

Chairman Chris Hann with the Pledge of Allegiance called the Regular Meeting of the Hamilton Township Board of Trustees to order at 7:30 p.m.

Members Present: Blackstone yea Craiglow yea Hann yea

Visitors Present: Gwen Young, Marvin Young, MaryAnn Armstrong, Gary Armstrong

(2021-114) APPROVAL OF MINUTES

M. Craiglow made a motion approving the minutes of the Regular Meeting held Wednesday, May 12, 2021, as presented by the Fiscal Officer. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted. M/C

Blackstone yea Craiglow yea Hann yea

FRANKLIN COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Regarding miscellaneous Franklin County Sheriff's Department matters, deputy present at meeting reported no major incidents in the township since last meeting. Trustees had questions regarding removal of unapproved structures from Fernwood Cemetery property. Deputy advised that this is a civil matter. If the cemetery board needed assistance when the structures are being removed, please call the sheriff.

(2021-115) MOTION TO HIRE TYLER T. VORHEES AS FULL-TIME FIREFIGHTER

Chief Hafey presented a letter of appointment for Tyler T. Vorhees for a full-time firefighter position. M. Craiglow made a motion to hire current part-time firefighter Tyler T. Vorhees of 1012 Twilight Drive, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068, as a full-time firefighter with the Hamilton Township Fire Department pending successful passage of physical and psychological evaluation. Firefighter Vorhees to receive wages and benefits as outlined to contract with Local 3344. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted. M/C

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HAMILTON TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT

Regarding miscellaneous Hamilton Township Fire Department matters, Chief Hafey informed the Board of the following: department completed an online and hands-on PEDS class on May 25th; Obetz sponsored a vaccine clinic, turnout was not what was expected; one firefighter is on light duty for approximately two months performing various office tasks for the chief. A brief discussion was held regarding the intended use for this 40-hour light duty position. This employee was not injured on the job, he has sick leave hours. Trustee Craiglow stated that he was not in favor of allowing any employee to work in this position instead of using sick leave. This was not fair to the Township taxpayers. Sick leave is provided for a reason and off the job injuries and the associated time off should be charged to the employee's sick leave bank. Chief Hafey stated that he did not have to ask the Board's permission to place an employee on the light duty assignment, per the CBA he has the authority to make this decision; new hand-held radios have been ordered. The old radios are to be returned to Columbus; Chief Hafey is working with zoning on 825 Olympia Drive issues; fire crews attended a welcome home celebration at the Fortress Obetz for soldiers returning home from Afghanistan; EMS services are being provided for Bike Nights at the Fortress, all special duty assignments are being filled; provided EMS services for Hamilton Local Schools graduation ceremony at the Fortress; and contacting

Abbott Electric and having them check the electrical drops in Station 171, plugs may be bad.

HAMILTON TOWNSHIP ROAD MAINTENANCE

Regarding miscellaneous Hamilton Township Road Maintenance matters, the Board was informed of the following: Dodge is repaired and back in service; beginning pothole repair; received information on MORPC Grant program, reviewing for possible grants to repair roads; and presented list of properties that need mowing in the Township.

(2021-116) MOTION TO CERTIFY DELINQUENT TRASH ACCOUNTS TO THE
FRANKLIN COUNTY AUDITOR

M. Craiglow made a motion to certify delinquent trash accounts to the Franklin County Auditor for placement of the charges in the amount of \$13,593.78 upon the tax duplicate for collection with taxes. A list of names and the amount of the delinquencies are on file in the administrative office of the Hamilton Township Board of Trustees. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted

M/C

Blackstone yea Craiglow yea Hann yea

(2021-117) A RESOLUTION DECLARING PROPERTY LOCATED IN HAMILTON
TOWNSHIP, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO, A NUISANCE

M. Craiglow made a motion declaring the property owned by Kenneth J. Sisson and located at 5226 Edgeview Road, Columbus, Ohio 43207, Tax Parcel No: 150-001842-00, a nuisance in accordance with Hamilton Township Resolution 2021-102. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted.
M/C

Blackstone yea Craiglow yea Hann yea

(2021-118) A RESOLUTION DECLARING PROPERTY LOCATED IN HAMILTON
TOWNSHIP, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO, A NUISANCE

M. Craiglow made a motion declaring the property owned by Ollie J. Davis, Michael A. Coy, Rachel Steward, Amanda Wheeler, and Rhonda S. Cremeans and located at 1962 Reese Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43207, Tax Parcel No: 150-000783-00, a nuisance in accordance with Hamilton Township Resolution 2021-102. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted. M/C

