# Pike Township Trustees

# 11766 Troy Road New Carlisle, Ohio 45344

## September 2, 2025

The Pike Township Trustees met in a regular session September 2, 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, Scott Williams, Dan Maxson, Nicole LeDent, Joselyn Dukate and Cheryl Sigler.

All attendees stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

### R# 93/2025 PAY BILLS FOR SEPTEMBER 2025

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

#### R# 94/2025 MINUTES OF AUGUST 19, 2025

Motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to approve minutes of August 19, 2025. Motion passed.

Mr. Maxson is attending, he is running unopposed for the Trustee seat now held by Mr. Davidson.

Scott has a new hire, Joselyn Dukate who is attending tonight, today was her first day and they had 2 runs, Scott advised that a hoarding house was one of the calls and advised the Trustees that the residents are elderly and if a gurney would ever need to be used, they would not be able to do so. 348 runs for the year, 26 since last meeting 3 MA. Cheryl advised them she applied for 2 \$ 1000 Grants from OTARMA and was awarded them. The funds went into the Fire 2111 fund. Scott advised they will be keeping the old Lifepak for now.

Jerry advised they would like to order shirts/hoodies/sweatshirts, it has been several years since last order placed.

#### R# 95/2025 PIKE TWP FIRE & EMT APPAREL NOT TO EXCEED \$ 1000

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger, seconded by Mr. Steele to approve the Fire /EMT Depts to purchase Pike Twp Fire / EMT apparel not to exceed \$ 1000.00. Motion passed.

#### R# 96 / 2025 APPROVE PAYMENT TO WESTERN TRUCK AND FIRE FOR RESCUE 1 TANKER 2

Motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger approve payment for inspections and oil changes to Western Truck and Fire \$ \$1631.37 for Rescue 1 and \$ \$1642.50 for Tanker 2. Motion passed.

Nicole provided a handout and discussed raises for EMT personnel. This discussion has been tabled until after the general election in which the 2.75 mill Fire / EMS renewal is on the ballot.

Mr. Steele was able to make contact with a contractor that came and looked at the FH, for a 20'x70' addition to the east side. He also stated that when the contractor was at the Spence Road ditch way project the edge of a local residents leach field was caught. Bob Miller will work with them and see what can be done.

Mr. Kaffenbarger reminded about the Large Wind and Solar Farm meeting at the fairgrounds tomorrow eve at 6pm.

Mr. Davidson advised he has not yet heard from the Assistant County Prosecutor regarding the OPERS question. Cheryl suggested that we invite him to a meeting.

Cheryl advised the certified violation letter sent t8-21-2025 to the garage sale resident has not yet been claimed. She anticipates the 2023-2024 Audit to be wrapped up this week and the post audit report to be presented by the Auditor of State representative at the next meeting. She also met with Matt Foley, with Foley Benefits Group LLC to discuss quotes for 2026 Insurance. The Township must submit a Broker Transfer request to allow his group to access Formfire in order to get quotes. He assured Cheryl that once the can access the formfire forms, another transfer can be submitted on behalf of Waypoint for them to quote as well.

#### R# 97 / 2025 AUTHORIZE BROKER TRANSFER REQUEST TO FOLEY BENEFITS

Motion by Mr. Kaffenbarger, seconded by Mr. Steele to authorize a broker transfer request be submitted on behalf of Foley Benefits Group allowing access to the formfire forms for 2026 Medical, Dental and Vision Insurance.

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

Next regular meeting is scheduled for Tuesday September 16, 2025 at 8:30 a.m. No further business, motion by Mr. Steele, seconded by Mr. Kaffenbarger to adjourn at 8:26 p.m.

James Davidson, President

Cheryl Sigler, Fiscal Officer

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Trustees to meet Tuesday

The Pike Twp. Trustees will meet in regular session at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at 83 Church St. For more information, call