Pike Township Trustees

11766 Troy Road New Carlisle, Ohio 45344

March 18, 2025

The Pike Township Trustees met in a regular session March 18, 2025 for the purpose of conducting the business at hand.

The Meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by the Board President James Davidson with Vice President Greg Kaffenbarger and Adam Steele answering the roll call. Also in attendance was Jerry Donnelly, Scott Williams, Nicole LeDent, Steven Frost. Matt Wilt and Travis Hufford and Cheryl Sigler.

All attendees stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

R# 27/2025 APPROVE MARCH 4, 2025 MINUTES

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger seconded by Mr. Steele to approve the March 4, 2025 meeting minutes. Motion passed.

Scott advised 100 runs this year, 22 since last meeting 6 were mutual aid. Stephanie Bailey is off restrictions and will be back on shifts. Murphy bed ordered for FH.

8:33 a.m. Bob Miller enters

R# 28 / 2025 APPROVE PURCHASE OF A MURPHY BED FOR THE FIREHOUSE

Motion by Mr. Steele seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to the purchase of a murphy bed for the FH at a cost of \$ 719.98. Motion passed.

Bob advised the skid loader hydraulic hose broke again. He was in in Sunday morning due to a tree down on Funderburg Road. The new service truck is in for the installation of the lights. He is seeking other pricing for crack fill.

Cheryl advised Trustees she received notification of an indigent township resident by the Walter Atkins Funeral home in St. Paris, the resident who passed in October 2024, was cremated and the funeral home cannot get any family members to pay for and take the cremains. She and Cheryl are working with the VA Cemetery for a burial of this resident.

R# 29 / 2025 APPROVE PAYMENT TO FUNERAL HOME FOR CREMATION OF RESIDENT

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger seconded by Mr. Steele to approve a \$ 500 payment to the Walter Atkins Funeral Home for the cremation of indigent status resident Larry Morgan.

Roll Call Vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed.

Mr. Davidson advised he will attend the 1st qtr CCTA dinner on the 27th, along with Cheryl. Cheryl advised she has received a new laptop and printer from the Auditor of State. She brought the old ones to the shop office to replace the current computer and printer. She would like to revisit R # 4/2017 the approval of electronic signatures for payment vouchers, purchase orders, blanket certificates, payroll and withholdings. She is going to work on getting this completed.

8:45 a.m. 2 bids received and opened for 2025 Chip & Seal. Wagner Paving and Ray Hensley Inc.

Mr. Steele thanked Mr. Hufford from Wagner Paving, it is always nice to have several bids to review.

Trustees review pricing and compare.

R# 30 / 2025 2025 CHIP & SEAL BID AWARDED TO RAY HENSLEY INC.

Motion by Mr. Steele seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to award the 2025 Chip & Sealing to Ray Hensley, Inc. Roll Call Vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed.

The Trustees thanked both gentlemen for their bids.

9:03 Travis Hufford and Matt Wilt exit.

Discussion on the service truck being driven by Road Superintendent to and from work. The reiterated with Bob that the service truck is only to be driven after hours to and from his house and the township shop, no other ventures.

Jerry received 3 quotes for garage doors, however they are not all quoting the same type of doors and openers, he will reach back out and get updated quotes.

9:13 a.m. Nicole, Scott and Steven exit.

Jerry received a quote for replacing 5 windows at the Firehouse, he is waiting on 1 other quote.

Bob advised the 2015 Ford service truck will need tires before winter hits again.

R# 31 / 2025 TIRES FOR 2015 SERVICE TRUCK NOT TO EXCEED \$ 1,100.00

Motion by Mr. Steele seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to approve purchasing 4 new tires for the 2015 Service truck not to exceed \$ 1,100.00. Motion passed.

Mr. Davidson has submitted the revised solar documents to the County Prosecutors office. He has not heard back.

R# 32 / 2025 MOTION TO READ SOLAR ZONING ADDITIONS 1 OF 3

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger, seconded by Mr. Steele to do the first of three readings for the proposed additions regarding solar to be read by Mr. Davidson.

Roll Call Vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed.

Mr. Davidson reads the proposed solar additions for zoning.

Next meeting April 1, 2025. motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to adjourn at 9:46 a.m.

James Davidson, President

Cheryl Sigler, Fiscal Officer

PUBLIC MEETINGS

TUESDAY

The Pike Twp. trustees will hold a meeting at 8:30 a.m. at 83 Church St., North Hampton.