June 15, 2021

Regular Meeting

\*Pursuant to HB 197/HB 440, the Township Building is closed to the public and this meeting was recorded and posted on Facebook and shared on the “Pierpont, OH” Facebook page\*

Chairman Barbara Culp called the meeting to order. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by the trustees present in the township hall.

Roll call of Board attendance:

Present: Trustee Barb Culp, Trustee Pam Hudson

Absent: Trustee Bob Jackson.

Approval of prior meeting minutes:

One correction was made to minutes – the resolution approved should have been No. 2021-07. The minutes of the June 1, 2021 regular meeting, the minutes were approved as presented.

Approval of Bills:

Trustee Culp presented $62,022.66 in bills. This amount included the $48,250.00 payment to the Fire Department. Trustee Hudson moved to pay the bills presented. Trustee Culp seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Trustee Culp also read a list of receipts since the last meeting totaling $700.00

Fiscal Officer’s Report/Correspondence since last meeting:

* FO Hoover advised they received a letter from the Ashtabula County Covered Bridge Committee requesting a donation from the trustees for the Graham and Caine Road portable restrooms. Trustee Hudson moved to donate the cost of the restrooms. Trustee Culp seconded the motion. Motion passed.
* Trustee Culp advised she received a letter from the Ashtabula County Veterans Services asking that they be notified of veteran-involved events (i.e. Memorial Day parade) so that they can help spread the word.
* Trustee Culp advised they received a letter from Jake Brand regarding the CDBG project funding. Pierpont Township was awarded $38,000.00 to cover the cost of ADA sidewalk ramp and restrooms in the new office building (1080 State Route 7).

Committee/Department Reports:

**Road Report**:

* Trustee Culp advised that the dust control substance was applied yesterday and today (6/14 and 6/15) – 100 feet in front of most houses. Trustees marked driveways on Sunday (6/13) and there was some confusion while applying. Beckwith Road was not done because they are scheduled to work on the road. Trustee Hudson also suggested using a different marking paint next time. Trustee Culp added that this was an experiment and they want to set up a way to determine which properties get dust control and which do not. They also urged people to slow down on dirt roads.

**Zoning Inspector**

**Zoning Commission**

**Parks Commission:**

* Next meeting July 27

**Revitalization Committee**

* Next meeting June 21 at 6:00PM at Ducro Community Room

Unfinished/Old Business:

* Trustee Culp advised that their latest cemetery employee is too busy and they are looking for someone to take over the weed eating position.

New Business:

* Trustee Culp advised they purchased 6500 pavers for the cemetery project and 44 folding chairs for the new hall at about $6.00 each.

Miscellaneous:

* Blood drive on June 24th
* Farmer’s Market begins June 26th
* PCAL Bingo at the Williamsfield Community Center on June 25th to benefit the Pierpont Scholarship Fund.
* Last call for businesses to be added to the business brochure. Trustee Culp is finalizing and will also be working on the next newsletter.

Public Comment:

There being no further business, Trustee Hudson moved to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned.

Fiscal Officer