

German Township
Board of Trustees
January 27, 2020

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

Present: Andy Brodbeck, Kenneth Leupp, Joe Short, Keith Short

Guests: Josh King, Jeff Aeschliman, Robert Apper, Keith Roth, Brad Short, Donna Dettling, David Pugh

Andy called the meeting to order at 7:30 am.

Keith presented the minutes from the January 13, 2020 regular meeting. Kenneth made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Joe seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Keith presented the minutes from the January 13, 2020 organizational meeting. Joe made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Kenneth seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Keith presented the bills for review (attachment 08-01-20). Kenneth made a motion to accept the bills for payment as presented. Joe seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Robert Apper presented a check for a burial fee at Johnson Cemetery.

Donna Dettling and Brad Short, representing Archbold Village Council, presented information regarding the Mutual Aid Agreement with Gorham Township, Fayette and Archbold (attachment 09-01-20). Brad would like the current agreement be written with more accountability and fair to all taxpayers. Andy gave information on Automatic Mutual Aid Response with Archbold and the surrounding fire departments (attachment 10-01-20).

Josh reported they have serviced tractors, worked on the aerial fire truck, cleared and salted roads, repaired a washout of a tile, replaced the fuel tank on the International truck, assisted with a burial at Johnson Cemetery and will put a drive tile in at a property in Elmira.

Josh asked when we have to ask for bids for the road work on Road B and Road 24 for which we have OPWC Issue II funds. Kenneth said he will contact Hayley Dockery at the Fulton County Engineer's office for an update.

**06-20 RESOLUTION TO EXTEND THE COMPLETION DATE FOR
ROAD B PROJECT**

Mr. Short moved the adoption of the following Resolution

WHEREAS, Blausey Truck Service & Excavating, LLC requested to extend the completion date for the Road B project to March 31, 2020 to include the seeding of the disturbed area; and therefore be it

RESOLVED that German Township to extend the completion date of the project to March 31, 2020.

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Mr. Leupp seconded the Motion and the roll being called upon its adoption the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Brodbeck	Yes
Mr. Leupp	Yes
Mr. Short	Yes

Adopted this 27th day of January 2020 (attachment 11-01-20).

Andy presented the 2020 Deadlines received from the Fulton County Engineers office if we want to be included in their bids for seal coat, asphalt resurfacing and pavement marking (attachment 12-01-20).

Joe requested and received a list from Hayley Dockery a list of township roads that German Township does not have a road right-of-way. He thought it would be good to have the Fulton County Engineers' office send notices out to landowners on these roads.

Joe spoke with Frank Onweller about signage on Road 24 for Lafayette Street and Frank recommended putting up signs for Lafayette Street according to ORC.

Kenneth attended the VORP meeting at Shalom regarding the damage done to some of our road signs. Being financially responsible for this damage will not be a hardship for these youth. The judge thought the youth should help pay for the damage. Some volunteer work may be a good thing for these youth to help with. There will be another meeting involving the youth.

Andy reported he attended the first EMA meeting for the year, which was an introductory meeting.

Joe made a motion to adjourn at 8:57 am. Kenneth seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Attested