

# Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees Minutes

## May 23, 2016

The Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees met on Monday May 23, 2016 to transact business. Chairman Bainum called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM, and all joined in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Guy Bainum, Bari Henning and Gary Jordan answered the roll call. Also present were Adam Cowan, Yvonne Malott, Richard Malott, Trevor Corboy, Meghan Alley, Ed & Vicki Boll, Kris Burgess, Joseph Morgan, Kevin Wiedemann and Brian Tatman.

Mr. Henning motioned to approve the minutes of the last meeting. Mr. Jordan second. All yeas. Mr. Carson had prepared a financial report, including a comprehensive account of expenditures and receipts and the trustees accepted it.

Mr. Jordan motioned to pay the attached bills. Mr. Henning second. All yeas.

Trevor Corboy is with the Ohio State University as Community Development Program Coordinator working from the Clermont County Extension. He has been working with Clermont County Department of Community and Economic Development Director Andy Kuchta. Mr. Corboy is here to help develop the Williamsburg Township and Village if they need or want any assistance. He is letting the Trustees know he would like their ideas for developing the area. He left information on programs that could be used for the Township. All Trustees said they would be glad to work with him.

Kris Burgess and Adam Cowan are with a group of seven citizens that want to see if they can get information to find the fit for the Township and Village to bring in businesses. They don't want just the standard developments such as strip malls. They feel that area has much to offer for example the history, the lake, the community feeling to mention a few. They have been introduced to Mr. Corboy and will be combining their connections with him and the County.

Joe Morgan expressed his thanks to the Trustees for allowing him to follow his dreams. He related that his has passed his EMS testing and greatly appreciates the opportunity that the Trustees have given him.

Guy Bainum said Mrs. Burns had called the Trustees to ask them if they could remove the island that is in the middle of West Fork Ridge Drive at Commons of East Fork Subdivision. The Trustees discussed the problem and decided if there was a significant number of property owners in the subdivision that wanted it removed they would see if they can do that. Mrs. Burns was to try to contact neighbors to find their consensus.

### Zoning Report

Mrs. Malott presented a zoning report. The Trustees had read that report and had only one question. Was the inquiry about the property on Ellis Rd or North Ellis Rd? Mrs. Malott answered that the inquiry was for Ellis Rd.

### Cemetery & Maintenance Report

Mr. Tatman said the grass had been cut at the cemeteries and would have the flags before Memorial Day. They are still setting stones on all the 25 new bases that were poured on Friday May 20. Paul Barash with the County said they will be getting money the 1<sup>st</sup> of July to take care of the any old tires. Mr. Barash also stated that there was a camera put up at the litter collection bins at Eighth St. as businesses are dumping business discards and filling the bin so that regular residence could not use them. The bins are for residence not businesses. Mr. Tatman reinstated that on Junk Days they would not be able to take any tires. He said that the end of Eighth St. will be blocked so that illegal dumping cannot be done after hours and a camera would be put up in the dumping area. They would be putting up their signs for Junk Days and signs stating no tires.

### Emergency Services Report

Mr. Wiedemann reported that he would be off for Graduation because his daughter would be graduating this yea and he would also be off next Friday June 3 as he needed to be in Columbus for a meeting.

The Trustees will discuss removing the dam in the Little Miami East Fork creek at the next meeting. Mr. Bainum is to talk to the County concerning a speed limit sign on Island Trail Rd. They asked Ed Boll if had heard from Teen Challenge for the old chairs. He replied that he had heard nothing.

Mr. Bainum motioned to adjourn at approximately 7:45 p.m. Mr. Henning second. All yeas.

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Fiscal Officer

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Chairman