

Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees Minutes

May 13, 2019

The Williamsburg Township Board of Trustees met on Monday May 13, 2019 to transact business. Chairperson 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 Fiscal Officer, Gregory W. Carson, Yvonne Malott, Ed Boll, Brian Tatman and Kevin Wiedemann.

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

The trustees thanked the Emergency Services Department for putting the labels on the newsletters and sorting them.

Emergency Services Report

Mr. Wiedemann said that they would like to send Mary Marshall to the Ohio Association Emergency Medical Services Conference from June 21-23, because she does all of the in-house trainings. He said that the conference is \$125, hotel is around \$200 and the per diem for food. Mr. Jordan motioned to send Mary Marshall to this conference and pay all expenses. Mr. Henning second. All yeas. Mr. Wiedemann said that he'd like to send Anthony Dryden to an arson class at a cost of \$400 and he thinks that they can get the money reimbursed from the state. Mr. Bainum motioned to send Anthony Dryden to the conference and pay all expenses. Mr. Henning second. All yeas. Mr. Wiedemann said that the 2009 ambulance had to be sent to Auto & Truck of Williamsburg for repairs again and he is afraid that it's not reliable with all of the continuous problems. He said that the 2003 is still used as the spare, but it has some issues also. He said that we really need to think of a reliable spare ambulance. He said that everyone loves the 2016 and it's the main ambulance and works great, but the 2 spares are having too many issues. The trustees asked him to start getting specs on a new ambulance. Mr. Bainum said that we received a contract from Jackson Township for 2020 life squad services. The trustees agreed that they need time to review the contract before making a decision.

Zoning Report

Mrs. Malott presented a zoning report. She said that she's working on properties in the township that haven't mowed yet. She said that she had to play liaison between Duke Energy and B&J Electric on getting a permit for the Village pump station, but she thinks that they finally figured out what is going on since the property is in the village and not the township.

Cemetery & Maintenance Report

Mr. Tatman said that the county is closing Musgrove Road tomorrow and Wednesday to replace a culvert. He said that they had to replace a pipe on McKeever Schoolhouse. He said that he's getting prices on having a hot mix repair done on 3 different places in that area that they keep cold patching. He said that Wayne Allison is putting the flags out for Memorial Day at the main cemetery for the Legion. He said that we received an email from the Boy Scouts about helping with flags in the cemetery and he said that he replied to let them know what they could and couldn't do. He said that they have 15 footers to do in the cemetery and hope to get them done this week during the dry spell that is coming this week, but the constant rain is causing delays in getting them done. He said that mowing is hard also because of all of the rain, but they are doing their best. He said that he is working on the grant for the signs and is working with the Village to get all of them done. He said that he's contacted different paving companies to get quotes on the repair work that needs to be completed and will have them to report at the next meeting. Mr. Bainum said that the roads in the Commons of Eastfork are in bad shape. Mr. Henning said that the county dumped those roads on the township and we don't feel that they were up to specs when they were turned over to us. Mr. Tatman described the reasons that they didn't meet county specs and should have never been turned over with the poor installation. Mr. Henning said that it could cost \$500-600K or more to have them repaired. Mr. Tatman said that is 10-15 years of the road budgets.

Mr. Wiedemann said that they did 4 hours of sprinkler testing at Designs Within Reach last week and they received full occupancy and are moving inventory into the building. He said that they are talking about adding another 100,000 square feet before the end of the year. He said that he has talked to them about doing fire testing in the building and they are willing to allow it.

Mr. Jordan said that we received an email about Rumpke trash service from an older resident who is concerned about where they are picking up his trash. He said that he thinks that this is the same resident that has contacted us a few times and is suggesting that the resident could possibly get a doctor's excuse to provide to Rumpke. He said that he's concerned, because Rumpke keeps pushing these residents off on the township trustees, but he feels that the issues are actually Rumpke's issues that they need to handle, but we are willing to help the residents as needed, because the contract states that they will work with customers who have physical issues if they have a doctor's excuse to provide limited walk-up service.

Mr. Bainum said that we received a letter from The Williamsburgh Harmony Hill Association, Inc. thanking us for support and gave all the details of what they have done over the past year.

Mr. Jordan motioned to adjourn at approximately 8:15 p.m. Mr. Henning second. All yeas.

Fiscal Officer

Chairperson