

Minutes of the Board of Licking Township Trustees, regular meeting, held at the Twp Hall Jacksontown, OH at 8:00pm on June 16, 2003.

Mr. Cooper called the meeting to order with the following members present: Joe Cooper, Ron Acord, Dave Miller and Jill Linn.

Others present: Joe Walker, Erna Holland, Bob Holland, Richard Cash, Kirk Crokier, Scott Rawdon, Steve Patterson and Charlie Davis.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Attached is a copy of all expenditures totaling \$12,871.78.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved, and signed by the Trustees.

There are funds on hand or in the process of collection to pay the attached listed bills. _____, Clerk.

Motion was made by Mr. Cooper, seconded by Mr. Acord that he attached list of bills be approved as the lawful obligation of Licking Township and the Clerk be directed to issue warrants of the Township in payment of the same.
Roll call: Cooper, yes; Acord, yes; Miller, yes.

CORRESPONDENCE:

1. The Trustees were given a copy of the Grassroots Clippings for the month of June.
2. Received a notice from the LCHD regarding a dog bite incident.
3. Received information from the Litter Prevention and Recycling regarding a Hazardous Waste Local Pickup for Small Business on Friday, August 22 from 3:00 - 4:00.
4. We will be receiving \$7696.99 in estate tax from William B. Preston.

Kirk Crokier asked if Tom Fitzgerald will be putting in a motorcycle track. Mr. Walker stated that it is not permitted in the zoning resolution. However, Tom Fitzgerald had requested a variance hearing to the Zoning Appeals Board in which the hearing will be on June 24 at 8:00pm.

Erna Holland thanked the Trustees, Joe Walker and the zoning boards for helping with the Countrytyme Development Project. In an update, Erna mentioned that she had talked with the Wastewater Department in which she was told that the most recent information they have is that the EPA asked Countrytyme to withdraw their request to install sewers. A discussion followed.

Joe Walker turned in four permits totaling \$395. Mr. Walker is following up on property complaints. Mr. Walker also mentioned that the property on Sandy Lane had been mowed.

Mr. Cooper went over the criteria for applying the larvicide and stated that a log needs to be kept as to where the larvicide are being placed.

In regards to the LRE permit to install three phase lines, Mr. Cooper mentioned that they have complied to the request of the engineers office and the prosecutors office. The trustees signed the permit.

Mr. Cooper mentioned that the Wagon Train will stop at the Township Hall on July 1. Chrissy Barnes and Sue McFarland will oversee the open house. Mr. Cooper asked the road crew to tape off the parking lot the night before and stated that the State Flag should be flying that afternoon.

Mr. Cooper loaned Rhonda Carte the old township computer so that she will be able to have the computer space needed to maintain the township website. Mr. Cooper asked the trustees to set up a time to go to Rhonda's to view the information on the website.

Mr. Cooper made a motion to fill the position of zoning clerk with another individual that can dedicate the time which is needed to fulfill the responsibilities of the position and that the position will be vacated by Marsha Freas affective June 16, 2003. Mr. Miller seconded the motion. Roll call: Cooper, yes; Acord, yes; Miller, yes.

Mr. Miller checked with J & E Lawn Service and the road crew and no one knows what had happened to the items in the Jacksontown Cemetery. Mr. Miller went to the sheriff's office and filed a vandalism report. Mr. Miller also mentioned that the sheriff's department will make more trips through the cemeteries. Mr. Miller stated that graves should be respected by everyone. A discussion took place regarding proposed additions to the cemetery rules.

Mr. Cash asked the trustees if there is a procedure to replace the zoning clerk. Mr. Cooper said that it is a paid position and it will be advertised.

The clerk mentioned that there will be a budget hearing at the next regular meeting on July 7.

Mr. Miller asked the road crew if they had heard if the tractor had been repaired. They informed Mr. Miller that they have not heard anything.

Mr. Cooper made a motion to adjourn the meeting seconded by Mr. Acord. Roll call: Cooper, yes; Miller, yes; Acord, yes.

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