

**Record of Proceedings – April 13, 2015**  
**Washington Township Trustees, Warren County, Ohio**

The regular meeting was held with Schaefer, Hagemeyer and Williams present. President Hagemeyer opened the meeting. All joined in the Pledge of Allegiance. Minutes from the last meeting were read and approved. Receipts of \$15,744.71 since our last meeting were reported and were filed for audit. Warrants 9680-9691 totaling \$10,095.74 were presented for approval.

FROM THE FLOOR:

- Warren County Drug Task Force Commander John Burke and Steve Arrasmith attended to give an overview of activity in 2014. Bath salts and heroin continued to be a huge problem. Vivitrol shot can help addicts to break the habit, as it prevents them from getting high. It is very expensive, but lasts 30 days. Commander Burke is retiring in October, and will be succeeded by Steve Arrasmith. They have worked together for over 16 years.
- Concern was expressed to Lt. Miller of the Sheriff's office about 4-wheeler running at high-speed on the township roads. Citizen is concerned for the safety of the rider.

ROADS REPORT:

From our Roads Supervisor, Allen Stanforth:

- Spent two days on Arabian Run with the county. Patch is made and will hold for a while.
- There may be home building coming up off the dead end of Gum Grove off State Route 132. If so, we may have to add turnaround for bus and snowplow.
- Still researching beet heat system. One down side to this is the huge load of product that must be delivered. If we forge ahead with this, we will first find other township(s) to split load with.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Hagemeyer is pursuing group health care plan quotes for the township and will report back.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Warren County Regional Planning Commission will hold their quarterly meeting on April 14 at 5:30pm. They are considering adding new members to the board.
- The Ohio Treasurer's Office is inviting all local government entities to participate in their new program, [www.ohiocheckbook.com](http://www.ohiocheckbook.com). This would put all of our transactions on that website for easier public record viewing. The Trustees felt there is no need to participate at this time, as we can handle any requests for public records almost immediately.
- During a review of our Salem-Morrow and Wayne Township Fire Departments Fire/EMS contracts, our risk consulting agent recommended that we look at the "Hold Harmless" language. We are reviewing with Keith Anderson of the Prosecutor's office.
- Proposed Verizon cell tower on State Route 132 is being reviewed by the county.
- Hearing will be held on April 21 for rezoning of the parcel at 2959 Gum Grove from RU to AI.

As there was no further business, Schaefer made motion, seconded by Williams to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:03pm.

Scott Hagemeyer  
Trustee President

Karen Doney  
Fiscal Officer

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