

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING
HELD Thursday, October 5, 2023 7:30pm

Meeting was called to order by Mr. Dave Yoder. All members were present. Also present were Fiscal Officer, Annette Depue, Zoning Inspector, Tim Boggs, and Road Superintendent, Andy Romoser. Additionally, resident Jason Miller, who resides at 2803 Hillcrest Drive. Mr. Jack Butler made a motion to waive the reading of the minutes and to pay the bills, approve Purchase Orders, & approve reallocations as presented. Mr. Bob Entenmann seconded the motion and the motion carried with a roll call vote of all ayes.

Mr. Miller attended the meeting to address the registered letter that he received in regards to removing his chickens. He explained that he did not realize that it was a nuisance and asked how long he had to remove them. Everyone agreed that 1 month was suffice.

Mr. Tim Boggs presented a Resolution addressing the Adoption of Section 600.18 Small Solar Facilities. Trustees want to review the Resolution and revisit at the next meeting. Mr. Boggs is working on the zoning board. He needs 2 more people for the hearing scheduled for the rezoning request from Wes New in regards to storage units on Lexington Avenue.

Mr. Romoser reported that the siren cover is complete and will be delivered. He reminded everyone of the Pancake Breakfast on October 7th from 7:00 am -11:00 am. He reported that the Sid Hall project is complete and that Vanderbilt Road is closed due to Columbia Gas pipe repair.

Fiscal Officer, Annette Depue presented paperwork requested from USDA in regards to the loan. Mrs. Depue then distributed the cash summary by fund report.

Mr. Jack Butler suggested that we should think about purchasing a used generator to temporarily use at the new Fire Station since the new one is on backorder. It can then be re-sold. We also need to order Spectrum service for the new Fire Station. Mr. Yoder is taking care of concrete pads for the propane tanks at the new site.

Mr. Entenmann reported that in response to the Koheiser Road resident that complained about speeding, he collected data and submitted it to the County Engineer, Kevin Payne, however, the Village of Bellville has jurisdiction to change their part which would effect our part of the road and additional research would then not be necessary. Mr. Entenmann also discussed the new opportunities that are available to save on continuing education via the OTA. It currently costs \$250 but if all of the Richland County townships participate, it will reduce the cost to \$175. He is currently contacting each township. Mr. Entenmann also presented surrounding township zoning fees that the trustees will compare and Mr. Tim Boggs will also offer his recommendation.

After no further business, Mr. Jack Butler made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Dave Yoder seconded the motion and the motion carried with the meeting ending at 8:41 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

ANNETTE DEPUE, FISCAL OFFICER

DAVID YODER, CHAIR

BOB ENTENMANN, V-CHAIR

JACK BUTLER, TRUSTEE