

# **Monroe Township Board of Trustees Meeting Minutes**

**February 13, 2025**

**6:30 p.m.**

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Forder at 6:30 p.m.

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

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

## **Guest Speakers:**

- Andrew Stober-resident. Mr. Stober is following up to see if the Township has moved forward with nuisance properties in the Township. Mr. Boots has turned it over to Ms. Carney and does not have any recent updates.

## **Deputy Morgan:**

Report was in writing.

- 45 incidents reports and 34 offense reports for the month of January.
- Highest crime type for the month was mental health and domestic violence.

## ***Township Business***

### **Fiscal Officer Candace Forder**

Motion# 23-2025 was made by Ms. Aranyos to approve the Monroe Township Board of Trustees Meeting Minutes dated January 28, 2025, as presented. Mr. Peck 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

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

Motion# 24-2025 was made by Mr. Peck to approve the financial statements (included in packets) for the period ending January 31, 2025, as presented. Ms. Aranyos 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

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

Mr. Peck made motion# 25-2025 to approve the Ohio Department of Transportations Township Highway Mileage Certification of 25.392 miles. Ms. Aranyos 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

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

Motion# 26-2025 was made by Mr. Peck to request the Clermont County Sheriff's Department to change the work schedule for Deputy Morgan to 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. with a rotating schedule. Ms. Aranyos 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

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

### **Zoning Mike Boots**

Report was in writing.

- 5 permits issued since the last meeting, 4 new violations, and 2 violations addressed.
- A list of current nuisance properties was provided for the Trustees along with ORC 376741 outlining of a public nuisance.
- Losanitville Farms has interest in building three more cabins.

### **Maintenance Department Greg Schrichten**

Report was in writing.

- The department has been working on patching roads.
- More road salt will need to be ordered.

### **Cemeteries Greg Schrichten**

- 1 grave marked for burial.

### **Fire/EMS Department Chief Steve Downey**

Report was in writing.

- 133 runs for the month of January.
- Verizon booster will be arriving and installed.
- Chief Downey has contacted the State Fire Marshall regarding the property on SR 222 with the large concrete blocks. They will need to be moved.

Motion# 27-2025 was made by Mr. Peck to accept the resignation of Nate Ritchey effective February 1, 2025. Ms. Aranyos 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

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

### **Other Discussion:**

- The Township needs to get bids for connecting the generators at Station 33 and the Maintenance Department.
- The Easter egg hunt is April 12, 2025.
- Dates for Rumble in the Park will be discussed at the next meeting.

Motion# 28-2025 was made by Mr. Peck to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Aranyos 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

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

Meeting adjourned at 6:54 p.m.

Minutes taken by Candace Forder

Mr. Peck \_\_\_\_\_

Ms. Aranyos \_\_\_\_\_

Mr. Forder \_\_\_\_\_