

Olive Township
Minutes of Regular Meeting Held December 9, 2024
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- Call to Order Supervisor Eric Voisinet called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.; all in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Attendance Attendance revealed Supervisor Eric Voisinet, Clerk Elizabeth June, Treasurer Bonnie Wohlfert, Trustee Louis Faivor and Trustee Charles Young. Also in attendance were 2 others.
- Approval of Agenda A motion was made by Trustee Charlie Young, seconded by Clerk Elizabeth June to approve the December 9, 2024 agenda.
MOTION CARRIED
- Approval of Minutes A motion was made by Trustee Charlie Young, seconded by Clerk Elizabeth June to amend New Business section A. to refer to Ordinance 16 and place on file the November 11, 2024 minutes.
MOTION CARRIED
- Special Presenter
Friends of Fantasy Forest
2.0 The Friends of Fantasy Forest presented to the Board the Fantasy Forest 2.0 universally accessible playground that will take around 2 years from start to finish. The construction of the playground will take about 3 months. This project is quoted at \$2.4 million and has received three grants so far. The Friends of Fantasy Forest have been going around to businesses asking for donations.
- Treasurer's Report

Beginning Balance	\$481,536.62
Receipts	13,561.50
Disbursement	<u>(48,490.50)</u>
Balance on Hand	\$446,607.62

A motion was made by Trustee Louis Faivor, seconded by Clerk Elizabeth June to accept and place on file the Treasurer's Report.
MOTION CARRIED.
- Approval of Payment A motion was made by Trustee Louis Faivor, seconded by Trustee Charlie Young to approve the payment of the invoices in the amount of \$48,490.50.
MOTION CARRIED.
For additional information, see Clerk's Bills Payable Report.
- Sheriff's Report Sheriff Deputy K9 Vance was not present.
- DAESA Report DAESA representative Charlie Young presented the following:
a. 86 calls in October.
b. The fire on Grove Road had a total of 14 fire departments and used over 600,000 gallons of water.
c. 726 as of December 1.
d. Possible barn fire training opportunity.
e. Two personnel, Bill and Ron, will be taking Fire Academy in the Spring.
f. Daughters of America presented a flag that flew over Congress and it is on display in Station 1.
g. Held a Fire Prevention class at St. Peter School.

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Assessor	Assessor Peggy Lidgard was not present.
County Commissioner	Ken Mitchell was not present.
Library Report – Kendel Darragh	Kendel Darragh was not present.
Public Comments	None.
Information Items	a. Fire/EMS – 12 runs; 10 EMS, 2 Fire
Old Business	None
New Business	a. The Township Board reviewed the changes to Ordinance 16. b. Reviewed auditor bids. c. The Township Board reviewed the 2025/2026 Fiscal Year Budget.
Board Member Comments	Tax collection is going well, many residents paid in person.
ADJOURNMENT	With no further business to come before the Board, a motion was made by Trustee Charlie Young, seconded by Clerk Elizabeth June to adjourn the meeting at 9:06p.m. MOTION CARRIED

Respectfully recorded and submitted by Clerk Elizabeth June, Olive Township

NOTE: These minutes are subject to approval at the January 13, 2025 Olive Township board meeting.