

Minutes of the Board of Licking Township Trustees, Regular Meeting, held at the Township Hall Jacksontown, OH at 7:00pm on June 6, 2005.

Mr. Miller called the meeting to order with the following members present: Dave Miller, Ron Acord, Joe Cooper and Jill Linn.

Others present: Joe Walker, Richard Cash, Cindy Fields, Robert Snedden Sr., Mike Briggs, Sheila Lyons, David Elliott, Ross Kirk, Michael Wilson, Rick Rife, Scott Rawdon, Steve Patterson and Charlie Davis.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Attached is a copy of all expenditures totaling \$58,540.99.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved and signed by the Trustees.

There are funds on hand or in the process of collection to pay the attached listed bills. _____, Clerk.

Motion was made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Acord that the attached list of bills be approved as the lawful obligation of Licking Township and the Clerk be directed to issue warrants of the Township in payment of the same. Roll call: Miller, yes; Acord, yes; Cooper, yes.

CORRESPONDENCE: None

David Elliott asked about applying for a zoning permit. Mr. Walker said that he will talk to him after he gives the zoning report.

Mr. Acord made a motion accepting the fire application for Rebecca Helser. Mr. Miller seconded the motion. Roll call: Miller, yes; Acord, yes; Cooper, yes.

Mike Wilson gave the Fire Co. report. There were 62 runs in the month of May. The fire class is complete and two members passed. They are progressing on the repairs on the trucks and building. Mike Wilson gave the Trustees information regarding the purchase of miscellaneous items for the FEMA Grant. Mr. Acord made a motion to spend an estimate amount of \$4400.00, which is the 10% the township will have to pay towards the FEMA Grant. Mr. Cooper seconded the motion. Roll call: Miller, yes; Acord, yes; Cooper, yes.

Mr. Cooper asked if there will be any time that they will be able to get together to discuss the long term plan for the Fire Co. Mike Wilson said yes. The time was set for Thursday, June 16th at 7:00 p.m. at the Fire Co. on Jacksontown Road. A discussion took place regarding run times for the Fire Co.

Joe Walker turned in 5 permits totaling \$490. He patrolled the township and found no violations. In regards to Mr. Stratford in Avon Place, Mr. Walker met with Assistant Prosecutor Tony Stucco and turned in some paperwork. Mr. Stucco mentioned that the case is weak and that they need to talk with the past zoning inspector Jerry Moore to clarify some of the issues.

A discussion took place regarding the purchase of a new tractor and mower. Mr. Miller made a motion to purchase a John Deere 5425 Tractor for \$30805.27. Mr. Acord seconded the motion. Roll call: Miller, yes; Acord, yes; Cooper, yes. Mr. Acord made a motion to purchase a John Deere 390 Heavy Duty Mower for \$3204.70 including the arm plus \$350.00 installed. Mr. Miller seconded the motion. Roll call: Miller, yes; Acord, yes; Cooper, yes.

Charlie Davis mentioned that Bob Marshall would like some of the trees cut back on the southside of his driveway on Fairmont Road.

A discussion took place regarding the property owned by Robert Snedden, Sr. Mr. Snedden wanted it stated for the record that he did not agree with the letter from the Trustees regarding the southside of his property. Mr. Cooper and Mr. Acord will go out and talk with Mr. Snedden so that they can come up with a plan.

Mr. Miller mentioned that the report for FEMA is completed and thanked Steve Patterson and Charlie Davis in helping complete the project. Mr. Miller mentioned that we may be getting more money than the original estimate.

The Asphalt Resurfacing Bids were opened.

The Shelly Co. \$116181.00

Kokosing \$117107.25

Ohio Paving \$105222.05

A decision will be made at the next meeting so that the Trustees can review the bids.

Mr. Acord mentioned that The Shelly Co. will doing pavement repair work on Licking Trails. They will be placing 301 asphalt at a depth of 4" to repair the failing base on several section of the road. The cost will be \$6898.50. The Shelly Co. will place 2" of 404 asphalt over the repair work at no cost to the township.

Rick Rife mentioned some of the concerns and solutions of people parking in his yard and on his neighbors yard. He was told by the police officers to put up no parking signs in his yard and if someone does park there they can have them towed. Rick Rife also turned in the bill from Rhonda Carte so that she can be reimbursed \$57.90 for the Norton Internet Security for the township computer.

Richard Cash mentioned that it is better to leave Westview were it is. Mr. Miller agreed and mentioned that he will look into abandoning the other road.

Mr. Cooper mentioned that he will check and see when the ad for a new zoning member was to end and he will get started to set up interview times.

Mr. Miller mentioned that there is a culvert on Hupp Road which needs to be replaced.

Mr. Miller also mentioned that Mr. Cormican did a great job on the cemeteries for the Memorial Day weekend. He mentioned that we should also remember the Lakewood baseball team for winning the state championship.

Mr. Acord made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Miller seconded the motion. Roll call: Miller, yes; Acord, yes; Cooper, yes.

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