Blackstone yea Craiglow yea Hann yea

(2021-119) A RESOLUTION DECLARING PROPERTY LOCATED IN HAMILTON
TOWNSHIP, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO, A BUISANCE

M. Craiglow made a motion declaring the property owned by Cheryl A. Rhodes and located at 1159 Secrest Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43207, Tax Parcel No: 150-001795-00, a nuisance in accordance with Hamilton Township Resolution 2021-102. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted. M/C

Blackstone yea Craiglow yea Hann yea

(2021-120) A RESOLUTION DECLARING PROPERTY LOCATED IN HAMILTON
TOWNSHIP, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO, A NUISANCE

M. Craiglow made a motion declaring the property owned by Lesli N. Beynon and located at 5250 Edgeview Road, Columbus, Ohio 43207, Tax Parcel No: 150-001846-00, a nuisance in accordance with Hamilton Township Resolution

2021-102. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted.

M/C

Blackstone yea

Craiglow yea

Hann yea

HAMILTON TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATION

Regarding miscellaneous administrative matters, the Board was provided with copies of the following: an agenda from the Technical Review Committee regarding Case No: VA-4004 – 7250 Canal Road; an email from Mary Hernandez, Trebell Energy, regarding Hamilton Township Energy Bulletin; an email from the Franklin County Economic Development Department regarding the introduction of Assistant Director Emanuel Torres, and an email from the Ohio Township Association regarding American Rescue Plan Guidance Issued.

(2021-121) COMMUNITY CENTER REQUESTS - FEE WAIVED

M. Craiglow made a motion allowing LaShae Bowe, Hamilton Youth Athletics, use of the Community Center Building for the second Monday of each month, from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., for monthly meetings, Fee to be waived. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted. M/C

Blackstone yea Craiglow yea Hann yea

(2021-122) COMMUNITY CENTER REQUEST

M. Craiglow made a motion allowing Sharon Weisenberger use of the Community Center Building for Sunday, June 27, 2021, from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., for a birthday party. Fee to be \$12.00 per hour. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted.

M/C

Blackstone yea
yea

Craiglow yea

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(2021-123) COMMUNITY CENTER REQUESTS

M. Craiglow made a motion allowing MaryAnn Bush use of the Community Center Building for Sunday, June 6, 2021, from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., for a family party. Fee to be \$12.00 per hour. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted.

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(2021-124) OBLIGATIONS FOR PAYMENT WITHOUT PURCHASE ORDERS

M. Craiglow made a motion allowing the following obligations for payment without purchase orders:

Payroll	\$ 95,092,31
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T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted. M/C

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(2021-125) OBLIGATIONS FOR PAYMENT WITH PURCHASE ORDERS

M. Craiglow made a motion allowing the following obligations for payment with purchase orders:

1 st Responder Newspaper	\$ 45.00
Advantage Lawn Equipment	44.00
Ag-Pro Ohio LLC	165.76
Atlantic Emergency Solutions	513.61
Beem's BP Distr. Inc.	2,120.65
Bound Tree Medical	3,683.34
Buckeye Power Sales	1,136.28

Burnham & Flower	495.00
BWA South Company, Inc.	300.90
Columbus City Treasurer	1,507.50
Franklin County Sheriff	78,916.55
Franklin County Township Association	220.00

(2021-125) OBLIGATIONS FOR PAYMENT WITH PURCHASE ORDERS CONTINUED

Hafey, Martin	\$	11.00
Hanley Print & Promotions		244.95
Image Trend, Inc.		14,244.49
Jeff Wyler Chevrolet		1,902.70
Kelly Printing		49.15
Mango, Robert		25.00
Office Depot		69.89
Ohio Township Assn Risk Mgmt. Authority		51,890.00
Rent-A-John		350.00
Rusty's Towing Service		1,796.64
The Daily Reporter		46.00
Trenary Research, LLC		80.00
Verizon Wireless		21.12
Zoll Medical Corporation		<u>1,998.25</u>

\$ 161,877.78

T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted. M/C

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(2021-126) ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business at hand, M. Craiglow made a motion to adjourn at 8:10 p.m. T. Blackstone seconded the move and the vote resulted. M/C

Blackstone yea Craiglow yea Hann yea

HAMILTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Attest:

Fiscal Officer