

**Minutes of Regular Meeting
Liberty Township, Licking County, Ohio
March 8, 2021**

Opening

- The regular monthly meeting of the Liberty Township trustees was held on Monday, March 8, 2021 in the shop behind the township building. Bill Siegel, township trustee chairperson, called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. He stated the meeting is being recorded, and led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Roll call was taken with the following answering as present: Bill Siegel, Bill Bogantz and Dave Cole.
- **Dave Cole made a motion to approve the minutes from the February 8, 2021, regular trustee meeting. Bill Bogantz seconded the motion and it passed with YES votes.**

Zoning

Ed Wasem gave the February zoning report

2021-LS-001 Paula Barber	\$100.00	7755 Liberty Church	lot split
2021-LS-002 Walt & Frances Messer	\$500.00	Denunes Road	5 lot splits
2021-P-005 Tyler & Laura Jones	\$640.00	109 Liberty Ridge Ct	residence
2021-P-006 Robert & Karin Moore	\$240.00	8822 Nichols Lane	accessory building

Total \$1480.00

Resident/Public Input

- none

Old Business

- Roads have been cleared and salted as needed
- Cemeteries – Jim Houck was buried

New Business

- T3's Mowing proposal was discussed.
 - **Bill Bogantz made a motion to accept T3's proposal for 2021 for mowing township properties and cemeteries. Dave Cole seconded the motion. The motion passed with all YES votes**
- A gas permit was signed for Harmony Church road this past month
- The status of the Zoning Commission and Zoning Appeals Boards were discussed. Seven terms have recently expired. Charles Walker, Sara Sparhawk and Fred Schwarz have all agreed to continue serving on the Zoning Commission. Doug Strait agreed to move from an alternate on the Zoning Appeals board to being a member of the Zoning Appeals Board. Larry Riffe and

Chuck Dyers are stepping down. Still waiting to hear from Dale McCombs. The committees need to meet and select a chair for the coming year.

- **Bill Bogantz made a motion to have Charles Walker, Sara Sparhawk and Fred Schwarz continue on the Zoning Commission for an additional 5 years and appoint Doug Strait to the Zoning Appeals Board for 5 year. Bill Siegel seconded the motion. The motion passed with all YES votes.**
- The Neibarger Housing Project was discussed which is on Cooper Road and Harmony Church Road. They have requested that the Trustees request a speed limit study from the county engineers for two sections of road. There is no cost to the township for such studies.
 - **Bill Bogantz made a motion to approve doing the speed study. Bill Siegel seconded the motion. The motion passed with all YES votes.**
- Cemetery lots purchased by Clayton Thomas were discussed. The township and his family have record of two lots being purchased on April 3, 1967. The family says 12 lots were purchased. The family wants the township to look into their records for additional purchases in 1967. At this time there is no known documentation for the additional plots.

Correspondence & Financials

- February credit card charges were read totaling \$97.89
- February Correspondence were read
- February Payments were read. Payments totaled \$14,264.93
- February Receipts were read. Receipts totaled \$18,299.46

Signing

Credit Card Summary, bank reconciliation, minutes, permits, warrants, purchase orders and vouchers were signed.


Closing

Bill Bogantz made a motion to adjourn the March 8, 2021 meeting. Dave Cole seconded the motion. The motion passed with all YES votes.

Approval

Approval of the minutes for meeting held March 8, 2021:

Trustee:  Date: 4/12/2021

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Trustee: Dave B Cole Date: _____

Fiscal Officer: Melodie Bogantz Date: 4/12/2021