

Shearer Community Center

April 16, 2026

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

Also Attending: Derek Reed, Fred Shaulis, Dave Duncan, Dan Spicer, RobMcKain, Renee Rambo, Ashley Fodrey, Shawna Bailey, Nathan Johnson, Jim McEgen, and Ray Sheets

Dorene Spicer made the motion to accept the minutes seconded by Ed Samec.

ZONING SECRETARY

Shawna Bailey reported resigning as Zoning Secretary

ZONING

Dan Spicer reported that zonings next meeting will be May 14, 2026 at 7:00 pm at the Shearer Community Center.

STATE LIQUOR LICENSE

Dan Spicer reported that James Sackett, new person running Country Acres Camp Grounds questioned about applying with the State of Ohio for a state liquor licenses. Mr. Sackett wanted to bring it to the Board of Trustees to see if there was anything in zoning that would not allow the camp ground to sell alcohol. Dave Kemble reported looking through the zoning book and nothing would prohibit the selling of alcohol at the camp ground as long as a state liquor license was granted.

ZONING PERMITS

Dave Duncan reported issuing the following permits:

Kevin Middleton 8854 Newton Falls Road permit 2-2026 Storage Building
Justin Savarino 5338 McClintockburg Rd agricultural permit 1 40x75 ag bldg.

ZONING INQUIRIES

Dave Duncan reported a resident at 6358 St Rt 225 had questions about either adding an addition to garage/pole barn or building a metal building.

STATION STAFFING PAY PERIOD 4-1-2026 thru 4-15-2026

Days staffed with two personnel – 1

Days staffed with one person - 0

Days unstaffed - 14

CEMETERY DEED

Ed Samec reported issuing one cemetery deed to Ashley Wilson for two lots

NOPEC

Fiscal Officer Linda Shaulis brought the attention of NOPEC electric aggregation program up to the trustees. All the trustees agreed to stay with NOPEC as the township's electric aggregation.

ODOT ROAD SALT

Ed Samec brought up the ODOT salt contract. Fred Shaulis and Ed Samec reported putting in for 80 tons for the 2026-2027 winter season.

CARES MONEY

Ed Samec reported that contact will be made with the firm filing our Cares money report to close out the Cares money account 2272.

BURIALS

Ed Samec reported having one cremation burial

GERANIUMS

Ed Samec reported that Amanda McKendrick would like to start planting Geraniums on Veteran graves again at Hawley Cemetery. Ed Samec is going to see if any greenhouses would be willing to donate the Geraniums to put on the Veteran graves. All the trustees were in favor of putting the Geraniums on the veteran graves.

SAVVY ALERT SYSTEM

Dorene Spicer, Shawna Bailey, and Lori Luketic delivered the Savvy fliers to the residents. Dorene Spicer reported that when Savvy went live march 23, there was 8 signed up, on March 26 there was 13 and as of today 4-16-2026 there are 81.

ENZO'S

Dorene Spicer reported that Brian Leabitt from ENZO's was in contact to see if any cleaning product was needed.

NOPEC

Dorene Spicer reported meeting with Craig Brown of NOPEC and discussed NOPEC and the rates.

COMMUNITY CENTER PAINTING

Dorene Spicer reported that Western Reserve Painting & Decorating will be prepping the walls on April 24, 2026 and then painting April 27 & 28, 2026.

SIGN UPDATES

Dorene Spicer would like to pay Mike Glista \$50.00 for the time that was spent updating the electronic sign. Mike Glista spent 1 ½ hours waiting for the computer to update. Ed Samec made the motion to pay Mike Glista \$50.00 for updating the computer. This was seconded by Dave Kemble. Roll Call: Dorene Spicer, yes; Dave Kemble, yes; Ed Samec, yes. Motion Carried. Resolution #35-2026

MULCH FOR CEMETERY

Dorene Spicer asked Fred Shaulis to purchase mulch, at Menards, for the cemetery for around the memorial.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Dorene Spicer made the motion at 6:35 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 #36.2026 was called back to order at 9:29 am.

The Meeting was called back to order at 6:41 pm

ROAD SIDE CLEAN-UP

Ed Samec reported that the inmates will be out in Paris Township again for road side clean-up. The Township is responsible for feeding the inmates lunch. Dorene Spicer will pick up the lunch for the inmates.

SUNSHINE LAW BOOK

Ed Samec reported getting a Sunshine Law Book to leave at the community center if anybody has any questions or needs to look something up.