

WAYNE TOWNSHIP

BUTLER COUNTY, OHIO

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING MEETING JULY 19, 2021

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Wayne Township Trustees

BILL JONES
ED TRUSTER
TIM TAYLOR

Administrator/Zoning

DANIEL HOIT

Fiscal Officer

LAURA DALEY

CALL TO ORDER

Trustee Jones called the July 19th regular Trustees meeting to order at 7:07pm

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Everyone stood for the pledge of Allegiance to our flag.

ROLL CALL

Bill Jones took roll call; all trustees were present; Fiscal Officer Laura Daley was absent.

AUDIENCE OF PUBLIC

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- Minutes will be approved at the next regular meeting August 16th.

PRESENTATIONS

None.

REPORTS

- Fiscal Officer - absent
- Fire- Chief Hoit reported that the Fire Dept. has continued on increased runs. Discussions were had regarding the issues that the squad inverter was causing battery issues, this has been figured out and corrected. Next we have ladder training coming up. The department received a \$37,000 Cox grant, we are purchasing gear, and other items. A thank you note to the foundation is in the works. Ed Truster asked if we could think about turning the old roadcrew truck to make the grass unit. Could the fire dept help buy the new road truck if we pass the old truck to the fire dept.
- Zoning- 4 zoning certificates, 3 new homes, and a fence permit. Nuisance properties, Middletown Eaton Rd. and Wayne Madison Rd. Letters have been sent, with nothing from homeowners. We are looking into the process of the township going in and cleaning it up and assessing the costs to the homeowners through a tax assessment.
- Road – ground and cemeteries continue to be mowed. We are having issues with the John Deere mower. We have had a knuckle made locally, saving us about half. We have been adding gravel to berms, we have gone through 20,000 tons of gravel, next fall we plan to do the other side of the road, we would like to duropatcher a few areas in the s turns. The speed sign has not yet arrived but has been ordered. The #2 dump truck had to have the air conditioner worked on, Johnny tried to add freon at the shop but it would not take it. Long's was able to by pass the switches and get it to take the freon. We cleaned up junk along the qroad and a tree down on Mill road. Ed stated that he likes the guys mowing together it looks sharp. No crack filling this year.

UNFINISHED BUISNESS

None.

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NEW BUSINESS

1. Website/Newsletter Update – Teresa Nichols came to update everyone. Fee schedules and PDF's for fillable forms. We are located by typing Wayne Township.net, The website name is the same as it was before. More photos and droan photos will be added. Tim will get information regarding Metroparks. Employees have been updated and we will add the Fish Fry to it. Email list, we could send a mass production email with a distribution software. We can begin working on post website activity. The Trustees thanked Teresa stating it looked good. Start preparing for the Fall newsletter.
2. Ed Truster asked if Donnie Angst could get extra copies of the newsletter. Next, he stated that Butler County Board of elections are looking for Poll workers if interested please reach out to the board of elections. Daniel Hoit stated that he knows at the last meeting it was asked to see if the Normac bid included cutting and repairing base if needed, Normac stated it was all included in the bid as they did not see a need for that at this time. A discussion was had stating that the Fiscal Officer stated if we so decided to move forward with paving Hope and Celestial to go ahead and she will work out details when she returns. A motion was made to accept and award the bid to Normac Paving for Heavenly acres subdivision not to exceed \$50,000.00 by Ed Truster, seconded by Tim Taylor. Roll call; 3 ayes, 0 nays, 0 absent. Ed Truster asked if a grate could be placed on the pipe. Eric from the County stated they do not grate any outputs. Trustees still want a grate, please research why not.

LEGISLATION

None.

AUDIENCE OF PUBLIC

None.

AUDIENCE OF TRUSTEES

Tim Taylor asked if Jacksonburg had dropped off a check for their share of the floor replacement yet? Daniel stated he had not seen one yet.

Ed Truster- none.

Bill Jones- none.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

None.

NEXT MEETING

1. August 16th, 2021 at 7pm

ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn was made by Tim Taylor followed by a second by Ed Truster. Roll call was taken; 3 ayes, 0 nays, 0 absent. The meeting was adjourned at 7:39pm.