

Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees Minutes

May 11, 2015

The Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees met on Monday May 11, 2015 to transact business. Chairman Jordan 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 Fiscal Officer, Gregory W. Carson, Ed Boll, Yvonne Malott, Richard Malott, Brian Tatman and Kevin Wiedemann.

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

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

Zoning Report

Mrs. Malott presented a zoning report. She said that she had some calls on pothole problems and she had directed them to the Roads department, but knew that they would be fixed soon. Mr. Tatman confirmed that they were all fixed. She said that she sent a letter to Mike Pope asking him to be on zoning board and she was waiting to hear an answer.

Cemetery & Maintenance Report

Mr. Tatman said that the new mower had arrived and was quickly put into service. He said that he would like to get a weed eater attachment for the 2010 mower that would significantly cut down on weed eating time in the cemetery. He said that he visited Mt. Moriah cemetery and it works great. They said it saved them a lot of time and money. He said that a new one will cost around \$2,700. He said that they bounce off of grave stones so they won't cause damage. He would like to eventually get more than one. Mr. Henning said that he would like for them to try one out for a while before getting another one. Mr. Jordan motioned to purchase a weed eater attachment for a cost of around \$2,700. Mr. Henning second. All yeas. Mr. Tatman said that the summer help has been great and got the entire weed eating job done last week and will do it again before Memorial Day. He said that the rear discharge mower is working out great also. He said that the grass looks so much better and it's not blown on the grave markers. He said that he replaced the pipes at WJAA and they asked if we would help them with their ditch work. Mr. Jordan said that this is a nonprofit and done for the betterment of the community and we would be glad to help.

Emergency Services Report

Mr. Wiedemann said that he has 2 applications, Daniel Seaman and Johnathan Hardman, and would like to put them on the department. Mr. Henning motioned to accept the applications of Daniel Seaman and Johnathan Hardman for the department with standard probationary periods. Mr. Jordan second. All yeas. Mr. Wiedemann said that we can get a grant for up to \$40,000 from OBWC for power cots. He said that 2 new cots will cost around \$74,000 and he thinks we can get a trade in of around \$5,000/cot, which would put our out of pocket at around \$24,000. The trustees asked them to continue to move forward with the grant assuming the #'s are all correct. Mr. Bainum asked if there is anything that they will need as a major expense in the near future. Mr. Wiedemann said that turnout gear and SCBA's could be major expenses in the near future other than an ambulance. He said that they did ladder testing recently and everything turned out fine. He said that they may need furnaces in the bays, because they are old and parts are becoming obsolete. He said that the county is changing over the radio systems this week, but they are doing it in stages with county offices, police departments, emergency services, schools, etc. Mr. Henning reminded him to get the information on new life squads. Mr. Wiedemann said that he has surveys out to the membership and is researching them.

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

Fiscal Officer

Chairman