RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

HOCKING TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

REGULAR SESSION

Held: November 28, 2017 7:00 PM

Location: 1175 Cincinnati Zanesville Road SW, Lancaster, Ohio 43130.

Vice-Chairperson Gail Ellinger called the meeting to order with the Pledge to the flag. The following members and visitors were present:

Mrs. Gail Ellinger Present

Mr. Charles Ressley Present

Mr. Tim Claypool Present

Mr. Steve Wolfe Present

VISITORS:

See Sign in Sheet with a total of 3 visitors present

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

None

ZONING:

Inspector Marshall reported for the month of November there were 10 permits within the last two months for a total of 37 permits YTD. Permits were issued to the following: Ashley on 159 for an accessory building, Billups on 159 for a new build, Hockman on Country Club Road for a new build, Heron on Mt. Zion for a new build, Barrett on US 22 for an accessory building, Kretchum on 159 for an accessory building, Roebuck on Hopewell Church Road for an addition, Bachman on Mt. Zion for an accessory building, Stalder on Royalton Road for an accessory building, Slater on Royalton Road for an addition.

REGIONAL PLANNING REPORT:

No Hocking issues.

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CORRESPONDENCE FROM THE FISCAL OFFICER:

Minutes from the October Regular Meeting being read prior by the Board were approved as read, so moved by Trustee Ellinger and seconded by Trustee Claypool. All were in favor with 3 ayes and no negative votes, motion passed. New phones are in and working good. OTA Conference is 1/31/-2/3/2018. Budget is on par.

FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Fire Chief Golden reported for the month of November a total of 68 runs. A total of 17 mutual aid runs provided to other townships and the city of Lancaster. Still waiting on the funds to be deposited for the BWC grant. Part time positions have been posted to obtain additional staff. Requesting a plan to keep the retention of staff either by a raise or by clothing. Trustees will discuss the possibility of a raise to stay current with other local fire departments.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. All signs have been received from the ODOT grant and will be installed soon.
- 2. Mid Ohio Tree service will be removing trees in the near future. County approved for payment.
- 3. Hopewell Church Road project was completed. Will report back in the spring to address the ditch line.
- 4. Thrush and Barr Drive project went good and is finished.
- 5. Trucks working on a property on Country Club Road has broken off the new asphalt that was laid this year. Trustees to speak with the contractor.
- 6. Jon and Cathy Born have a culvert that has been installed incorrectly and is above the road level. Trustees to address.
- 7. The mechanic business at 2529 Becks Knob Road will have a certified letter sent to outline what procedures need to be completed to be compliant with zoning.

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NEW BUSINESS:

No new business. Happy Holidays.

Lail V. Ellinger

Trustee Wolfe moved to pay the warrants for the month seconded by Trustee Ellinger. Roll call vote Ellinger – Yes, Claypool – Yes, Wolfe – Yes. Motion approved.

There being no further business to discuss Trustee Claypool motioned to adjourn.

Mrs. Gail V. Ellinger

Mr. Tim Claypool

Mr. Steve Wolfe

Mr. Charles Ressley

All formal actions of the of Board of Hocking Township concerning and relating to the adoption of resolutions and/or motions passed at this meeting were adopted in a meeting open to the public, in compliance with the law, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code