

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

MINUTES OF HARRISON TOWNSHIP BOARD TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING

Held: Township Civic Center

Date: April 21, 2021

Time: 7:30 pm

OPENING

The Harrison Township Board of Trustees met in regular session with Chairman, Thomas C. Losekamp, calling the meeting to order. Answering the roll call were: Frederick A. Dole, and Thomas C. Losekamp. Mark A. Lewis was absent with notice.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mr. Dole made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 17, 2021 regular meeting. Mr. Losekamp seconded the motion, roll call – all yea.

FISCAL OFFICER'S REPORT

Mr. Losekamp made a motion to approve the Fiscal Officer's Financial Report, which includes the payment of the bills. Mr. Dole seconded the motion, roll call – all yea.

VISITORS

Kirk Troescher, Annette Troescher, and Ronda Schmid all spoke in opposition of the proposed Love's Truck Stop being considered near the area of Harrison Avenue and Dry Fork Road. They were concerned about an uptick in crime, increased truck traffic, and the location of the development will cause a dangerous traffic hazard. A lengthy discussion followed on the next step with the zoning change and the procedures with Hamilton County to be able to voice their opinion.

Bill Edge ask the Trustees what the outcome of an annexation meeting with the City of Harrison on a proposed warehouse development behind his property. Mr. Losekamp stated no decision was made.

POLICE REPORT

Sgt. Oliver Albert of the Hamilton County Sheriff's office reported that there were a few noteworthy incidents in Harrison Township, there were several theft reports, drug overdoses, domestic violence and a forgery report. There were 162 calls for service in Harrison Township during this period. Deputies responded to 93 of those calls for service due to be on the lookout, public services, EMS runs, etc. The average responded calls for service was 10 minutes, which is down 2 minutes from last month.

FIRE REPORT

There was no report

ZONING REPORT

There was no report

NUISANCE REPORT

Mr. Dole reported that the mobile home located at New Biddinger and Carolina Trace does not appear to be occupied and is not being maintained. Mr. Losekamp will contact the county health department to inspect the property.

BUSINESS REPORT

Mr. Losekamp presented a proposal from Hendy Inc. for reconstruction & modification of a double gutter inlet on the south side of Deer Trace Road. Mr. Dole made a motion to approve the proposal. Mr. Losekamp seconded the motion, roll call – all yea.

Mr. Dole spoke on the landfill expansion in Whitewater Township and what it will mean in the future for Harrison Township residents who live close by. Nancy Benight who lives near the proposed landfill addressed the board to speak in opposition of the landfill expansion and ask the board to oppose the development. Mr. Losekamp made a motion to oppose the Bond Road Rumpke landfill expansion in Whitewater Township. Mr. Dole seconded the motion, roll call – all yea.

CORRESPONDENCE

Mr. Dole reported a tree had fallen in Woodlawn Cemetery and clean-up is needed.

Mr. Losekamp reported that the gate behind the Community Center near Etta Avenue may be reinstalled. The gate could be installed after the construction of the new elementary school is completed.


Mr. Dole reminded everyone that the Township cleanup day is Saturday April 24, 2021 from 8am to 4pm, also the drug take - back program operated by the sheriff's office will be at the Civic Center Saturday April 24, 2021 from 10 am to 2 pm.


ADJOURNMENT

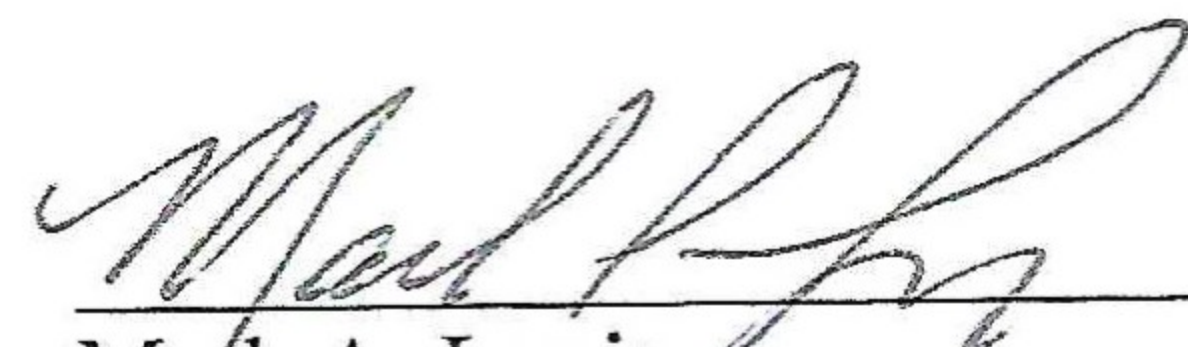
Being no further business, Mr. Losekamp made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Dole seconded the motion, roll call - all yea. The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Attest:


Thomas C. Losekamp, Chairman


Richard J. Dole, Fiscal Officer


Frederick A. Dole


Mark A. Louis