

Record of Proceedings – July 22, 2019
Washington Township Trustees, Warren County, Ohio

The regular meeting was held with Fisher, Schaefer and Hagemeyer present. We opened the meeting by inviting all to join in the Pledge of Allegiance. Receipts of \$10,911.92 since our last meeting were reported and filed for audit. Warrants 10827 through 10841 and Vouchers 34, 35 and 36-2019 totaling \$11,248.80 were presented for approval. Hagemeyer made motion, seconded by Schaefer to pay bills as presented. Motion carried. Minutes from the previous meeting were approved as presented.

FROM THE FLOOR:

- Chief William Harrison of the Salem/Morrow Fire Department attended. They made approximately 950 runs last year. They are always in need of full and part-time people. The public can follow them on Facebook.
- A few residents from Gum Grove Road attended and voiced concerns about the upcoming culvert replacements. Three culverts will be replaced in the July 29-August 2 timeframe, and closing of that end of the road is necessary. Hopefully it will be one culvert per day and be complete in three days. The road is not wide enough to close half at a time and allow traffic, and they are deep culverts. There will be a walking path provided, so residents can park a vehicle on the far side. The sheriff's office will patrol to check on the vehicles overnight. If there is a possibility of crossing sometime during the day, Allen will call one of the residents and he will spread the word. Contractor cannot simply place a steel plate; he would have to fill with gravel first. Every effort will be made to handle this project speedily. It is crucial as two of the three culverts are in bad shape and could fail.
- Neighbors of 166 Clarksville Road are grateful for the clean-up. We will assess the cost of mowing and the dumpster to the county auditor. The prosecutor's office is pursuing legal options regarding the house and vehicles. The health department will board up remaining openings. The home may be in the next round of sheriff's sales.

ROADS REPORT:

From our Roads Supervisor, Allen Stanforth:

- Allen has been getting Strout Road ready for paving
- Chip seal will be done in early September by Miller-Mason, and be swept 5-10 days after the project

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Nothing at this time.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Scott reported on the Clinton-Warren Joint Fire District meeting on July 11. The classroom is basically complete. There will be an open house in August – TBA. Contract with the World Equestrian Center contract is underway.
- Jason reported on the July 9 Warren County Regional Planning Commission meeting. Wayne Township voted to extend their sewers. Soil and Water is pushing for agricultural easements to keep farmland. There will be a future widening of Route 63 from 741 to 75.

As there was no further business, Schaefer made motion, seconded by Hagemeyer to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:25pm.

Jason Fisher
Trustee President

Karen Stutrud
Fiscal Officer