

Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees Minutes

July 27, 2015

The Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees met on Monday July 27, 2015 to transact business. Vice Chairman Bainum called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM, and all joined in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Guy Bainum and Bari Henning answered the roll call. Also present were Fiscal Officer, Gregory W. Carson, Richard Malott, Megan Alley, Yvonne Malott, Kevin Wiedemann, Ed Boll and Deputy John Schaeffer.

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. Mr. Bainum said that there is a zoning board of appeals meeting in August regarding Mr. Arnold's property. Mr. Bainum said that he will talk to Mr. Rice's son about his dad's property.

Sheriff Report

Deputy Schaeffer gave a report of the number of incidents in all townships and the details of the crimes. Mr. Bainum said that the heroine epidemic is so horrible in this county and we lost another resident this past week from an overdose and it's so sad. Mr. Boll said that his property had some graffiti painted on it this past week and the Shell gas station had some painting on its building also.

Emergency Services Report

Mr. Wiedemann said that he attended a conference last week and looked at some ambulances and he is working on prices, but it's looking to be around the \$200,000 range and they take around 245 days to build a new one. He said that the old one that we plan to replace is in the shop again with an electrical smell. He said that he was looking closely at a Horton. He said that a lot of other Clermont County townships have them and like them. He said that the warranty work has been much better with Horton according to other townships.

Cemetery & Maintenance Report

Mr. Tatman said that there was a power outage a couple of weeks ago at the township hall and the sump pumps stopped working and the basement almost flooded, but they borrowed a generator to take care of the problem, but has now priced new generators. He said that the emergency services would like to get one also for instances when they need them. He said that they would like to get compatible units so that they can be linked together to create more power and he wants to get a light kit so that they can use them at night when necessary. He said that the cost for both units and the light kit is around \$2,360. Mr. Henning motioned to purchase 2 generators with light kit and parallel cord for the fire department and roads department at a cost of around \$2,360. Mr. Bainum second. All yeas. Mr. Bainum asked how often we borrow the road plates from the county and Mr. Tatman said that we borrow them occasionally. Mr. Bainum said that Vice Mayor Weaver asked if the Village and Township would like to buy 4 road plates and share them. He asked Mr. Tatman to get pricing. Mr. Tatman asked about the state lawsuit regarding the salt price gouging. Mr. Henning said that he looked at what we paid during the years involved in this lawsuit and we paid a decent price during those years v/s what the state called a gouged price and didn't think we'd get much benefit if we joined the lawsuit.

Mr. Henning motioned to adjourn at approximately 7:30 p.m. Mr. Bainum second. All yeas.

Fiscal Officer

Chairman