

UNION TOWNSHIP – WARREN COUNTY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES – Regular Meeting – September 20, 2021

CALLING THE MEETING TO ORDER: The regular meeting of the Union Township Board of Trustees was called to order by President of the Board, Fred Vonderhaar on Monday, 9/20/21 at 6:00 p.m. at the Union Township Municipal Building. The meeting was opened with the Fiscal Officer, Shelley Lamb, taking roll call of the trustees: Fred Vonderhaar, Tony Ledford & Jamie Allen. Prayer was led by Mr. Ledford. Mr. Vonderhaar led everyone in The Pledge of Allegiance.

CITIZENS IN ATTENDANCE (IF KNOWN): Mrs. Barbara Aberlin and Mr. Paul Redmond were in attendance. Mr. Redmond mentioned to Deputy Pangallo he would like the police to keep an eye on Shawnee Drive in Shawhan Trails, as he has noticed vehicles traveling at excessive speeds past his residence.

POLICE SUMMARY: Deputy Pangallo reported an incident involving vehicles stolen outside of the Township which resulted in a car chase around the area.

CHIEF'S REPORT: Chief Napier reported his new vehicle had arrived and is now waiting for it to be scheduled for equipment outfitting. Chief Napier said he would contact the Village of South Lebanon to confirm their "Trick or Treat" observance day and time. He then reported the HVAC work on the building should be starting soon. Chief Napier also is looking at the possibility of expanding the firehouse as its space is limited.

ROAD SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: Josh Sandlin reported he has quite a bit of work coming up at the cemeteries concerning footers. He also thought the mow trim was a success. Mr. Vonderhaar & Mr. Allen both commented they had received compliments about the operation.

FISCAL OFFICER'S REPORT: The Fiscal Officer presented the bills to pay, fund status, cemetery deeds, etc. thru September 20, 2021. All were signed and approved by the Board of Trustees.

NEW BUSINESS: Mr. Ledford commented about a dead tree issue in Highland Park. He is going to investigate the situation a bit further, then address it at a future meeting. Mr. Ledford made a motion to pay the bills, seconded by Mr. Vonderhaar. The motion was carried by all "yeas".

Mr. Allen made a motion to accept the minutes from the meeting held on 9/7/21, seconded by Mr. Vonderhaar. The motion was carried by all "yeas".

Mr. Vonderhaar mentioned he attended a meeting with the City of Lebanon concerning a property located around Kingsview that the owner wants to be annexed into the city. Union Township Attorney Bruce McGary will be handling this request and Mr. Vonderhaar will present the official information to the other Trustees when available. Mr. Vonderhaar stated he is still working on the application process for the Township Stimulus Program for new sidewalks, road repairs, etc. Mr. Vonderhaar said a resident has complained about Bone Road, which is a "No Outlet" road in the Township, as they feel other residents are blocking part of the road. Mr. Vonderhaar is still gathering information and will update everyone later.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business, Mr. Vonderhaar made a motion, seconded by Mr. Ledford to adjourn the meeting at 6:55 p.m. The motion was carried by all "yeas". The next meeting will be Monday, October 4, 2021, at 6:00 p.m.