Paris Township Trustees

Shearer Community Center June 19, 2025

All Trustees were present for this regular meeting presided over by Chairman Samec. Chairman Samec called the meeting to order by asking everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

Also Attending: Fred Shaulis, and Derek Reed

Dorene Spicer made the motion to accept the minutes seconded by David Kemble.

RISK MANAGEMENT MEETING

Dorene Spicer reported that the trustees will be meeting with KLA Risk Management on June 25, 2025 at 1:00 at the Shearer Community Center

FLAG POLE

Dorene Spicer is continuing to look for a new flag pole for the cemetery.

SECONDARY ELECTRIC

Dorene Spicer reported Tim Patrick gave paper work on secondary electric of Ravenna City VS NOPEC.

DOLLAR GENERAL

Dorene Spicer reported that Dollar General will be going in at the corner of Esworthy & ST RT 5 in Charlestown Township.

DIRT BEHIND ROAD GARAGE

Dorene Spicer asked the prosecutor office about dirt with debris in it behind the road garage. The prosecutor's office said that it has to be advertised that the dirt is available and provided forms to be filled out and it would be "as is"

FRONT END LOADER PURCHASE

Dave Kemble reported purchasing a new front end loader from Murphy's at the cost of $121,195 for the road department to load salt and do other miscellaneous jobs. Fred Shaulis wants the front end loader with all the deluxe enclosure. Ed Samec made the motion to purchase for $121,195 a front end loaded seconded by Dave Kemble. Roll Call: Dorene Spicer, yes; Dave Kemble, yes; Ed Samec, yes. Motion carried. Resolution #28-2025

REGIONAL PLANNING

Dave Kemble reported attending the Regional Planning at University Hospital on June 11, 2025 at 4:30.

SEPTIC SYSTEM

Fred Shaulis reported that Portage Septic was out to update the septic pump.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Ed Samec made the motion at 6:39 pm to go into executive session to consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, litigation or compensation of a public employee or official. This was seconded by Dave Kemble. Roll Call: Dorene Spicer, yes; Dave Kemble, yes; Ed Samec, yes. Motion Carried. Resolution #29-2025

Regular meeting resumed at 6:52 pm.

HOSE TESTING

Hose testing is tentatively scheduled for August 20, 2025

SHIFT COVERAGE

Station staffing pay period 6-1-2025 thru 6-15-2025 (15 days)
-Days staffed with two personnel – 0
-Days staffed with one person – 0
-Days unstaffed – 15

2025-2026 OTARMA INSURANCE

Ed Samec made the motion to accept the 2025-2026 insurance at the cost of $21,915 for the year. This was seconded by Dave Kemble. Roll Call: Dorene Spicer, yes; Dave Kemble, yes; Ed Samec, yes; Motion Carried – Resolution #30-2025

FIRE LEVY ACCOUNT 4092

Ed Samec made the motion for a renewal levy for the purpose of a tax in excess of the ten mil limitation. This was seconded by Dave Kemble. Roll Call: Dorene Spicer, yes; Dave Kemble, yes; Ed Samec, yes; Motion Carried – Resolution #31-2025

ZONING ISSUE

Dave Kemble reported a letter was received from a Paris resident about property on McClintocksburg and Gilbert Road. The letter is anonymous and Dave Kemble is going to take it to the prosecutor's office for advice.

WAYLAND ROAD RESIDENT

A complaint was received about a deck being put on the back of a house with no permits.

JOINT FIRE DISTRICT

Ed Samec reported on the Joint Fire District. Ed Samec has attended the meetings in April and May and there will be no meeting in June. Ed Samec is going to have a town meeting here in Paris at the Community Center. Ed Samec also was asked to be co-chairman of the board and Ed Samec declined.

Upon no further discussion Ed Samec made the motion to adjourn this meeting, seconded by Dorene Spicer. Roll Call: Ed Samec, yes; David Kemble, yes; Dorene Spicer, yes; Motion Carried.