

German Township  
Board of Trustees  
June 26, 2017

The Trustees of German Township, Fulton County, Ohio met in regular session for the purpose of conducting business of the township.

Present: Bruce Lauber, Kenneth Leupp, Randy Ruffer, Keith Short

Guests: Josh King, Scott Haselman, Robert Apger, Joe Short, Donna Dettling, David Pugh, Corey Ruffer

The meeting was called to order by Bruce at 7:00 pm.

Bruce stated the Village Council has given the Township a deadline of tonight to make a decision regarding the Fire Department proposal they have presented. Bruce asked each of the trustees to share their thoughts. Randy read a prepared statement of his thoughts and said he cannot support the proposal. Kenneth stated that he cannot support the proposal as presented. Bruce read a prepared statement and said there was some progress made but is in agreement that he cannot support the proposal. All three trustees state they would support a 2.0 mill levy in the fall. Donna Dettling told the trustees they are welcome to attend the Council meeting Tuesday morning. Joe Short asked in the months of discussion that has taken place has the Township made any proposal to the Village. There have been counter proposals made to the Council. Corey Ruffer asked what it would take to offer to propose the 2.0 mill levy and the Township continue to own the equipment. The trustees have already made that offer. Corey Ruffer stated that as a resident he is not in favor of the Township relinquishing ownership of the equipment.

The minutes from the June 12, 2017 meeting were presented. Kenneth made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Randy seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

The bills were presented for review (attachment 04-06-17). Kenneth made a motion to accept the bills for payment as presented. Randy seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Josh reported that fire truck #104 needed a little work done, have been working on the signs from the sign grant, had a tree down on FG and started mowing ditches.

Kenneth said a resolution needs to be made for road striping.

**05-17 RESOLUTION TO REQUEST AN ESTIMATE ROAD STRIPING**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of German Township, Fulton County, Ohio approved to request an estimate from the Fulton County Engineer for water based center striping of Road B from Road 24 to Road 25 (1 mile), Road E from Road 24 to Road 25 (1 mile) and Road G from 20A to Road 26 (2.38 miles).

Kenneth moved, Bruce seconded  
Yeas: Lauber, Leupp, Ruffer  
Adopted this 26th day of June, 2017

Robert Apger reported he has been in contact with Homier Monument regarding the new sign for Johnson Cemetery and it should be installed soon. Robert said the tool shed at Johnson Cemetery is getting in

German Township  
Board of Trustees  
June 26, 2017

bad shape. He received a quote from The Van Castle for a 12'x12' shed for \$4,995.00. Kenneth will check with the Archbold Industrial Arts class and Four County to see if either would be interested in erecting a new tool shed for the Cemetery.

Randy attended the OTA officials meeting in Columbus and said the Township will receive money from the gas lines being installed after it has been in for two years.

Bruce said the Village will test our blow back valves.

Kenneth made a motion to adjourn at 7:52 pm. Randy seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

---

---

---

---

Attested