

Monroe Township Board of Trustees Meeting Minutes

February 22, 2022

10:00 a.m.

Meeting was called to order by Mr. Peck at 10:02 a.m.

Roll Call: Mr. Forder-present, Ms. Jowers-present, Mr. Peck-present, Ms. Forder-present

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Guest Speakers: n/a

Township Business:

Fiscal Officer-Candace Forder

Motion # 38-2022 was made by Ms. Jowers to approve the Monroe Township Board of Trustees Meeting Minutes from February 10, 2022 as presented. Mr. Forder 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes, Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

Discussion on the 2022 Community Park Improvement Grant Program: suggestions were made to apply for basketball courts or a blacktop parking lot. Mr. Schrichten will check pricing and then discuss at the next meeting.

Zoning-Mike Boots

Report in writing.

1 permit was issued in February. Mr. Boots is working with two residents on property split and paper roads.

Julia Carney contacted Mr. Boots in regards to "Pets for Patients" and said the caring, boarding and training of animals would be permitted in the A-1 under the agricultural exemption of RC 519-01 for animal husbandry. The "she-sheds" would not typically be a permitted item.

Julia Carney and Mr. Boots are working on the nuisance properties.

Cemeteries-Jerry Cramer

Julia Carney has drafted a letter to be signed and mailed to Andra Brown and Betty Barger in regards to Lot 123 C at Laurel Carmel Cemetery. The movement of the remains of Mr. Brown and the headstone will occur prior to March 30, 2022.

Maintenance-Greg Schrichten

Mr. Schrichten would like to hold off on the purchase of the power washer.

Fire/EMS- Chief Steve Downey

Motion# 39-2022 was made by Ms. Jowers to approve the contract for the purchase of the new ambulance from Crossroads and Mr. Peck will sign the contract. Mr. Forder 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

Motion# 40-2022 was made by Mr. Forder to donate the Seagrave Fire Truck to the Union to be used for Children's Charity Events. The Fire Truck will be stored at Monroe Township and the Township name will remain on the truck. Ms. Jowers 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes, Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

The Levy for the Fire/EMS renewal will not go on the ballot until November 2022.

Chief Downey informed the Board of Trustees that they are still trying to find Full-Time employees.

Other Discussion:

Mr. Peck presented the new Local Government Funding for 2022 from the County.

Ms. Jowers has had calls about the minutes not being on the Township website. Ms. Forder informed her that they are on the Township website.

Motion# 41-2022 was made by Mr. Forder to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Jowers 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes, Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

Meeting adjourned at 10:32

Minutes taken by Candace Forder

Mr. Forder _____

Ms. Jowers _____

Mr. Peck _____