

Mad River Township Board of Trustees

Regular Session - January 18, 2016

The Mad River Township Board of Trustees met in regular session Monday, January 18, 2016.

Present: Trustee President Bob McClure and Trustees Joe Catanzaro and Kathy Estep.

Trustee McClure called the meeting to order at 7:30pm, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

County Commission Candidate Dale Henry was introduced and he asked those present for their support.

Tim Sutter, from Ohio Edison, provided information on adding street lighting to neighborhoods in the township. He explained the four options available under Ohio Revised Code: private outdoor lights, community associations, municipal lighting, and establishment of lighting districts. He explained that private outdoor lights would be the simplest solution. Any homeowners interested would simply call Ohio Edison (800-633-4766) for an estimate of costs for the light and pole, if needed. The formation of a street lighting district within the unincorporated area of a township is outlined in the Ohio Revised Code sections 515.01 to 515.11. It is a lengthy and complicated process which he outlined (see attachment for further details.) After some discussion, the regular order of business was resumed.

Trustee Estep moved to dispense with the reading of the January 4, 2016 Organizational Meeting and Regular Meeting Minutes, seconded by Trustee Catanzaro. Motion carried 3-0.

Trustee Estep moved to approve the minutes of the January 4, 2016 Organizational Meeting and Regular Meeting Minutes, seconded by Trustee Catanzaro. Motion carried 3-0.

Department Reports

Deputy Wise

Discussed Fox Shooting Loft break in. An arrest has been made on the Rocky Point Road burglary. On March 4th at 6pm, he will be participating in a special Olympics volleyball tournament.

Road and Cemetery

There have been mechanical problems with the trucks, making it more difficult than usual to keep up with the snow events. In response to a question from Trustee McClure, Don explained the snow removal protocol used by the township. He asked residents to please be patient and keep back from plows as they try to work and refrain from parking in the street is at all possible.

Hustead Fire Department

Hustead Fire Chief Larry Ridenour reported to Trustees that the department had several runs in January.

Jan 10- Wires sparking/power outage and auto accident

Jan 10- Problems with water pump on Engine 2

Jan 21st- They will participate in a Table Top Exercise at Greenon High School.

Enon Fire and EMS

Enon Chief Tracy Young reported to the trustees that the year to date responses have been 87. His full report is attached. A Push In Ceremony was held at 6pm for the new medic. Louise Fenwick was named EMS provider of the quarter. EPCR Transition is going well. Chief requested selling Engine 2 and Old Medic 2 on Gov Deals. Also requested hiring Christopher Kitts.

Old Business

Motion to approve road mileage certification from the Clark County Engineer at 51.817 miles. Motion by Trustee Catanzaro, second by Trustee Estep. Motion carried 3-0.

New Business

Motion to hire Christopher Kitts by Trustee Catanzaro, second by Trustee Estep. Motion carried 3-0.

Motion to declare surplus Engine 2 and Old Medic 2 by Trustee Estep, second by Trustee Catanzaro. Motion carried 3-0.

Audience Comments

Ned Clark discussed the break in at Fox Shooting Loft. He expressed concern for citizen safety.

Kate Harcourt asked if Mad River Township was going to go adopt a single hauler for trash pickup. Trustee Catanzaro responded that he was not in favor. Trustee McClure responded that there had not been a show of support for it from the community.

Mary Beth Pilcher commented on the street light presentation and asked some specific questions regarding her situation.

Adjournment

Trustee Estep moved to adjourn the meeting at 9:30pm., seconded by Trustee Catanzaro. Motion carried 3-0.