

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

HOCKING TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

REGULAR SESSION

Held: November 24, 2020 7:00 PM

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

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 Ressler Present

Mr. Doug Shaw Present

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VISITORS:

See Sign in Sheet with a total of 3 visitors present

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

No public participation.

REGIONAL PLANNING REPORT:

No Hocking Township issues.

ZONING:

Rich Hogle reported there were several calls about questions pertaining to a permit. There were two certified letters mailed to Mr. Brown at State Route 22 and Crumley about his property. He has not complied. We will be taking further action with him.

CORRESPONDENCE FROM THE FISCAL OFFICER:

Minutes from the October Meeting being read prior by the Board were approved as read, so moved by Trustee Shaw and seconded by Trustee Wolfe. All were in favor with 3 ayes and no negative votes, motion passed. Working with the State Auditor's office on receipting in the cares act funding we received.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Fire Department reported monthly runs so far have been 30 fire and 49 EMS for a total of 744 runs YTD. Mutual aid was provided to Amanda, Berne, Clearcreek, Bremen, Laurelville, Pickaway County, and Lancaster. A total of 9 run to SCI. Seen an increase in covid related calls. Multiple busy shifts for crews. Would like to bring to the board's attention a pay increase for the FY2021 for the EMS staffing. We also need to be talking about a fire truck replacement. The trustees all agreed and would discuss at the next meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

1. The county will keep Hocking Township informed as to the progress of the OPWC on Meister Road. Paperwork has been submitted.
2. Hocking Township will continue to monitor Stonewall Cemetery Road and Stepath Mound Lane for erosion.
3. Marathon Mini Mart is moving along at Delmont Road and Route 22. Slated to open in December.
4. Trustee Ellinger spoke with the county and the army corps of engineers about the muddy prairie run creek on Pleasant Valley. The Army Corp of Engineers is involved and are currently working on the issue.
5. Hocking Township will be submitting zoning resolution changes to Regional Planning next month. This has been postponed and rescheduled for mid-January.
6. An email was sent to Jon Kochis pertaining to the tornado siren at the Hamburg Park to replace parts on it.
7. Eric McCrady is checking on the guardrail issue at the property of 1925 Becks Knob Road.
8. Deputy Hummel and the Health Department will be checking on the property complaints on Hamburg Road. They will advise of the next steps.
9. James Mako has not heard of anything on the property at State Route 188 and Delmont Road.

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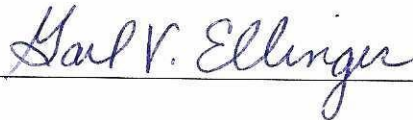
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NEW BUSINESS:

1. Hockings fire levy passed and want to thank the Hocking Township residents for approving it.
2. Looking at placing stop signs at Westfall and Duncan Road.
3. Board of Trustees looking at placing a speed study on Stonewall Cemetery Road to lower the speed limit.

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

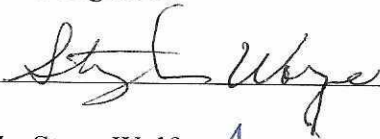
There being no further business to discuss Trustee Ellinger motioned to adjourn and Trustee Wolfe seconded the motion.



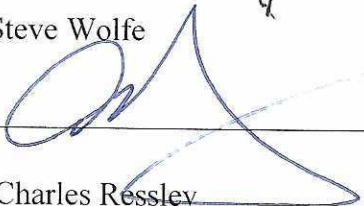
Mrs. Gail V. Ellinger



Mr. Doug Shaw



Mr. Steve Wolfe



Mr. Charles Ressler

All formal actions of the 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