

Monroe Township Board of Trustees Meeting Minutes

May 12, 2022

6:30 p.m.

Meeting was called to order by Mr. Peck at 6:30 p.m.

Roll Call: Mr. Forder-present, Ms. Jowers-present, Mr. Peck-present, Ms. Forder-present

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Guest Speakers: Katlin Verdin- Ms. Verdin will be volunteering at Laurel Memorial Cemetery. She is earning points for Girl Scouts and will install a "Peace Garden" with flowers and a bench. This will be completed by September 30, 2022.

Deputy Morgan: 63 offense reports and 61 incident reports for the month of April 2022.

Township Business:

Swearing in of Full-Time FF/EMT-S(S-Specialist): Austin Caldwell, John Joerger and Michael Welch.

Fiscal Officer-Candace Forder

Motion# 83-2022 was made by Mr. Forder to approve the minutes from the April 26, 2022 Monroe Township Board of Trustees meeting as presented. Ms. Jowers 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes, Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

Motion# 84-2022 was made by Ms. Jowers to approve the financial statements (included in packets) for the period ending April 30, 2022 as presented. Mr. Forder 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes, Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

The Township has received a renewal contract from Arrick's for propane. Ms. Forder is currently checking other propane companies pricing.

Zoning-Mike Boots

Report in writing.

Eight permits issued for the month of April.

Motion# 85-2022 was made by Ms. Jowers to approve Resolution# 05-2022 determining a nuisance at the property located at 1757 State Route 232 (Parcel# 2226003G053). Mr. Forder 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes, Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

Maintenance-Greg Schrichten

Maintenance is currently working on mowing Township Roads. The new mower should arrive in mid-June.

Cemeteries-Jerry Cramer

Two graves sold and one deed issued.

Fire/EMS -Chief Steve Downey

Report in writing. 91 runs for the month of April 2022.

Motion# 86-2022 was made by Mr. Forder to change Aaron Walters from part-time FF/EMT-B to part-time FF/EMT-A with a new pay rate of \$15.78 per hour effective May 15, 2022. Ms. Jowers 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes, Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

Motion# 87-2022 was made by Ms. Jowers to hire Courtney Dean as a part-time FF/Medic with a pay rate of \$16.47 per hour with a 1-year probation effective May 15, 2022. Mr. Forder 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes, Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

Mr. Forder is still waiting on the drawings for the addition.

At the next meeting the Trustees will discuss the set up and lay-out for the Rumble in the Park and Safety Days.

Motion# 88-2022 was made by Mr. Forder to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Jowers 2nd the motion.

Vote: Mr. Forder-yes, Ms. Jowers-yes, Mr. Peck-yes

Meeting adjourned at 7:05.

Minutes taken by Candace Forder

Mr. Forder _____

Ms. Jowers _____

Mr. Peck _____