Jersey Township, Licking County

Board of Trustees Regular Meeting Minutes December 28, 2022 - 7:30 p.m.

Attendees:
Dan Wetzel, Chairman
Jeff Fry, Vice-Chairman
Ben Pieper, Trustee
Marko Jesenko, Fiscal Officer

Staff Present: Bud Witney, Zoning Inspector Rob Platte, Administrator

Visitors: See Sign-In Sheet On File

Trustee Wetzel called the meeting to order at 7:33 p.m., and then led the Pledge of Allegiance. Mr. Platte called the roll and it was confirmed that Trustees Wetzel, Fry, and Pieper were in attendance.

Trustee Fry moved to approve the agenda without any changes. Trustee Pieper seconded the motion and with no further discussion, the motion was approved via unanimous roll call vote.

Trustee Wetzel introduced Public Comments. No comments were offered.

Trustee Wetzel asked for the end of year finances close out update. Fiscal Officer Jesenko provided the balance sheets and read off the checks that were prepared.

Trustee Wetzel asked Mr. Platte if there were any items under Reports. Mr. Platte shared that the applicant that submitted the rezoning application for the +/-71.48 acres at Putnam and Worthington Roads (Jersey 1820) has submitted the application packet and materials. The applicant had submitted both digital versions, as well as, 5 copies of the plan sets and the related narrative. The applicant has requested a January 10, 2023 hearing date with the trustees. Trustee Pieper moved to receive the application packet and materials for the Jersey 1820 project. Trustee Wetzel seconded the motion and with no further discussion, the motion was approved via unanimous roll call vote. Trustee Pieper moved to set the hearing date for the Jersey 1820 application as January 10, 2023 at 7:00p.m. Trustee Fry seconded the motion and with no further discussion, the motion was approved via unanimous roll call vote. Mr. Platte shared that he had spoken with Tim White about the new International cab and chassis that the township ordered in May 2021, and Mr. White stated that they are currently expecting the order some time in March 2023. Mr. Platte shared that due to the recent snow storm, the road employees had worked overtime that they won't be able to utilize Comp Time for unless approved to carry the time into 2023. Mr. Platte asked the Board to consider approving Tyler Freese to earn Comp Time at a rate of 1.5 hours per one hour worked of overtime, and to allow that Comp Time to be carried into 2023. Trustee Fry moved to approve Mr. Freese to earn 1.5 hours of Comp Time per hour of overtime worked and carry that time into 2023. Trustee Pieper seconded the motion and

with no further discussion, the motion was approved via unanimous roll call vote. Mr. Witney shared that he had met with the Coughlin dealership and they are planning an expansion.

There was no Old Business presented.

There was no New Business presented.

Trustee Wetzel shared information about the recent ditch petition hearing for the Cook Tri-County ditch project. He also gave an update on the FrameWork meeting. Mr. Platte reminded everyone of the Organization Meeting and the Regular Meeting on January 4, 2023.

Trustee Wetzel moved to adjourn the meeting. Trustee Fry seconded the motion and with no further discussion, the motion was approved via unanimous roll call vote.

Respectfully Submitted:

Marko Jesenko, Fiscal Officer

Attest:

Dan Wetzel, Chairperson

Jeff Fry, Vice-Chairperson

Ben Pieper, Trustee