

JACKSON TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES

Held June 16, 2015

6:00 pm

Present – Trustee Frost, Trustee Hemphill, Trustee Harkleroad, Fiscal Officer Patton, Fire Chief Graham, Road Worker Jim Williamson, Police Chief Taillon, Zoning Inspector Locke and 41 guests.
RESOLUTION #15-062: Mr. Harkleroad moved and Mr. Hemphill seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the May 19, 2015 Regular Trustee Meeting. Vote was unanimous.
RESOLUTION #15-063: Mr. Frost moved and Mr. Hemphill seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the June 4, 2015 Special Trustee Meeting. Vote was unanimous.
Vouchers and warrants #25408 thru #25441 EFTs #226-2015 thru #273-2015 were approved for payment.

CORRESPONDENCE:

- Semi-Annual Township Trustee Meeting – Monday, June 22, 2015, 10:00am – 2:00pm. @Mahoning County Engineer’s Office, 940 Bears Den Road – Requested only 1 trustee per township. Mr. Frost will be attending.
- Received a press release and email from Don Booth Company about The Stephen Siller Tunnel to Towers Foundation to World Trade Center Steel, to the Don Booth Company on June 17th at 10:00am. The Trustees, Fiscal Officer and first responders are invited.
- Mr. Hemphill received calls about the grass being too high on the ball fields at Liberty Park. We have made adjustments to our mowing schedule. The 4th of July Parade will be on July 4, 2015. He thanked the Jackson Milton Live Stock 4H Club for the projection screen in the meeting hall at the Government Center.
- Mr. Harkleroad received a verbal quote for cemetery tree cutting from Weimer’s Tree Service for \$2500.00 total. He advised we will be putting pea gravel in the playground area at Liberty Park.

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINES

RESOLUTION #15-064: Mr. Frost moved and Mr. Harkleroad seconded the motion approving Cash Summary and Financial Reports for May 2015. Vote was unanimous.

FIRE:

- Chief Graham gave the fire department report for May 2015.
- A discussion took place about the proposed Fire Tower at the Mahoning County Career and Technical Center to assist in the financing, construction, operation, maintenance and use of a fire training facility on the MCCTC property. They are proposing that 11 fire departments contribute \$5000 annually for 11 consecutive years. The trustees would like more information from Chief Graham and see if possibly going in with another township to share the annual cost and training. No motion was made to send an approval letter.

ROAD:

- The trustees received a permission letter from Lynette Cadle to clear the blockage from culvert located at 11975 Blott Road. We will start ditching on Blott Road on 6/17/15.
- We are in the process of putting river rock around the township signs.

POLICE:

- 112-Calls for Service, 67-Observed Calls, 200-Traffic Stops, Resulting in 127 Warnings, 97 Citations, 7 Traffic Crashes, 0 OVI Arrest, 148-Residential Security Checks, 9-Senior citizen welfare checks, 4-Arrests, 0 Felony & 4 Misdemeanant by our Detective and Patrol Division’s
- Reserve Officers worked a total of 104 hours
- Officers traveled 8,842 miles patrolling the township. An average of 86 miles per shift.

RESOLUTION #15-065: Mr. Harkleroad moved and Mr. Hemphill seconded the motion for Chief Taillon to attend a one day training workshop at the Ohio Township Association Leadership Academy on July 17, 2015 and August 17, 2015 to satisfy the federal requirement, at their office 6500 Taylor Road Blacklick, Ohio The cost is \$45.00 for both trainings.

- The Chief accepted the resignation of Reserve Officer Samantha L. Burton effective June 1, 2015. She has accepted a part-time position with the Canfield Police Department.
- The Chief accepted the full-time resignation of Sgt. Brian Newhard effective June 5, 2015. He has accepted a full-time position with the Mill Creek Police Department. Officer Newhart will remain as a Part-time/Reserve Officer with JPD.
- The trustees approved the hiring of part-time Officer Peter J. Rozzi III to full-time Police Officer at a rate of \$16.51 per hour starting with the pay of 6/7/2015. He will serve a one year probationary period. Fiscal Officer Patton swore in Officer Rozzi.

ZONING:

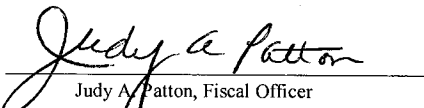
- 2 Zoning Permits (1 freestanding bus. Identification sign, industrial addition) for total fees of \$1159 - \$187,680 value added to community
- Hearing on May 21 for variance (lot width) was approved
- Ms. Locke went to court-5-27-15 for Delmont. Magistrate refused to find the defendant in contempt; he did find that the defendant did not comply with inspections. Therefore inspection was scheduled for June 1 and completed. Magistrate could find no violation from viewing the pictures as everything is behind the opaque fence. The magistrate also said that anything taller than the opaque fence (vehicle on a flat bed or the vehicle itself, semis in the enclosed area) would not consider them a violation. The junked vehicles behind the fence are a part of the tow business.
- Zoning Commission is continuing to review the Land Use Plan over the next few months and will make recommendations to MCPC. Planning Commission would like this in place for adoption in January 2016
- 3 Noxious weed violations-S. Lipkey Road, N. Duck Creek Road and S. Salem-Warren Road.
- Mobile home park auction is June 13-did not sell. Will probably go to Sheriff Sale, (12-18 month) process
- Palmyra Rd. property-May 21 inspection
- Truck Specialists, S. Bailey—addition Hively Construction
- Workshop, June 5. 6 attendees—including 2 new alternates
- Prosecutors office—mobile home park opinion and assistance with 3 violations
- 1 call with questions on reptiles in the township
- 8 calls for info on houses and industrial buildings
- 2 calls to Sheriff’s Dept., regarding info on sheriff sale
- 3 calls to Mahoning County Auditor’s office
- 3 calls to Mahoning County Prosecutors office
- 6 hours driving the township 69 miles

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 6:48pm.


Thomas Frost, Trustee, Chairman


Olin Harkleroad, Trustee, Co-Chairman


Alan Hemphill, Trustee


Judy A. Patton, Fiscal Officer

Cash Summary
& Financials

Chief Training