

Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees Minutes

August 10, 2015

The Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees met on Monday August 10, 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, Yvonne Malott, Kevin Wiedemann, Megan Alley, Ed Boll and Brian Tatman.

Mr. Bainum motioned to approve the minutes of the last meeting. Mr. Henning second. All yeas. Mr. Carson presented 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. Bainum second. All yeas.

Mr. Jordan thanked Megan Alley from the Clermont Sun for writing a nice article on our township.

Zoning Report

Mrs. Malott presented a zoning report. Mr. Jordan said that we received notification of an annexation for 280+ acres on the North side of State Route 32 and East side of State Route 133. Mr. Bainum gave a little history on when the village tried to annex it several years ago. Mrs. Malott said that she doesn't know any details of why they plan to annex it.

Cemetery & Maintenance Report

Mr. Tatman said that we had 5 funerals in July which put us up to 45 for the year. He said that there was a car stolen from the township hall last week, but he doesn't know if it was found. He said that paving is scheduled for Cobb Road, but he found out that Verizon is finally putting up their cell tower at the church and it should have a crane place the tower during the first week of September, so he is hoping to push our paving back so that the crane is gone before the paving. He said that he got pricing on steel road plates. He said that he would like to buy 3 and the village is talking about buying 3, which would make 6 available when either the village or township needs them. He said that Frederick Steel was the cheapest at a cost of around \$1,025/each plus delivery. He said that they might negotiate a better price if we order ours with the village. Mr. Jordan motioned to purchase 3 steel plates at a cost no more than \$1,025/each plus delivery from Frederick Steel providing the village purchases 3 also. Mr. Henning second. All yeas.

Emergency Services Report

Mr. Wiedemann gave a copy of the runs for July 2015 and YTD. Mr. Wiedemann said that we received an email from the Engineer's office saying that Clover Road has an emergency road closure. He said that since it's closed, we can't get our bigger trucks back to that part of the township because of the weight limit on the bridge on the adjacent road. He said that he's called the county engineer hasn't called him back. Mr. Tatman said that he would put him in contact with someone else. He said that they would have to dump the water out of the tanker truck before crossing the bridge and then load it on the other side at the hydrant. He said that he would like to send Daniel Seaman for a basic EMT course at UC Clermont and the cost is about \$1,500 and a grant should cover that cost. Mr. Henning motioned to send Daniel Seaman to EMT school. Mr. Bainum second. All yeas. Mr. Wiedemann gave a copy of a change to the SOG for response to potentially violent incidents. He asked if he could send it to our prosecutor to review and the trustees said to send it to him. He said that he is meeting with an ambulance vendor tomorrow and is still waiting to hear back from other vendors on the state bid contract. He said that he knows that we are going to be getting something from a FEMA grant, but doesn't know any details other than we'll be getting something, but he is hoping that it will cover some if not all of the SCBA equipment. He said that he has an updated application to send to the prosecutor to review with the changes that he had suggested. He said that the media is taking more and more pictures of scenes and we have been advised to keep our mouths shut and ask the police to deal with it. Mr. Bainum asked if the weather siren has been fixed at the township hall and Mr. Wiedemann said that he has called for service again.

Mr. Jordan said that there is a zoning board meeting on 8-18-15 and it's posted accordingly.

Mr. Henning motioned to adjourn at approximately 7:50 p.m. Mr. Jordan second. All yeas.

Fiscal Officer

Chairman