

Record of Proceedings – May 13, 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 \$0 since our last meeting were reported and filed for audit. Warrants 10777-10782 totaling \$4,542.88 were presented for approval. Schaefer made motion, seconded by Hagemeyer to pay bills as presented. Motion carried. Minutes from the previous meeting were approved as presented.

FROM THE FLOOR:

- Katie Horvath of the Warren County Prosecutor's Office, addressed a topic of concern. Sometime this summer, we will have to close part of Gum Grove Road (dead-end section) to replace three failing culverts. It will close during working hours, approximately 8am to 5pm for 2-5 days, depending on weather and unforeseen circumstances. Contractor will have a steel plate on hand to allow emergency vehicles to pass. Resident complained about the road closure. If these culverts fail, the road would be closed for an extended period. Ms. Horvath explained that the township is required, per Ohio Revised Code Section 5543.17, to get determination of necessity from the county engineer's office. The WCEO has provided this letter to the Board. Trustees will enact a resolution at a future meeting regarding this necessity.
- Resident of Ross Road complained about issues of speeding. He was advised to take pictures when possible, and report speeding to the Sheriff's office.
- Same resident also brought to our attention that the road is being undercut by water on the east side of his driveway. Stanforth will repair.

ROADS REPORT:

From our Roads Supervisor, Allen Stanforth:

- Allen has begun mowing
- Missing signs returned, except for Lincoln Road
- Ditch issue on Woodward-Claypool; Allen will assess

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Hagemeyer attended a Clinton-Warren Joint Fire District meeting on May 9. Classrooms should be finished in July. The Roberts Equestrian Center will enter into contract with the district to provide EMS coverage during horse shows this season. Since the prior meeting, there have been 51 EMS and 28 fire runs.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Resident expressed concern about the bridge near his property on Ward-Koebel, as water was washing out material at the base. It passed inspection in October 2018, and was inspected today by the county engineer's office. No integrity issues were found, and no rock is needed.
- Cell tower is being planned for Middleboro Road south of Strout
- Two zoning variances were requested of Warren County Zoning: 4456 State Route 132 (frontage) and 9019 State Route 22/3 (setback).
- A black, male KuneKune pig was found in the township. If you are missing yours, please contact us.

As there was no further business, Schaefer made motion, seconded by Hagemeyer to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:47pm.

Jason Fisher
Trustee President

Karen Stutrud
Fiscal Officer