TVBSA. Ritterbeck also thanked the road crew for installing the new park benches. Martina Mann advised that the Reeves Foundation check was received for the grant for the generator and is sending a thank you letter out, M.O.R.E. grant check was received and presented Trustees with an updated quote for generator and installation. Due to the increase since the original quotes, Ritterbeck made a **motion**, seconded by Haueter to purchase a generator from Millersburg Electric along with a 10-year full parts and labor warranty and increasing the Township portion to \$15,211.40. Haueter: yes; Ritterbeck: yes. **Motion** passed. A motion to adjourn was made and so ordered by Chairman Trustee Haueter.

ATTEST:

_____, Fiscal Officer
Ann Marie Ackerman

_____, Trustee
Matthew Ritterbeck

APPROVED:

Absent, Trustee
Donald Ackerman

_____, Chairman
Michael Haueter