

Austinburg Township Meeting
July 3, 2023

The regular meeting of the Austinburg Township Board of Trustees opened at 7:30 pm. In attendance were Joe Hejduk Jr. and Rob Lapuh.

Res. 94-23 John moved to accept the minutes as written, Byron seconded. The Roll; Haase, aye. Dutton, aye. Kusar, aye.

Res. 95-23 John moved to pay the bills; Pete seconded. The roll; Haase, aye. Dutton, aye. Kusar, aye. Bills paid were \$21,105.33 and receipts were \$17,303.21.

In terms of correspondence there was nothing to report.

Zoning Administrator Rob Lapuh reported that things have been slow.

Fire Dept no report.

Road Dept no report.

John spoke with Austinburg Country Days and said they are building a portable shed to be used during the festival.

Res. 96-23 John moved that the Township will pour a 12x16 pad 6 inches thick for the structure to be placed on during the festival, Pete seconded. The Roll; Haase, aye. Dutton, aye. Kusar, aye.

John spoke with a customer on Mechanicsville/Schweitzer Road regarding a bump by a culvert pipe the County replaced. The County Road Dept. has been notified that it needs fixed. John handled a concern from a customer on Red Oak Driver about the chip and seal that was put down. John investigated the state bid for a generator but the generators through them are all too big. John and Pete will write something up and get quotes for a generator for the Road Dept. We will look to see about using the NOPEC grant money for the cost of the generator.

Byron reported on the design meeting with the county regarding the Appalachian Grant. Harpersfield, Spire and Geneva on the Lake were at the meeting. They are looking at how to still connect Geneva with the Greenway Trail. Plus, this group is looking to see if there is any grant money that could possibly be used to help restore the old store at the corner of 307/45. There is a NAD meeting Tuesday July 4. There is a zoning meeting Wednesday July 5. Laurie Robishaw did attend a training class for zoning. ODOT is in the process of working on the pedestrian bridge on route 307.

Pete reported that the wooden fence in the township park has been replaced. We received a discount because the road guys cleaned up the old fence. The Townhall is in the process of getting painted and the floors redone. Pete will take the curtains to the dry cleaners to be cleaned.

Residents had no comments or concerns.

Res. 97-23 John moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:47 pm, Byron seconded. The roll; Haase, aye. Dutton, aye. Kusar, aye.



Kanda O'Dell, Fiscal Officer



Pete Haase, Chairman