

Pike Township Trustees

11766 Troy Road
New Carlisle, Ohio 45344

May 6, 2025

The Pike Township Trustees met in a regular session May 6, 2025 for the purpose of conducting the business at hand. The Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by the President James Davidson, with Vice President Greg Kaffenbarger and Adam Steele answering the roll call. Also in attendance was Jerry Donnelly, Richard Fischer, Nicole LeDent, Bob Miller and Cheryl Sigler.

All attendees stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

R# 45/ 2025 PAY BILLS FOR MAY 2025

Motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to pay bills for May 2025. Motion passed.

R# 46/ 2025 MINUTES OF APRIL 15, 2025

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger, seconded by Mr. Steele to approve minutes of April 15, 2025. Motion passed.

Nicole is reporting on EMT behalf, 24 runs since last meeting, 5 Mutual Aid.

Jerry advised 3 bay garage doors have been installed. Hoblit should start on FH windows within the week, 5-14-25 is pump testing on trucks, 1 run since last meeting. Cheryl asked if the telephone line was still buzzing, they said no, a little black box was replaced and that helped, however callers have to identify themselves before a call with go thru.

R# 47 / 2025 INCREASE FIRE APPROPRIATION CODE 2111-220-341 TELEPHONE \$ 1120

Motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger increase Fire Appropriation code 2111-220-341 \$ 1120.00 for added phone line on bill to Imagine Networks.

Roll call vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed

Scott is on vacation until 5-10-25, Cheryl has forwarded to him several emails from CMS and Medicount regarding things that needed to be completed by 5-5-2025. She gave Jerry a copy, the lady from CMS has been calling and emailing daily.

R# 48 / 2025 JOIN ODOT BID FOR 2025-2026 ROAD SALT

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger, seconded by Mr. Steele to order 200 tons of salt in the ODOT 2025-2026 Salt bid.

Roll call vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed

R# 49 / 2025 ACCEPT 2025 PAVEMENT MARKING CONTRACT

Motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to approve the 2025 Pavement marking contract thru the County with Aero-Mark Company for 6.43 miles of center line on Johnson, Sigler, Funderburg and Spence Rds at a cost of \$ 4846.51

Roll call vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed

Discussion of the email received from Mr. Hall on Stafford Road, Alex Turner apparently told him that we were going to pave that stretch of the road, however that is not the case, but that section is on the list for 2025 repair and chip & seal, Mr. Davidson advised Mr. Hall by way of return email advising him of this. The other issue on Stafford Road by the golf course, Stevensons could not find the end of the obstructed pipe, Bob needs to find someone else that can go further with a probe, the last resort being having to dig into the residents yard. He is thinking at least 400 ft.

R# 50 / 2025 AMEND R# 31-2025 NOT TO EXCEED \$ 1100 FOR UNIT 1 TIRES TO \$ 1184.84

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger, seconded by Mr. Steele amend R # 31-2025 not increase amount from \$ 1100.00 to \$ 1184.84. Motion passed.

R# 51 / 2025 APPROVE REPAIR TO UNIT 1 BY RC ENTERPRISE \$ 646.52

Motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to approve payment to RC Enterprise in the amount of \$ 646.52 for wiper blade switch and rear brake pads. Motion passed.

Cheryl advised the 2023 Dodge will be labeled as Unit 3. She also asked about contacting the City of New Carlisle regarding their portion of Sigler Road. We will be chip and sealing in next year, they need to put in their 2026 budget the cost for their side.

Bob advised the crack fill machine should be here in 2 weeks. Catch basins purchased from the County, 2 for Hampton Rd and 1 for Studebaker Road.

Discussion of Township payment for cremation of indigent resident Kimberly Barnett.

R# 52/ 2025 APPROVE INDIGENT RESIDENT CREMATION AT TROSTLE, CHAPMAN

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger, seconded by Mr. Steele to approve payment to Trostle Champman funeral home the amount of \$ 500.00 for the cremation of Indigent resident Kimberly Barnett, and the family will take the cremains.

Roll call vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed.

Mr. Davidson obtained a phone number for the RAPA Regional Air Pollution Authority and passed along to Zoning Inspector Jason Bishop.

Mr. Steele is obtaining a quote for Spence Road.

R# 53 / 2025 ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR FIRE PERSONNEL ISSUE

Motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to enter into executive session regarding a Fire Personnel issue at 8:21 p.m.

Roll call vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed

8:22 p.m. Everyone exits except Jerry Donnelly.

R# 54 / 2025 EXIT OUT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION AT 8:27 P.M.

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger, seconded by Mr. Steele to exit out of executive session at 8:27 p.m.

Roll call vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed.

Mr. Davidson has been talking with Lou Zambelli regarding a Solar resolution.

R# 55 / 2025 APPROVE "THE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE CLARK COUNTY COMMISSIONERS DECLARE PIKE TOWNSHIP, CLARK COUNTY, OHIO A RESTRICTED ZONE FOR UTILITY SCALE WIND AND SOLAR PROJECTS".

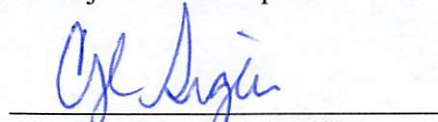
Motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to approve the resolution requesting that the Clark County Commissioners declare Pike Township, Clark County, Ohio a restricted zone for utility scale wind and solar projects.

Roll call vote: Mr. Davidson; yes Mr. Kaffenbarger; yes Mr. Steele; yes Motion passed

Discussion on the letter from Dynegy regarding the increase for electric May 2025 thru June 2026. The Trustees have gotten several phone calls about this. We will not send back opt out notice.

Next regular meeting is scheduled for Tuesday May 20, 2025 at 8:30 a.m. No further business, motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger, seconded by Mr. Steele to adjourn at 9:18 p.m.


James Davidson, President


Cheryl Sigler, Fiscal Officer

PUBLIC MEETINGS

TUESDAY

■ 7:30 p.m.: The Pike Township Trustees will hold their regular scheduled meeting at 83 Church St., North Hampton.